Significant Accomplishments

- Release of NAS/Shalala report
  - Jo Handelsman has discussed ADVANCE work on the committee, on radio, in newspapers, and with the staff of Senators Kennedy and Murray

- Publication of letter to editor in *Nature*
Significant Accomplishments (Cont’d)


- Awarded a PAID grant

- Received a $25,000 award from ACE/Sloan recognizing the Vilas Life Cycle Professorship program
Areas of difficulty/resistance

- The huge NIH CTSA initiative is being carried out in such a way that it takes leadership away from institutional women leaders and is guaranteed to put a heretofore unseen amount of institutional and in the aggregate national/public power in biomedical in the hands of very few men.
  - Molly Carnes has drafted a paper, “A Challenge to Academic Health Centers and the NIH to Prevent Unintended Gender Bias” with Carole Bland.
  - Jo Handelsman was invited to the NIH to discuss areas of research that are “missing” in NIH’s current funding structure; she used the opportunity to discuss the problems of women, and the steps the NIH might take to alleviate them.
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