



Join us for a NIGHT OF CELEBRATION!



TEACH 9TH ANNUAL BENEFIT GALA

SATURDAY, MAY 4, 2019

Grand Oaks Pavilion, Hyatt Lodge
at McDonald's Campus
2815 Jorie Boulevard, Oak Brook
6:00 p.m. Cocktails & Tastes of the World
7:00 p.m. Entertainment and Awards Program

\$125 per person/Tutors \$75 per person
Business Casual Attire
Free Parking / Valet Parking Available

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MEET OUR 2019 TEACH CULTURAL UNITY AWARD HONOREES:

LOURDES DUARTE



Lourdes Duarte is co-anchor of WGN Evening News at 4pm and a top investigative reporter. She also hosts "Adelante Chicago" on WGN. Lourdes is a four-time Emmy Award winner, and received an Emmy nomination for a story on deportation. Lourdes and a WGN photographer were aboard the

plane that transported undocumented immigrants to their home country.

In 2009, she was picked as one of DePaul University's 14 Under 40 and is on the Dean's Advisory Board for the College of Communication. In 2019, Lourdes received the Distinguished Alumna Award from DePaul University's Center for Journalism Integrity & Excellence for work that embodies the highest principles of journalism, including truth, accuracy, fairness and context.

Lourdes came to the U.S. at the age of 10 without knowing English, and has now become a respected journalist in both the English-speaking and Spanish-speaking communities.

CELINE AND DON WOZNICA AND CHILDREN



Celine and Don Woznica and their children have dedicated their lives to serving immigrants, refugees and under-resourced communities both

nationally and internationally. Their contributions to the spirit of cultural unity and equity include missionary work in Mexico, Central and South America, and Africa, providing healthcare and health promotion to vulnerable populations in diverse settings from refugee camps to the neighborhoods of Chicago.

They have personally hosted foreign students from numerous countries. As hosts, the Woznicas have actively fostered building cultural bridges and understanding, not only between the U.S. and students' home cultures, but among students from different cultures as well.

Join us for our next Professional Development Workshop!

Community Sharing Workshop

Bring your best teaching and learning ideas. We're going to share what works for our students and learn from each other!

Monday, May 6, 2019 9:30-11:30 a.m.

Woodridge Park District
8201 Janes Avenue, Woodridge, IL 60517
Please RSVP to Judy, Susana, or Cathy



Agenda

- 9:30-10:00 Refreshments and Social Time
- 10:00-11:00 Professional Development: Community Sharing
- 11:00-11:30 Wrap-up and questions



Save the Date!

Mark your calendar for our End of Year Celebration on Saturday, June 8 at St. Barbara's in Brookfield. Everyone is invited! We'll be recognizing those students who achieved their U.S. Citizenship this school year. More specific details coming soon!

**If your student has achieved their U.S. Citizenship this year, please let your Program Manager know!*