

2017 Volunteer Recognition Dinner
President's Award Honoree



Roslyn Blake PharmD '92

Roslyn Blake has long been passionate about healthcare. After working for 10 years with the Social Security Administration, she enrolled in the USC School of Pharmacy doctoral program. During her fourth year, she completed a rotation with GranCare, a long-term care company that operated closed-door pharmacies to serve their facilities. Hired by GranCare after graduating, Blake worked there a number of years before taking a position at Covenant Care, another operator of long-term care facilities. At Covenant Care, she oversaw the company's consultant pharmacy division for its three pharmacies in California.

Although Blake left her pharmacy practice in 2000 to work with her husband at his insurance company, Bob Blake & Associates, she remains devoted to her alma mater. A member of the USC School of Pharmacy Board of Councilors, Blake is committed to supporting the needs of the school's current students and recent graduates. In 2009, she and her husband established the school's Roslyn Ellison Blake Diversity Scholarship. Six years later, her generosity was recognized at the 2014 Volunteer Recognition Dinner, where Blake received a Widney Alumni House Award. More recently, she received the 2017 USC School of Pharmacy Alumni Association Community Service Award.

In addition to serving as CEO of Bob Blake & Associates, Blake is the founder and CEO of M.B. Ellison, Inc., a full-service insurance reconciliation and brokerage business. Her professional affiliations include the American Society of Consulting Pharmacists and the California Pharmacist Association.