Patricia L. Dudley, Ph.D.

Pat earned her doctorate at the University of Washington in 1957. She regularly spent summers at Friday Harbor Laboratories, returning often to teach and continue her research in copepodology to which she was first introduced as a graduate student at FHL under Paul Illg. In 1994, Pat retired from Barnard College after 35 years as a Professor of Biology, including terms as chairman of the Department of Biology. In her will, Pat left a generous bequest to Friday Harbor Laboratories to establish an endowment now known as the Patricia L. Dudley Endowment Fund for research scholarships for the study of systematics or the structure of marine organisms or for studies in marine invertebrate ecology. She directed that recipients of the fund spend a significant portion of their time at FHL.