











Dear Friend,

Greetings!

I hope you are doing well.

This month, I would like to introduce you to three women who have been making amazing strides within their communities by taking on leadership roles—and each one is a recognized Zonta awardee. These women have taken a path very similar to mine, experiencing the joy, friendships and benefits that being associated with Zonta brings after being offered an incredible opportunity through one of Zonta's education programs. Their stories serve as a great reminder of what your efforts and donations support.

Coming up, I am looking forward to two exciting campaigns. First, our Every Member Every November fundraising drive, which will celebrate our Zonta birthday as well as bring about some friendly competition between districts while helping us meet our goals. And another initiative that is a passion of every Zontian and club: saying NO to violence against women. I cannot wait to see what we will accomplish when we work together this month.

As I close, I am proud to announce that we have changed the name of our Foundation (see the <u>press release</u>). As an organization that stands for women's rights, the name Zonta Foundation for Women leaves no doubt about what we do and I am excited to see our work become more visible to the world.

Thank you for all the work you do for our organization and for women worldwide.

With warm regards,

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Sharon Langenbeck, Ph.D.

President



Women in leadership—networking, mentoring and the Zonta connection







Ella Sciamma O'Brien, Johanna Lampinen and Katharina Miller

On the surface, the Zonta International fellowships, scholarships and awards do the obvious—give funds to women to help them pursue their goals of entering and continuing on to success in typically male-dominated fields. But there are deeper impacts and long-term effects of these awards that make them, and their recipients, truly remarkable. These programs inspire the recipients to meet and develop networks with other women and girls in and beyond their career fields, empowering them and inspiring them to become leaders in their communities.

Three past recipients who now sit on Zonta fellowship, scholarship and award committees have shared their thoughts on how this connection to Zonta has changed their lives beyond the initial award, encouraging leadership and continued mentorship.

Read about these women by clicking the button below.

**Read more** 

Support Zonta initiatives to give women better opportunities to advance in their education, careers and lifelong leadership with a donation to the Zonta Foundation for Women.



Zonta International Foundation has announced a change of name to the Zonta Foundation for Women to elevate visibility and better align the foundation's name with its globally recognized mission and commitment to women and girls worldwide.

Read more about the announcement below:

## Zonta Foundation for Women



Join us as we celebrate 101 years of Zonta heritage and pledge to support the Zonta International projects and programs.

Learn more about the Every Member Every November District Challenge by clicking the button below.

## **Every Member Every November**



The Zonta Says NO to Violence Against Women campaign raises awareness of women's rights violations and unites Zonta clubs worldwide in conducting impactful advocacy actions to fight violence against women and girls.

## **Zonta Says NO Campaign**

Follow our campaign 25 November - 10 December











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