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# **PROGRAM**

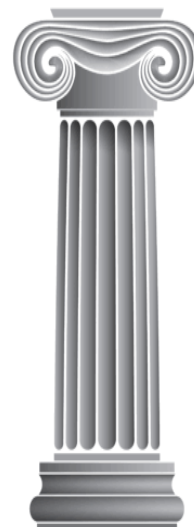
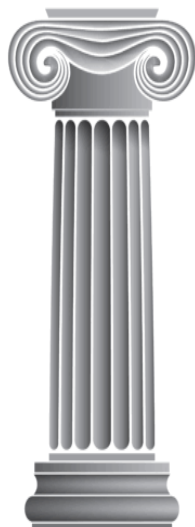
## ***15<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL GLOBAL GODDESS ARTEMIS AWARDS CEREMONY AND RECEPTION***

**WASHINGTON DC**

**OCTOBER 27th, 2011**

**THE RAYBURN HOUSE CONGRESS BUILDING**

*'The secret of happiness is freedom.  
The secret of freedom is courage.'  
- Thucydides-*





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EAWC venerates women and men leaders from around the globe for their distinguished achievements with EAWC's renowned "Artemis Awards." The Award Ceremony pays tribute to individuals from the fields of business, politics, medicine, sports, academia, science, arts and culture whose achievements have decisively contributed to the growth and advancement of societies on a national and international scale. They personify the highest business principles, including fair competition, teamwork and cooperation, which set the example for others to follow and help pave the way for future generations of leaders

### **Wednesday, October 26<sup>th</sup>, 2011**

A pre –post celebratory reception hosted by the Hon.US Congress woman Carolyn B. Maloney at her residence ( 206 D Street SE, Washington, DC 20003).Time 6pm - 8pm.

### **Thursday, October 27<sup>th</sup>, 2011**

**12-30 pm – 3 pm**, Special Tour at the US Capitol

**16.00 pm – 6.30 pm, Goddess Artemis Awards Ceremony**

"We know the world is a wonderful place And the finest of all is the human race."  
- *Sophocles* –

- **National Anthems of the USA and Greece**

**Mistress of Ceremony:** Connie Lawn, Author/Senior White House Correspondent

"The struggles of women reporters"

**Co – Mistress :**

**Edie Fraser**, Senior Consultant, Diversified Search

- **Official opening by :**

**Carolyn B. Maloney**, Honorable US Congresswoman, New York

(Introduction by: Connie Lawn)



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**Mellane Verveer**, Honorable US Ambassador at Large

"Global Women's Issues"

(Introduction by: Carolyn B.Maloney, Honorable US Congresswoman, New York)

▪ ***Special opening remarks by:***

**Dr Palitha T.B Kohona**, Ambassador, Permanent Representative of Sri Lanka  
to the United Nations

(Introduction by: Carolyn B.Maloney, Honorable US Congresswoman)

**Loula Loi Alafoyiannis**, President, Founder Euro-American Women's Council

(Introduction by: Edie Fraser)

▪ **Congratulatory Letter by H.R.H Crown Princess Katherine of Serbia**

(Read by Honorable US Congresswoman Carolyn B. Maloney)

***Special remarks by the Host Committee:***

**Rodney P.Hunt** President/CEO - RPH Enterprise International, Owner/Founder RSIS Inc.  
'Hunt for hope and Humanity'

**Judy Kay Sheppard** President /CEO, Professional Services of America Inc.

**Edie Fraser**, Senior Consultant Diversified Search

**Svetlana Lana Kim**, Speaker/Author/Spokesperson for Macy's Asia Pacific Heritage Month

**Daisy Gallagher**, CEO Gallagher & Gallagher LLP

**Michael Stougiannos**, CEO, 3Doo Inc

**Marq Ruffino Anderson**, Honorable UN Goodwill Ambassador

**Paul Kotrotsios**, Founder & Publisher, Hellenic News of America , Founder & President,  
Hermes Expo Int'l

**Exsekias Trivoulidis**, Sculptor, Creator of Goddess Artemis award

**Vicky Tzolis**, Vice President EAWC / Entrepreneur



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## **Award Recipients**

*A special award goes to:*

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**Mellane Verveer**, Honorable US Ambassador at Large  
"Global Women's Issues"

**Dr Palitha T.B Kohona** , Ambassador, Permanent Representative of Sri Lanka to  
the United Nations  
"Women's organizations in Sri Lanka "

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**Judy Kay Sheppard**, President /CEO, Professional Services of America Inc.

