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CELEBRATORY Hoffmann (from left), Westheimer, and Seeman.

PIVOTAL PUBLICATIONS

New awards program honors institutions that have nurtured breakthrough discoveries

SOME SCIENTIFIC PUBLICATIONS have had such an enormous and long-lasting impact that mere mention of their titles is like recalling an old friend.

Within a relationship between a younger chemist and an older chemist, "how does real collaboration evolve"? Hoffmann asked. It's when the younger person brings to the older person's attention something the older person had not thought of and more important

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