



## OSSTF/FEESO Status of Women Award

To: District/Bargaining Unit Presidents  
Status of Women Officers

From: Ken Coran, President

### For Action

The Status of Women Award is presented annually to an OSSTF/FEESO member in recognition of activism and leadership in building awareness and advocating for women's economic and equality issues. This includes work within OSSTF/FEESO itself, but may also involve efforts in education, women's movement, labour and/or the local, national and international community.

### Guidelines for Nominations

The following are some areas to consider when nominating an OSSTF/FEESO member for the Status of Women Award:

- Involvement in projects to support gender equity and safety
- Development of programs that have a positive impact on the lives of female students
- Initiatives to enhance women's involvement, activism and opportunities for leadership
- Political action and advocacy to protect and enhance equality for women.

The member's works may be directed within OSSTF/FEESO itself, but may also include efforts within education, labour or women's movement, and/or the local, national or international community.

### Who can be Nominated?

Any member of OSSTF/FEESO may be nominated by another member. A nomination must receive District and/or Bargaining Unit support to be considered.

### Letter of Nomination

The nominator shall complete the nomination form, including supporting information. Completed forms may be submitted electronically using the online Nomination Form, or printed from the link and sent to Suzette Clark, OSSTF/FEESO, 60 Mobile Drive, Toronto, Ontario M4A 2P3 or faxed to 416.751.7079 by **January 31, 2012**.

Information on the OSSTF/FEESO Status of Women Award, as well as the nomination form is available on the OSSTF/FEESO website. Completed nomination forms will be reviewed by the Nomination Committee of the Provincial Status of Women Committee. The Nomination Committee will consist of the Chairperson and two other members of the Provincial Status of Women Committee to be selected annually.

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