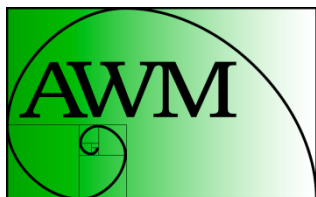


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AWM Honors Jacqueline Dewar with Hay Award for Contributions to Mathematics Education

The Association for Women the 29th Annual Louise Hay of Loyola Marymount (LMU) in recognition of her professor, a leader in the scholarship of teaching peers and students praise her scholar.

With a PhD in mathematics, years. She advocated for biomathematics program, computer literacy, the history and mathematics in civic continues past graduation: in career that moved from grants management, then to doctoral study and a post-secondary faculty position.



in Mathematics will present Award to Jacqueline Dewar University in Los Angeles many achievements as a outreach, and a contributor to and learning (SoTL). Her as a teacher, mentor, and

Dewar served LMU for 40 active learning, initiated a and developed courses in of women in mathematics, engagement. Her mentoring one notable case she guided a classroom teaching into

Dewar shares her expertise in mathematics and teaching with students and teachers widely. In 1978 she was a co-founder of the Math Science Interchange in Los Angeles, which still provides an annual career day, “Expanding Your Horizons-LA,” for K-12 students and teachers. Thousands of girls and their teachers have attended these events. Dewar still leads workshops and trains other leaders. She was a major contributor to an NSF-funded collaboration among five four-year colleges and five community colleges to enhance preparation of mathematics and science teachers. This project’s initiatives persist and have been replicated.

Dewar received the LMU President’s Award for distinguished teaching and the Mathematical Association of America’s Haimo Award. One indicator, among many, of scholarly leadership is her selection as co-editor of *Mathematics Education: A Spectrum of Work in Mathematical Sciences Departments*, published by Springer in 2016.

Established in 1991, the Hay Award recognizes outstanding achievements in any area of mathematics education. Louise Hay was widely recognized for her contributions to mathematical logic, for her strong leadership as Head of the Department of Mathematics, Statistics, and Computer Science at the University of Illinois at Chicago, for her devotion to students, and for her lifelong commitment to nurturing the talent of young women and men. The annual presentation of this award is intended to highlight the importance of mathematics education and to evoke the memory of all that Hay exemplified as a teacher, scholar, administrator, and human being.

The 2018 Joint Mathematics Meetings will be held January 16-19 in Baltimore, MD. For further information on the Hay Award, including past winners, please visit www.awm-math.org.

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