

NonProfitConnect ImpactAwards 2024

November 7, 2024

Mercer Oaks Country Club 725 Village Road West West Windsor Township, NJ



OUR MISSION

NonProfitConnect enhances the impact of greater Mercer County nonprofits by building an increasingly diverse, skilled, and engaged group of board and staff leaders. Through strengthening governance practices and leadership capacity, we help nonprofits maximize the impact of their programming for the communities they serve.

To accomplish our mission, we offer programs designed to:

Provide training and resources for nonprofit boards and executive leadership.

Create opportunities to network, explore current issues, and make connections between leaders.

Support current Executive Directors and prepare the next generation of executive leaders for nonprofits in our region.

Recruit future Board leaders and provide mentorship to facilitate successful board service.



Proceeds to benefit NonprofitConnect, a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization.



6:30 - 6:45 PM WELCOME

Chinsu Shajan, Co-Chair, 2023 Impact Awards Traslyn Butler, Chair, NonProfitConnect Board Allison Howe, Executive Director, NonProfitConnect

6:45 - 7:10 PM SPECIAL PERFORMANCE

Stretto Youth Orchestra
Introduction by Sherri Anderson

7:10 - 7:25 PM AWARDS PRESENTATION

Irenton Health Jeam
Community Impact Award

Brenda Ross-Dulan
Liz Erickson Impact Award

7:30 PM THANK YOU, CLOSING
Dana O'Donnell, Co-Chair, 2023 Impact Awards







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Irenton Health Jean

Community Impact Award





Trenton Health Team (THT) is dedicated to improving the well-being of greater Trenton by partnering with the community to expand access to healthcare and addressing community conditions, like housing quality, food security, neighborhood safety, education and social inequities, that are strongly linked to poor health outcomes.

Trenton Health Team plays a vital connecting role between the Trenton area community and large healthcare and social services systems. Our team of Community Health Workers directly serves members of the community, connecting individuals with the services they need and helping them advocate for themselves. Other program staff partner with dozens of community organizations through stakeholder groups to understand where individuals' needs are not being met, and what interventions are most needed to achieve positive health outcomes.

In turn, THT works closely with State agencies and medical providers, supplying them with the data analysis and insights needed to fill gaps, pilot new interventions and make long term system changes. This work encompasses our role as one of New Jersey's four State-designated Regional Health Hubs (RHH), charged with improving Medicaid's services to its members.





Brenda Ross-Dulan is the Founder and Managing Principal of The Ross-Dulan Group, a boutique, diverse, woman-owned strategy consulting firm designed to transform companies by transforming decision-makers. She leverages more than 25 years of experience in the financial services industry to help CEOs and executives across the US solve their toughest business challenges.

Prior to launching her consulting practice, Ms. Ross-Dulan was selected to lead the M&A integration of the Southern New Jersey Region of Wachovia and Wells Fargo – noted as the largest merger in the banking industry. Her financial services experience includes corporate banking, construction financing for commercial real estate developers, and community development and investment.

Driven by her personal mission to continue to make a difference in the lives of others, she leveraged her background in banking and community reinvestment to establish the RD Capital Partners. The firm seeks to demonstrate that investments in underserved markets can be both transformative and profitable for local stakeholders and investors. Ms. Ross-Dulan has extensive experience in non-profit board governance on both the east and west coasts. She became the first African American female to lead a majority chamber in the State of New Jersey, when she was installed as the Chair of the Board of the Princeton Regional Chamber of Commerce in January 2020. She led the board through the unprecedented pandemic and economic shutdown. During that time, she served on Governor Phil Murphy's Advisory Council for the Restart and Recovery of the state of New Jersey. Her board service includes a wide array of organizations--College Achieve Charter Schools and Young Audiences, NJTV, Greater Trenton Initiative and Coopers Ferry Community Development Association. She is a proud member of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc. and an advisor to the New Jersey Black Women's Collective. In October 2023, she was elected to the board of directors of the New Jersey Chapter of the National Assocation of Corporate Directors.

She has been ranked as one of the nation's most powerful women in corporate America by Black Enterprise Magazine and has received dozens of accolades as a leading executive.

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-Sandra Toussaint, President & CEO, United Way of Greater Mercer County, N.J.







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Jessica Moore

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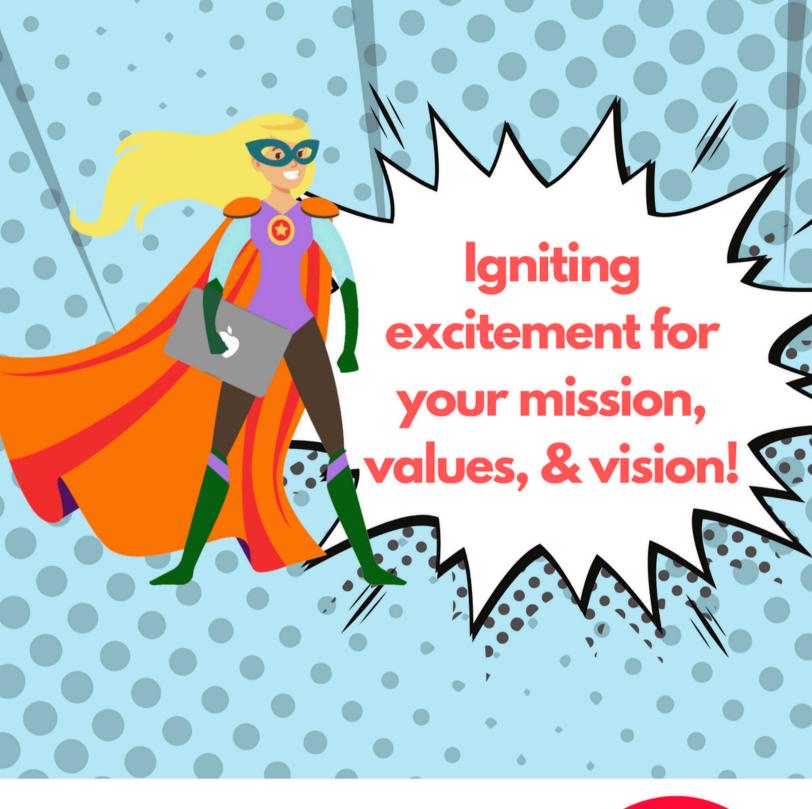






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Liz Erickson Impact award

2023 Carol Golden
2022 Calvin B. Thomas, Jr.
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2023 Your Part-Time Controller
2022 New Jersey Center for Nonprofits
2021 Pro Bono Partnership
2020 The Smith Family Foundation
2019 NEXT GEN Board, YWCA Princeton
2018 Kidsbridge

2017 Princeton-Blairstown Center
2016 Interfaith Caregivers
of Mercer County
2015 Habitat for Humanity
of Trenton
2014 Boys & Girls Club
of Mercer County
2013 Princeton Area

Community Foundation

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2023 Grounds For Sculpture
2022 Bryn Mawr Trust
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2020 NJM Insurance Group
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2013 Janssen Pharmaceuticals





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Impact Award Honoree





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Congratulations to all of the 2024 Impact Awardees on their incredible accomplishments and service to their communities!





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