**Giannis Voglis**, Actor, Greece

## **Honorees**

**Anna Giannopoulos**, Entrepreneur / President of Young leaders EAWC, Canada

**Susan Horsfall**, Director of Government Relations/Principal, Aegis Atlantic Holding LLC

**Mary Luiz Hallaway Hunt**, Entrepreneur Women's Advocate

**Ling Hong**, President Beijing Aoweiyu Advertising Limited, China

**Eleftheria – Zembou Prinou**, President MediPrinou Enterprises, Greece



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## Posthumous Awards

Special tribute:

**Miriam Marilyn – Kordvani  
Matina Kastana**



*Για την μητέρα : Εξόδιο σε ανοιξιότικο πρωί*

*(Μια ευγνωμοσύνη αισθάνομαι μεγάλη και ευχαριστώ εσένα και τη ζωή γιατί η μια μου χάρισε την άλλη)*

*Poem dedicated to mothers by Dimitris Kastanas, CEO, National Greek Television ,  
Editor "Eseis" Magazine.*

*Presenter : Giannis Voglis*

## Young Generations agenda and the Leadership Awards

*"The duty of the new generation is to move forward and sur pass its predecessors"*

Yanna Darilis – Executive Producer/Host

**Opening remark by:**

Svetlana Lana Kim, Daisy Gallagher, Honorable UN Goodwill Ambassador Marq Ruffino  
Anderson

**Maria Tzina – Leria**, Public Relations Advisor, 3Doo Inc., Greece

(Introduction by: Daisy Gallagher)

**Zong Zang**, Assistant President, Sooner Digital Network Technology Co., USA

(Introduction by: Anna Giannopoulos)

**Qing Xi Meng** Shareholder, Sooner Digital Network Technology Co., USA

(Introduction by: Aphrodite Kotrotsios)

**Closing remarks by:** Loula Loi Alafoyiannis

## **Reception**

**Farewell dinner** for the honorees and participants at the "Hunt Estate" offered by Rodney P. Hunt. (Address: "Hunt Estate" 201 Chain Bridge Mac' Lean, Virginia 22101) or reception at the Greek Embassy to honour the Greek National Holiday or 28 October



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**Friday, October 28<sup>th</sup>, 2011**

Before departing to NY, or to each one destination a tour will be organized and visit the most prominent Washington monuments

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### **Awards presenters**

Carolyn B. Maloney - Connie Lawn - Edie Fraser - Rodney P.Hunt - Judy Kay Sheppard - Dr Palitha T.B Kohona - Michael Stougiannos - Paul Kotrotsios - Ioanna Miranta - Anna Giannopoulos - Svetlana Lana Kim - Taihe Kong

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### **Special attention: Attire**

- Wednesday, October 26th 2011: Pre-post celebratory reception (Business Afternoon Suit)
  - Thursday, October 27th, 2011: Artemis Awards Ceremony (Elegant suit or dress for women and evening suit with a tie for men)
  - Friday, October 28th, 2011: Visit to the Washington Monument (Casual)
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**Special thanks to all Honorees and Participants  
for joining us this year, and looking forward to joining  
us in 2012 EAWC's events.**





H.R.H. CROWN PRINCESS KATHERINE

14 October 2011

Mrs. Loula Loi Alafoyiannis  
President  
Euro-American Women's Council  
147-37 Beech Ave,  
Suite 4A  
Flushing, NY 11355  
USA

Dear Mrs. Alafoyiannis,

Thank you very much for your kind letter and invitation to receive your highest honour, "The Goddess Artemis Award", at the special Artemis Award Gala in Washington, DC on Thursday, 27<sup>th</sup> October 2011. Sadly I have previously accepted engagements abroad at that time and would be unable to come. I am deeply honored to be considered for this honor and very sorry for not being able to be present at the Award ceremony.

I would like to send my warmest congratulations to all members and supporters of the "Euro-American Women's Council" and thank them for all the hard and noble efforts they are doing to advance women's plight for professional equality and bridge nations and cultures. I admire greatly your Organisation's work for the cause of women and gender equality and wish you much success in future.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Katherine".