



2007
4TH ANNUAL

*Nurse of
Distinction
Awards*



1199SEIU
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Message from 1199SEIU United Healthcare Workers East



Welcome to our fourth annual 1199SEIU Nurses of Distinction Recognition Dinner.

We are especially proud to honor our nurses this year for the role they played in New York in helping lead the fight against the governor's mean-spirited and shortsighted Medicaid cuts. Our 1199SEIU RNs showed real courage and steadfastness. As a group, they are Nurses of Distinction.

Later this year, we will join with our SEIU healthcare sisters and brothers across the country to form a new national healthcare union, more than one million strong, including more than 100,000 nurses. The leadership role 1199SEIU nurses have played will serve us well in building the new national union.

No group is better prepared to meet such challenges than our 1199SEIU nurses, with our commitment to quality patient care, continuing education and enhanced professional skills, as we continue to serve as real leaders in frontline care-giving.

We are also grateful for all our Contract Administrators, Delegates, activists and captains for their multiple roles in struggling to maintain the integrity, the compassion and the commitment that are essential in your day-to-day delivery of care; and in raising the consciousness of and involving your colleagues in the labor movement in this ever-changing healthcare environment.

We honor all of you for the work you do every day of the year. This evening's dinner recognizes our RNs' professional excellence and dedication as 1199SEIU members. You all deserve our thanks and best wishes.

Special congratulations to all of our nominees and winners of the 2007 Nurse of Distinction Awards.

Congratulations and Happy Nurses' Week to all of you.

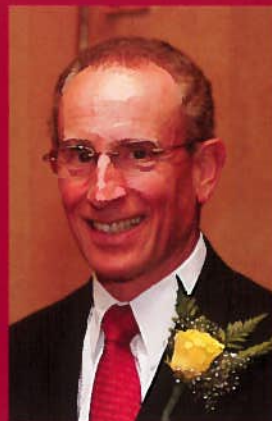
In solidarity,

Dennis Rivera
President

George Gresham
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Executive Vice President

Message from League of Voluntary Homes and Hospitals



The League of Voluntary Hospitals and Homes of NY heartily congratulates all of the nurses being honored tonight at this wonderful event. These recognition awards are important to everyone in the healthcare field, because they acknowledge the powerful impact that quality nursing has on the healthcare industry. It is an enormous privilege to be part of the valuable joint work being created by the League and the Union through the Registered Nurse Funds, and to participate in honoring the contributions that 1199SEIU nurses make—not only to your patients, but also to the high quality of healthcare delivered in your institutions.

Sincerely,

Bruce McIver
President
League of Voluntary Homes and Hospitals

Thomas Helfrich
Senior Vice President and Counsel
League of Voluntary Homes and Hospitals

Message from 1199SEIU Training and Employment Funds



It is a pleasure to welcome all of you to the Fourth Annual Nurse of Distinction Gala Awards Ceremony. This wonderful event provides an opportunity for us to recognize and honor the exceptional work of our 1199SEIU Registered Nurses. Our nurses provide quality patient care amidst the current daily challenges of the healthcare industry.

1199SEIU League Labor Management Initiatives, Inc. supports jointly sponsored programs in our institutions that promote principles of mutual respect and cooperation between nurses and their employers which enhance patient and staff satisfaction.

This awards ceremony highlights the collaboration and partnership between 1199SEIU and our industry. Our joint ventures lead to improved healthcare services to the people of New York.

Congratulations to this year's 66 nominees for their excellence and commitment to quality patient care.

Sincerely,

Debby King
Executive Director
1199SEIU Training and Employment Funds

Clytie Causing
Director
RNTJSF/RNTUF/RNIMI

Masters of Ceremonies



Clare E. Thompson, RN, is Vice President and Area Director of the 1199SEIU League of Registered Nurses Division. A Registered Nurse since 1974, she has also been a Registered Midwife since 1976.

Tonight marks the fourth year that she has co-hosted the annual Nurse of Distinction Awards Dinner. Ms. Thompson has served on the staff of 1199SEIU for the past 18 years as a strong advocate for the nursing profession. To this end, she has pursued the right to dignity, respect, and a better quality of work life for our nurses.

Mrs. Thompson has consistently struggled to obtain fair contracts for our 1199SEIU nurses—contracts that have provided favorable wages, benefits, training opportunities, and also addressed their staffing recruitment and retention needs.

