

2016 Hall of Fame of Delaware Women



35th Hall of Fame of Delaware Women

NOMINATION FORM

Volunteers
Humanitarians
Professionals
Homemakers
Advocates
Role models
Heroines

Only nominations
received on or before
Friday, Nov. 13, 2015
will be considered.

For More Information
call 302 577-5287

PURPOSE:

The Delaware Commission for Women is seeking remarkable women to induct into the Hall of Fame of Delaware Women. This prestigious annual event proclaims, acknowledges and celebrates the contributions and achievements of women. Nominees are women who worked to improve the quality of life in their neighborhoods, community, city, state, nation or internationally.

ELIGIBILITY:

- ◆ Nominees must have made an important impact upon the lives of others.
- ◆ Their contributions must have lasting, significant value and meaning.
- ◆ Distinguished, selfless achievements may also be the basis for selection.
- ◆ Nominees must be native-born Delawareans or have resided in the state for at least ten years. If is deceased, the same requirements apply. *(Add date of death below for posthumous nominations only)*

THE PROCESS:

1. Nominators complete this form and are responsible for verifying the accuracy of the information submitted on this form. (Please do not write by hand.)
2. A selection committee reviews and rates the forms, then selects the inductee(s).
3. All nominators and nominees are notified in writing.
4. A public award ceremony and reception is planned, inductees become permanent members of the Hall of Fame of Delaware Women.

NOMINEE INFORMATION:

Full Name: _____

Home Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Work Phone: _____ Home Phone: _____

E-mail: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Birth Place: _____

Name of Nearest Living Relative: _____

Relative's Relationship to Nominee: _____

Relative's Address: _____

Phone/ Cell _____

E-mail/ Web: _____

NOMINATOR INFORMATION:

Nominator: _____

Relationship to Nominee: _____

Organization (If applicable): _____

Address: _____

Work Phone: _____ Home Phone: _____

Contact Phone Numbers: _____

E-mail: _____

Members of Hall of Fame of Delaware Women

1981 - 2015

ABC

Kim Allen
Roxana Cannon Arsht (1915-2003)
Martha G. Bachman (1924-1998)
Myrna L. Bair
Helen S. Balick
Sister Ascension Banegas
Darlene Battle
Joy Ann Bartell
Elizabeth Empson Battell (d)
Grace Ruth Batten
Renee Palmore Beaman
Grace Pierce Beck (1926-2008)
Sandra L. Ben
Sujata Kumari Bhatia
Neda P. Biggs
Emily P. Bissell (1861-1948)
Patricia A. Blevins
Cynthia M. Boehmer
Julie K. Boozer
M. Jane Brady
Madaline Elliot Buchanan (1908-1995)
Carolyn S. Burger
Evelyn P. Burkle (1927-2015)
Marguerite Hill Burnett (1885-1966)
Eleanor L. Cain
Annie Jump Cannon (1863-1941)
Claire La Mar Carey
Mary Ann Shadd Cary (1823-1893)
Mae Riedy Carter
Sister Jeanne Cashman
Imogene F. Chandler
Linda L. Chick
Uma Chowdhry
Beatrice Bebe Coker
Alice Marie Smith Coleman
Louise T. Conner (1918-1983)
Nancy W. Cook
Vicky Cooke

DE

Pearl Herlihy Daniels (1910-1994)
Hilda Davis (1905-2001)
Vera Gilbride Davis (1894-1974)
Anna Janney De Armond (1910-2008)
Susan C. Del Pesco
Theresa L.I. del Tufo
Lozelle Jenkins DeLuz
Catherine Devaney McKay

Audrey K. Doberstein
Felicia A. Dorman
Pauline Dyson (1891-1970)
Jeanette Eckman (1882-1972)
Micki Edelsohn
Katherine L. Esterly (1925-2014)

FGH

Esther Schauer Frear (1909-2000)
Sherry L. Freebery
Lynne S. Frink (1946-1998)
Sister Ann Marguerite Gildea (1919-2005)
Muriel E. Gilman (1923-2011)
Sallie Topkis Ginns (1880-1976)
Genevieve W. Gore (1913-2005)
Patricia W. Griffin
Teresa Haman
Norma B. Handloff (1913-2002)
Margaret I. Handy (1889-1977)
Marian Harris
Kathryn Young Hazeur (1923-2011)
Sally V. Hawkins
Margaret Rose Henry
Barbara Chase Herr
Florence Bayard Hilles (1865-1954)
Carol E. Hoffecker
Gloria Wernicki Homer

