

# Members of Hall of Fame of Delaware Women

## 1981 - 2016

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### ABC

Kim Allen  
Roxana Cannon Arsht (1915-2003)  
Martha G. Bachman (1924-1998)  
Myrna L. Bair  
Helen S. Balick  
Sister Ascension Banegas  
Darlene Battle  
Joy Ann Bartell  
Elizabeth Empson Battell (d)  
Grace Ruth Batten  
Renee Palmore Beaman  
Grace Pierce Beck (1926-2008)  
Sandra L. Ben  
Sujata Kumari Bhatia  
Neda P. Biggs  
Emily P. Bissell (1861-1948)  
Patricia A. Blevins  
Cynthia M. Boehmer  
Julie K. Boozer  
M. Jane Brady  
Madaline Elliot Buchanan (1908-1995)  
Carolyn S. Burger  
Evelyn P. Burkle (1927-2015)  
Marguerite Hill Burnett (1885-1966)  
Eleanor L. Cain  
Annie Jump Cannon (1863-1941)  
Claire La Mar Carey  
Mary Ann Shadd Cary (1823-1893)  
Mae Riedy Carter  
Sister Jeanne Cashman  
Imogene F. Chandler  
Linda L. Chick  
Uma Chowdhry  
Beatrice Bebe Coker  
Alice Marie Smith Coleman  
Louise T. Conner (1918-1983)  
Nancy W. Cook  
Vicky Cooke

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### DE

Pearl Herlihy Daniels (1910-1994)  
Hilda Davis (1905-2001)  
Vera Gilbride Davis (1894-1974)  
Anna Janney De Armond (1910-2008)  
Susan C. Del Pesco  
Theresa L.I. del Tufo  
Lozelle Jenkins DeLuz  
Catherine Devaney McKay

Audrey K. Doberstein  
Felicia A. Dorman  
Pauline Dyson (1891-1970)  
Jeanette Eckman (1882-1972)  
Micki Edelsohn  
Katherine L. Esterly (1925-2014)

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### FGH

Esther Schauer Frear (1909-2000)  
Sherry L. Freebery  
Lynne S. Frink (1946-1998)  
Sister Ann Marguerite Gildea (1919-2005)  
Muriel E. Gilman (1923-2011)  
Sallie Topkis Ginns (1880-1976)  
Genevieve W. Gore (1913-2005)  
Patricia W. Griffin  
Teresa Haman  
Norma B. Handloff (1913-2002)  
Margaret I. Handy (1889-1977)  
Marian Harris  
Kathryn Young Hazeur (1923-2011)  
Sally V. Hawkins  
Margaret Rose Henry  
Barbara Chase Herr  
Florence Bayard Hilles (1865-1954)  
Carol E. Hoffecker  
Gloria Wernicki Homer

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### IJKL

Henrietta R. Johnson (1914-1994)  
Moonyeen L. Klopfenstein  
Sally J. Knox (1925-1995)  
Rita M. Landgraf  
Stephanie Louise Kwolek (2014)  
Lucile Petry Leone (1902-1999)  
Ruth Mitchell Laws (1912-2010)  
Gertrude M. Lowell (1901-1994)  
Lolita A. Lopez

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### MN

Patricia Maichle  
Margaret R. Manning (1918 – 2015)  
Jane P. Maroney  
Mary Askew Mather (1861-1925)  
Christine Margaret McDermott (1947-07)  
Ruth Ann Minner  
Jane E. Mitchell (1921-2004)  
Jane T. Mitchell  
Wilma Mishoe  
Emily G. Morris (1934-2001)  
Elizabeth Neal  
Edith Jackson Newton (1905-1996)  
Annie Norman  
Jeanne D. Nutter

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### OPQR

Ruth Oates-Graham  
Renee G. O'Leary  
Karen E. Peterson  
Chandra G. Pitts  
Jacquelin Pitts  
Patricia H. Purcell  
Vivian Rapposelli  
Betsy Rawls  
Mabel L. Fisher Ridgely (1872-1962)  
Winifred J. Robinson (1868-1962)  
Jane Richards Roth  
Elizabeth H. Ryan (1919 – 2014)

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### S

Nancy Churchman Sawin (1919-2008)  
Beatrice "Bea" Simonds (1914-2006)  
Sonia Schorr Sloan  
Harriet N. Smith Windsor  
Ileana M. Smith  
Ada Leigh Soles (1937-2010)  
Liane McDowell Sorenson  
Cecile Long Steele (1900-1940)  
Beverly Louise Stewart  
Mary Ann Sorden Stuart (1828-1893)  
Evelyn Dickenson Swensson

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### T UV

Shirley M. Tarrant (1935-2003)  
Frances D. Swift Tatnall (1874-1966)  
Mary Jornlin Theisen (1927-2007)  
Helen R. Thomas  
Carol A. Timmons  
Judith Gedney Tobin  
Mae D.H. Vandamm  
Mabel Vernon (1884-1975)  
Edith P. Vincent

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### WXYZ

Loretta F. Walsh  
Mary Sam Ward (1911-2000)  
Emalea Pusey Warner (1853-1948)  
Frances M. West  
Valerie Whiting  
H. Ruth Williams (1915-1999)  
Lynn W. Williams  
Jamie L. Wolfe  
Valerie A. Woodruff  
Latricia Odette Wright  
Mary Ann Wright (1920-2006)  
Pauline A. Young (1900-1991)



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The Delaware Commission for Women (DCW) is Delaware's lead government advocate for women. The issue priorities are: Women's Health, Civil Rights, Economic Empowerment, Recognition & Celebration, Violence Prevention and Work & Family.