



# 15<sup>th</sup> Annual Outstanding Women of Color in Education Award Announcement

The UW System Women's Studies Consortium, and the Office of Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion, wish to publicly recognize the contributions that women of color have made to the UW System, and in particular, to diversity and women's studies.

**UW-Stout is seeking nominations for this recognition:**

Faculty, Staff, Students and Community are Encouraged to Apply!

## Nomination Process

- Nominations Due 5pm, November 14<sup>th</sup>
- Send nominations Electronically to Richard Tafalla in Provosts Office at [tafallar@uwstout.edu](mailto:tafallar@uwstout.edu)
- Contact Richard Tafalla or Visit the Inclusive Excellence/Diversity Website <http://www3.uwstout.edu/diversity/index.cfm> for more information.
- Applicants Can Self-Nominate Or Be Nominated
- Applications should include a one-page summary of honoree's contributions to diversity and women's studies as they address some or all of the following criteria:
  - Work in the areas of women's studies scholarship and activism, especially serving to improve the status and climate for women, particularly women of color.
  - Activities advocating for women, particularly women of color.
  - Ability to rally diverse forces together to advance the agenda of women, particularly that of women of color.
  - Efforts to create positive changes at your institutional level, i.e., curriculum development and infusion, receiving grants, and mentoring women.
  - Activities demonstrating an understanding of the interplay of family and community and culture in the lives of women of color.



*"When we speak we are afraid our words will not be heard or welcomed. But when we are silent, we are still afraid. So it is better to speak."*  
Audre Lorde's Words About Silence