

## Young named in 2020 Maryland's Top100 Women

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The Daily Record named Marlene B. Young, president of Delaplaine Foundation Inc. to its 2020 listing of Maryland's Top 100 Women during its 25th anniversary of the award program.

She was selected based upon leadership achievement demonstrated through professional accomplishments, community involvement and mentoring. This is the second time that Young has been named a Maryland Top 100 Woman, having first received the honor in 2015.

In receiving the 2020 Maryland Top Women Award, Young said, "Our work at Delaplaine Foundation embraces opportunities, challenges and inspiration as we focus on the enrichment of communities and quality of life for all. I'm blessed to be in philanthropic work that is in service to others. Particularly as 2020 has been proclaimed the Year of the Woman in Maryland in celebration of the 100th anniversary of women's right to vote in America, I am especially humbled and honored to be selected along with my fellow honorees whose leadership and contributions within their respective professions and communities have served to innovate, inspire and make a positive difference."

"For 25 years The Daily Record has recognized high-achieving women in Maryland who are impacting their communities through leadership, service and mentoring. This year's Maryland's Top 100 Women honorees continue in that tradition, and their tremendous accomplishments distinguish them as outstanding. We are pleased to honor them during this 25th anniversary

year,” said Suzanne Fischer-Huettner, publisher of The Daily Record.

There were 540 nominations submitted for the statewide honor this year. A panel of judges comprised of business professionals and past Maryland's Top 100 Women winners from throughout Maryland reviewed the applications and after holding two rounds of judging, selected this year's honorees based on career history, professional accomplishments, community involvement, service on corporate and nonprofit boards, and mentoring experience. A 25th anniversary gala and awards celebration is scheduled for July 27 at the Renaissance Baltimore Harborplace Hotel.