IJKL

Henrietta R. Johnson (1914-1994)
Moonyeen L. Klopfenstein
Sally J. Knox (1925-1995)
Rita M. Landgraf
Stephanie Louise Kwolek (2014)
Lucile Petry Leone (1902-1999)
Ruth Mitchell Laws (1912-2010)
Gertrude M. Lowell (1901-1994)
Lolita A. Lopez

MN

Patricia Maichle
Margaret R. Manning (1918 – 2015)
Jane P. Maroney
Mary Askew Mather (1861-1925)
Christine Margaret McDermott (1947-07)
Ruth Ann Minner
Jane E. Mitchell (1921-2004)
Jane T. Mitchell
Wilma Mishoe
Emily G. Morris (1934-2001)

Elizabeth Neal
Edith Jackson Newton (1905-1996)
Jeanne D. Nutter

OPQR

Ruth Oates-Graham
Renee G. O'Leary
Karen E. Peterson
Jacquelin Pitts
Patricia H. Purcell
Vivian Rapposelli
Betsy Rawls
Mabel L. Fisher Ridgely (1872-1962)
Winifred J. Robinson (1868-1962)
Jane Richards Roth
Elizabeth H. Ryan (1919 – 2014)

S

Nancy Churchman Sawin (1919-2008)
Beatrice "Bea" Simonds (1914-2006)
Harriet N. Smith Windsor
Ileana M. Smith
Ada Leigh Soles (1937-2010)
Liane McDowell Sorenson
Cecile Long Steele (1900-1940)
Beverly Louise Stewart
Mary Ann Sorden Stuart (1828-1893)
Evelyn Dickenson Swensson

T UV

Shirley M. Tarrant (1935-2003)
Frances D. Swift Tatnall (1874-1966)
Mary Jornlin Theisen (1927-2007)
Helen R. Thomas
Carol A. Timmons
Judith Gedney Tobin
Mae D.H. Vandamm
Mabel Vernon (1884-1975)
Edith P. Vincent

WXYZ

Loretta F. Walsh
Mary Sam Ward (1911-2000)
Emalea Pusey Warner (1853-1948)
Frances M. West
Valerie Whiting
H. Ruth Williams (1915-1999)
Lynn W. Williams
Valerie A. Woodruff
Latricia Odette Wright
Mary Ann Wright (1920-2006)
Pauline A. Young (1900-1991)



The Delaware Commission for Women (DCW) is Delaware's lead government advocate for women. The issue priorities are: Women's Health, Civil Rights, Economic Empowerment, Recognition & Celebration, Violence Prevention and Work & Family.

NAME NOMINEE:

Nominee's Area of Achievement:

(Examples of Areas of Achievement: Non-traditional jobs for women, Education, Community Service, Health Care, Advocacy, Social Work... etc.)

Please describe the nominee's accomplishments using these guidelines.

- (1) Please respect and follow the instructions in this and all communications from DCW; exceptions will **not** be considered.
- (2) Use this form and do not alter it. Do not attach additional information or articles as a substitute for or in addition to using this form. It can be typewritten and mailed to the Commission for Women, or saved to your hard drive and e-mailed to carmen.gomez@state.de.us.
- (3) Be as specific as possible. **You must verify that your data is accurate.**
- (4) Return this completed form in person; by mail; fax or e-mail to DCW at the address shown at the end, before 11-13-15.
- (5) Limit your answers to no more than 200 words per question.

LASTING IMPACT

1. How did the nominee serve as remarkable in her field? Describe how the nominee has made a difference and its lasting impact.

REPUTATION AMONG COLLEAGUES

2. Provide information with examples that illustrate the nominee's positive reputation and leadership among her peers, clients and/or co-workers. Please include her most important qualities.

NAME OF NOMINEE:

RESILIENCY

3. Describe the obstacles she had to overcome?

ACHIEVEMENTS / AWARDS

4. List other achievements, awards, accolades, tributes or notable compliments.

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