

22nd Annual

WOMEN OF POWER & INFLUENCE AWARDS

22 Years of Women Breaking Through the Glass Ceiling

Honoring

Sharon Bowen

Angela Buonocore

Justice Betty Weinberg Ellérin

Bridget Healy

Andrea Nicolás

Eddie Weiner

NOW-NYC & The Service Fund

cordially invite you to our
22nd Annual Women of
Power & Influence Awards.

Join us for an
extraordinary evening,
as we honor
trailblazing women.

Cocktails,
Awards Dinner
& Auction

National Organization for Women New York City

Wednesday, June 23, 2010
6:30 pm - 9:30 pm
Cocktail Reception 6:30 pm

The Grand Hyatt at Grand Central
Manhattan Ballroom
42nd Street at Lexington Avenue
New York City



2010

Women of Power & Influence Awards

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The National Organization for Women New York City

is thrilled to invite you to our 22nd annual Women of Power & Influence Awards. This Awards Dinner is New York City's premier event for celebrating trailblazing women in law, politics, and business.

The exceptional women we are honoring June 23rd will join a distinguished circle of women leaders, many of whom were the first to break through the glass ceiling and who continue to inspire greatness from all of us.

Our 2010 honorees are no different. They are women who have not only forged a clear path of success for themselves but who have actively contributed to paving the way for others. I hope you'll join our tribute to these women for their leadership, achievement, and contributions to their companies and communities.

By celebrating our outstanding honorees, you are supporting the critical work of NOW-NYC

and its charitable arm, The Service Fund, in advocating for the women and girls of New York City. As the largest chapter of NOW in the U.S., we are on the frontlines—working to secure women's economic empowerment, promote reproductive rights, and end violence and discrimination against women. Your generosity ensures that we continue to build our strong record of making effective change for women's advancement and providing direct help for women in need.

We hope you will join us for an inspirational event!

Sonia Ossorio
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Awardees

Sharon Bowen is a Partner at Latham & Watkins where she practices Corporate Law specializing in finance and securities transactions, including mergers and acquisitions, private equity, corporate restructuring and venture capital financing. Ms. Bowen is credited with helping build a movement for diversity in the legal community. She co-chairs her firm's Diversity Committee and serves on the DirectWomen Board Institute, which aims to place women attorneys on corporate boards. Appointed by the Obama administration, Ms. Bowen serves as Vice Chair of the Board of Directors of the Securities Investor Protection Corporation.

Angela Buonocore has built a track record of success in communications at some of the world's top companies—including GE, IBM and PepsiCo. In her current post as SVP and Chief Communications Officer for ITT Corporation, she directs the company's worldwide branding, reputation, public relations and employee communications efforts. She also led the creation and launch of ITT Watermark, the company's global philanthropic program that provides clean water, sanitation and hygiene education to schools in emerging markets, enabling many girls to continue their education, improve their health, and build their self-esteem.

Justice Betty Weinberg Ellerin, senior counsel to Alston & Bird, has been one of New York State's most forceful and effective advocates for women in the court system. She served for more than 20 years in New York State's Appellate Division and as Presiding Justice of the Appellate Division's First Department. Among her many other activities, she is currently chair of the New York State Judicial Committee on Women in the Courts. She was president of the National Association of Women Judges and is a founding member and board member of the New York State Women's Bar Association.

Bridget Healy is the Executive Vice President and Chief Legal Officer at ING Insurance Americas. Her career as an attorney and top executive spans the globe. Ms. Healy currently oversees the legal and compliance functions for ING Insurance Americas in the U.S., Mexico, and Latin America and the External Affairs function in the U.S. Previously, she was SVP and group general counsel at Becton, Dickinson and Co. and SVP at The Travelers Companies, Inc. She practiced law in the U.S. and Europe and is fluent in five languages. She credits a strong network of pioneering women lawyers as vital to her success.

Andrea Nicolás is not only a Partner of Corporate Finance at Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom LLP but also holds a Ph.D. in Molecular Microbiology. Ms. Nicolás belongs to an elite group of attorney/scientists who bring their unique skills to bear in advising biotechnology and health care companies. She represents investment banks and issuers in a variety of public and private finance transactions in the U.S. and Latin America. She counsels clients in a number of areas, including corporate governance, compliance with securities laws and general corporate matters.

Edie Weiner is President of Weiner, Edrich, Brown, Inc., a leading futurist consulting group serving clients from the U.S. Congress to many of the Fortune 500. A business leader, author, and innovator, she became the youngest outside woman ever elected to the board of a major financial institution at the age of 29. Ms. Weiner is the co-author of many books, including the global bestseller *FutureThink*, and has written for *Harvard Business Review* and *The Wall Street Journal*. Among her many contributions to women's causes, she founded and ran Esteem Teams, which linked inner-city at risk girls in New York to executive women mentors.