

### Residence Life DIVISION OF STUDENT AFFAIRS

# Women's Resource Center

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This month's issue of the Res Life Sustainability Newsletter focuses on the Women's Resource Center (WRC). The WRC offers a wide array of programs and presentations that students, faculty, and staff can request or attend to learn more about issues that women face.

#### WRC Programs

#### **Elect Her: Aggie Women Win**

A one day training where college women work to gain campaign skills, listen to speakers, and discuss women in government. This prepares Aggie women to run for student government or future political office.

#### 1<sup>st</sup> Thursday

The WRC has partnered with the Aggie Women Network to present 1<sup>st</sup> Thursdays. Each month students gather with professionals to discuss a variety of topics.

#### **International Women's Day Conference**

Conference during Women's History Month (March).

#### Salary Negotiation Workshops

These workshops are held throughout the school year. They focus preparing women to enter the workforce with the ability to negotiate for fair salaries. These workshops are 2.5 hours long.

#### Women's History Month

March is designated as Women's History Month. The WRC and their partners host multiple events during this month and creates an annual calendar which lists the presentations and programs celebrating women that are happening that month.

#### Women's Progress Awards

Since 1994, these awards are given to students, faculty, staff, and administrators "who encourage and promote sensitivity to and awareness of issues" relating to women.

#### In Her Own Words

A women-focused book club open to all majors and genders that examines women's issues through new books each semester.

#### **Events in November\*:**

11/14 and 11/15 – The 12th Can Open from 10:00 am – 4:30  $\rm pm$ 

11/17 – Cultural Explorations: Sacred Springs Powwow & the Blanton Museum of Art in Austin

\*Specifics & additional events at <u>https://reslife.tamu.edu/living/sustainability</u>

**Mission:** The Women's Resource Center (WRC) strives to enhance the campus climate for women through visibility, advocacy, support and programming.



#### Presentations\*

I am Beautiful: This presentation focuses on how various factors like the media and peers influence perceptions of beauty. It also explores how these perceptions change over time and between cultures. Requests must be made a minimum of 2 weeks in advance.

**Custom Presentations:** You can request custom presentations by the WRC. Requests must be filled out at least 4 weeks in advance to allow the Center to research and develop a presentation.

\*Presentations must have at least 15 people attending.

## INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S DAY

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