Her concern for enhancing staffing levels remains a focus in all her institutions, and she has worked on numerous Labor/Management collaborative initiatives. Ms. Thompson also serves as a Union trustee for the RN Training and Job Security Fund, the RN Training and Upgrading Fund, the Child Care Fund and the 1199SEIU Health Care Employees Pension Fund.

Ms. Thompson oversees Team A of the 1199SEIU League of Registered Nurses Division, which represents nurses in Brooklyn, Queens, Manhattan, Staten Island and parts of Long Island.

Bob Linn, the president of Linn & Green Consulting, Inc., has worked closely with the League of Voluntary Hospitals and Homes of New York for a number of years. He has assisted Tom Helfrich, Senior Vice President and Counsel to the League, in negotiations with the 1199SEIU Registered Nurses for the last four rounds of collective bargaining. Bob has also participated in all of the RN labor-management projects that 1199SEIU and LVHH have jointly developed, and he firmly believes in the cooperative, interest-based approach that the parties have employed so successfully in their labor-management relations.

Bob has co-hosted the Nurse of Distinction Awards Dinner with Clare Thompson since 2004. He is proud and thrilled to have been invited back with Clare to co-host this spectacular and important dinner honoring New York's best nurses.

The 1199SEIU Nurse of Distinction Program



The Nurse of Distinction award program was established by the collective bargaining agreement between the 1199SEIU RN Division and the League of Voluntary Hospitals and Homes to recognize nurses who have made a difference in their profession. Given the continued nursing shortage, this program addresses the retention of nurses working at the bedside.

A joint committee of appointed 1199SEIU RN and League members oversees the program. The committee develops the criteria for the awards, solicits nominations from institutions and interviews the nominees.

Tonight, we will present five awards that recognize excellence in practice by both Registered Nurses and managers who work in 1199SEIU hospitals and nursing homes. The award categories are:

Nurse of Distinction of the Year
(hospital setting)

Nurse of Distinction of the Year
(nursing home setting)

Nurse Leader of the Year
(hospital setting)

Novice Nurse of the Year
(hospital setting)

Nurse Preceptor of the Year
(hospital setting)

The two Nurse of Distinction awards are peer-nominated categories, while staff RNs from each institution nominated the Nurse Leaders. Tonight, we honor all the nominees as representatives of professional excellence in their institutions.

We would like to thank the members of the 1199SEIU League Nurse of Distinction Committee:

Clytie Causing
Director, RN RNTJSP, RNLM

Laarnie Cordero
Program Specialist, RN Funds

Deb Friedland
St. John's Episcopal Hospital

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Beth Israel-Petrie Division

Bob Linn, Consultant
League of Voluntary Homes and Hospitals

Patricia O'Brien, RN
Beth Israel-Kings Highway Division

Dora Parris, RN
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Clare E. Thompson, RN
Vice President, 1199SEIU RN Division

Marc Wolf
Manager, Human Resources
St. Barnabas Hospital



1199SEIU Training and Employment Funds

The 1199SEIU Training and Employment Funds are a joint effort of 1199SEIU and its contributing employers in hospitals and nursing homes. Our mission is to develop and provide high-quality training and job placement, and to support collaborative efforts of labor and management. Educating our healthcare workers enables them to provide efficient and high-quality care. The Fund's partnership with the Union and employers has led to creative projects that address challenges in the workplace. Through these collaborations, we hope to create a world-class healthcare workforce that provides quality service and patient care.

Our industry's nursing shortage has posed unique challenges. The 1199SEIU Training and Employment Funds established the following Funds to meet the needs of its nurses and the healthcare industry:

Registered Nurse Training and Job Security Fund (RNTJSF)

The 1199SEIU Registered Nurse Training and Job Security Fund was established in 1995 through a collective bargaining agreement between the 1199SEIU RN Division and contributing institutions from both the League of Voluntary Hospitals and Homes and independent employers. Quality nursing is essential to good patient care and patient satisfaction. The high-quality training that is available to our nurses leads to exceptional patient care.

In 2006, 3,800 RNs took advantage of the Fund's training and educational services.

