



Women's Fund HER Scholarship Reception

Thursday, August 17, 2023

5:30 – 7:30 PM

Remarks starting at 5:45 PM

Woman's Club of Wisconsin ~ 813 E Kilbourn Avenue, Milwaukee

AGENDA

Mix and Mingle

Opening Remarks

Monica Shah-Davidson, Board Chair

WF Presents 2023

Ashton Henry, Board Director

Event Committee Chair

Save the Date:

Thursday, November 2, 2023 ~ 11 AM – 1:15 PM

HER Scholarship Presentation

Sandy Cunningham, Board Director and

HER Scholarship Committee Chair

Women's Fund Update

Lisa Attonito, Executive Director

More Mixing and Mingling

The HER Scholarship program was launched in 1996;
since then, more than 130 women have earned a Bachelor's Degree and
have what they need to advance and succeed. These scholarships are made possible by your generous support.
Thank you.

HER SCHOLARS 2023/24

\$35,000 TO 12 WOMEN

ALVERNO COLLEGE

Lindsey Fay-Broe

Education, December 2024



Aletha Jones

Early Childhood Education, May 2025

Alyese Mason

Leadership Management, December 2024

MOUNT MARY UNIVERSITY

Stephanie J. Hays-Barkley

Art Therapy, December 2023

Miriam Lezama

Business Administration, December 2024

LaToya Martin

Nursing, May 2024

Jamie Less Palm

Nursing, May 2025

Cynthia Perkins

Social Work, May 2024

Mary Catharine Safranski

Fashion Design, May 2024



UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN - MILWAUKEE

Holly Anne Langenburg

Health Sciences & Kinesiology, December 2023

Esmeralda Martinez

Social Work & Psychology, December 2024

Funded in partnership with College Endowment Association

Michelle Suzan Schaeffer

Environmental Geography, May 2024



Tiffani Smith

Social Work and Criminal Justice, December 2023

“THANK YOU! I am beyond humbled and honored.”

“Thank you so much!!”

“I am extremely thrilled to receive the news.”

“This is awesome news, thank you so much! I truly appreciate the support.”

~ HER Scholars, August 2023

HER SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE

Sandy Cunningham, *Chair*
Kenyatta Barber
Tara Blaesing
Sue Hickey
Ann Stoddard
Kathleen Turner, *HER Scholar*
Deborah Washington, *HER Scholar*
Jerri Washington
Bridgett Wilder, *HER Scholar*

About the Women's Fund of Greater Milwaukee

Our mission is to activate philanthropy that advances equity for women. We engage in the power of collective philanthropy across generations exclusively addressing issues that impact women.

Using the proceeds of our endowment coupled with funds secured from the community, we support solutions that result in sustainable and long-lasting transformation for our community. We convene the community around interesting and important issues that impact women, grant HER Scholarships to women, who are non-traditional students, age 35 or older, and provide essential funding to area nonprofit organizations.

As an endowed fund, we have the freedom to invest in long-lasting transformation, non-traditional programs, while challenging traditions to create innovation. We are responsive to current community needs and priorities.

Founded in 1986, and established as an independent organization in 2006, the Women's Fund of Greater Milwaukee depends on gifts from the community. Today we remain committed to advancing equity for women by offering support to area organizations just as we've done for more than 3 decades.

We are proud members of the Wisconsin Alliance of Women's Funds, the Women's Funding Network, and Wisconsin Philanthropy Network.

Community. Advocacy. Impact.