

CATHERINE COOGAN WARD FEMINIST ACTION AWARD

GENDER & WOMEN'S STUDIES PROGRAM

WESTERN KENTUCKY UNIVERSITY

NOMINATION FORM

DEADLINE: FEBRUARY 5, 2021

EVALUATION CRITERIA

1. The recipient is a member of the Western Kentucky University community (faculty, staff, administrator, or alumnus/a.) The individual is actively working to improve the quality of life at WKU.
2. The recipient is an advocate for the rights and empowerment of women and motivates others towards those ends.
3. The recipient has taken a primary responsibility within recent years to create positive change concerning women's issues.
4. The recipient reaches out to the wider community to increase awareness and support of women's issues.
5. The recipient has demonstrated knowledge of women's problems and issues.
6. The recipient has assisted women in overcoming difficulties and attaining goals.
7. The recipient is a role model for others in women's issues.
8. The recipient effectively promotes women's issues through speaking, writing, or teaching.
9. The recipient participates in organizations or associations related to women.

NOTE: AWARD RECIPIENTS CANNOT BE NOMINATED AGAIN FOR THE SAME AWARD.

FULL NAME OF NOMINEE _____

POSITION/TITLE _____

ADDRESS _____
street city state zip

PHONE () _____ WKU EMAIL _____

WKU ID # _____

EXPERIENCE/EDUCATION _____

MATERIALS IN SUPPORT OF NOMINATION

A complete application will include the following: Nomination form, two letters of recommendation, a resume, and a biographical or personal statement that addresses the award criteria listed above. Applications can be picked up at Gender & Women's Studies (Cherry Hall 301).

All nominations will be acknowledged but applications will not be returned. Finalists may be interviewed by the Awards Committee. The award will be presented at the Gender & Women's Studies Annual Awards Ceremony TBA. We ask that recipients be present at the awards ceremony and prepare comments of about two minutes.

NOMINATOR _____

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SIGNATURE OF NOMINATOR

DATE

Drop off completed materials to Renee Purdy at Gender & Women's Studies (Cherry Hall 301).
Call 270-745-6477 or email womensstudies@wku.edu for more information. Visit: www.wku.edu/womensstudies.