Profemina Strategy

Too Radical for Some

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but on the other hand, it's not a sub-
stantial step against harassment."

Lucas M. Macl '95 commented,
"The posters are too strong, too ra-

dical. I guess they're right. [Profemi-

na] needs people to pay attention to
the issues that they raise because
they're important."

Others have made a jest of the
organization; one mock poster
attributed to "Profemyna" reads, "It
needs people to pay attention to
 issues that they raise because
they're important."

In response, Widom said that she
would rather (that opposi-
tion) be humorous than vicious. It's
probably the least harmful." She added
that it's difficult to gauge now
how much we have accomplished," said
Widom, and she added that by no
means is Profemina unique in its
purpose. There are many groups,
both around campus and outside of
MIT, who are trying to halt harass-
ment by informing the public, she
said.

In Profemina's first meeting this
year, members discussed their ideas
and opinions on how to solve the
problems of harassment. Although
they gained no new members,
Widom said the meeting went fine.
Proactively, the group is not highly
structured and does not have an offi-
cial leader, she said.

The award to the Harry S. Truman Scholarship
Award, given to 20 individuals around the
country annually, is given to students who
are committed to public service. Applications for
the awards were due by October 1.

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