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The Frederica Hollister Professional Educators Award is given to an active (not reserve) member of the NYS Organization who has held membership for a minimum of five years. She can be an active or former member of the teaching profession who has exemplified the best in education. Her contributions to education and other related fields in New York, and possibly at the national level, should be varied, widely known and well-documented over a period of five years. It should demonstrate the nominee's commitment to education locally, statewide and/or nationally.

The *Frederica Hollister Professional Educators Award* was established in 1988 from a bequest of Past NYSO President Frederica Hollister. She was a member of the *Beta Rho* Chapter. Along with honoring the recipient of this award, it also honors the memory of Frederica Hollister's exceptional contributions to education and women educators.

All sections of the completed application must be submitted by no later than February 15 to be considered. The nominator must include her **letters of support and all requested documentation.**

For further information, please contact the Chair Amy Zimmerman at azimmerman@mwcsd.org.

Goals of the Board of Trustees

- 1. To encourage members to nominate a deserving woman for the Frederica Hollister Professional Educators Award through Chapter Presidents, Area Council Chairs, *Pi Lights* and the NYSO DKG website
- 2. To review applications and select recipient(s) of the Award
- 3. To present the Award to the recipient(s) at a NYSO Spring Meeting, Convention or Area Conference as guest(s) of NYSO DKG
- 4. To publicize the recipient(s) in *Pi Lights* and on the State website as well as in the recipient(s)' local area(s)
- 5. Investigate, review and make recommendations if needed to application criteria and requirements as listed in BYLAWS & Standing Rules for the 2025 Convention