RNs who work for contributing employers can participate in these training opportunities:

- Pre-paid nursing degree programs (BSN, MSN)
- Free computer and language courses
- Academic support
- Continuing Education Reimbursements
- Seminars and specialty courses that are pre-paid by the 1199SEIU RN Division Office of Continuing Education
- Job Security benefits for laid-off RNs

Labor Management Initiatives, Inc. (LMI)

The RN Recruitment and Retention Programs, a project of LMI, develops and administers collaborative labor management initiatives. These programs address recruitment and retention issues that affect RNs and facilitate continuous process improvement projects that enable our healthcare industry to deliver the highest quality care in New York.

In 2006, the RN Oversight Committee encouraged the hospitals to develop programs that addressed RN recruitment and retention challenges in their facilities. Each hospital created a joint labor-management committee that instituted a project to improve both the recruitment and retention of nurses and patient outcomes. These projects began in October, 2006, and have positively affected the nurses' work environment and patient care.

Another LMI project, the Nurse of Distinction Awards Dinner, honors all the nursing professionals working in 1199SEIU RN institutions, from Novice Nurse to Nurse Leader of the Year.

1199SEIU League RNTJSF and RNLMI Staff

Clytie Causing - Director
Fran Iacobellis, RN - Associate Director
Salvie Colina - Program Specialist
Sondra Rosen - Labor Management Consultant
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Teresa Federico - Program Assistant

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The RN Training & Job Security Fund offers several options for eligible RNs. Students have three choices: enroll for courses based on the school's schedule and attend classes on campus, join a cohort exclusively of 1199SEIU RNs off-campus (MSN only), or complete your studies through distance learning. The Fund covers tuition and all school-related fees for eligible members.

Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN)

- **CUNY Lehman College, Bronx**
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Dr. Onida Murray, Academic Advisor, (718) 262-2055
- **CUNY Hunter College, Manhattan**
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Michael Simmonds, (718) 270-6030
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Office of Student Admissions, (718) 270-2446
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Ide Katims, Academic Advisor, (845) 257-2925
- **SUNJ — Rutgers, New Jersey**
Department of Nursing, (973) 353-5293 ext. 630

Other Training:

- Foreign Languages
- Computer Classes
- CEU Reimbursements

Master of Science in Nursing (MSN)

- **CUNY Lehman College, Bronx**
For off-campus program, call Charlene Rubin, (718) 960-8394.
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2006 Nurse of Distinction Winners and Nominees



Christine Morris
Bon Secours Community Hospital
Nurse of Distinction Award in a Hospital Setting, Winner



Kelly Green
St. Barnabas Nursing Home
Nurse of Distinction Award in a Nursing Home Setting, Winner



Romona Smith
North General Hospital
Nurse of Distinction Award in a Hospital Setting, 2nd Runner Up



Regina Stafford
Bon Secours Community Hospital
Co-Nurse Leader of the Year, Winner



Jacqueline Holley
Jamaica Hospital
Co-Nurse Leader of the Year, Winner



Eshmatie Persaud
Jamaica Hospital
Novice Nurse of the Year, Winner



Jorge Artistic
New York Community Hospital
Nurse of Distinction Award in a Hospital Setting, Nominee



Levi Walkes
Shulman Brookdale
Nurse of Distinction Award in a Nursing Home Setting, Nominee



Melissa Anderson
ORMC-Arden Hill Campus
Nurse Preceptor of the Year, Winner



Seema Lal
Victory Memorial Hospital
Nurse of Distinction Award in a Hospital Setting, Nominee



Taradai Lalman
St. Vincent's Midtown Hospital
Novice Nurse of the Year, Nominee



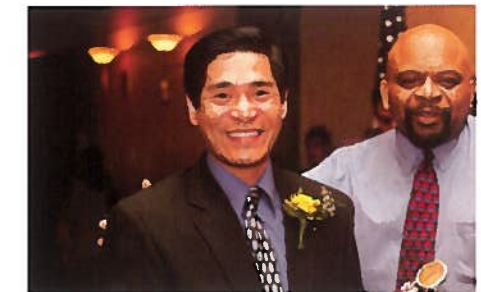
Eileen Dunnion
Hebrew Home for the Aged at Riverdale
Nurse of Distinction Award in a Nursing Home Setting, Nominee



Emily Browne
Beth Israel Kings Highway
Nurse of Distinction Award in a Hospital Setting, Nominee



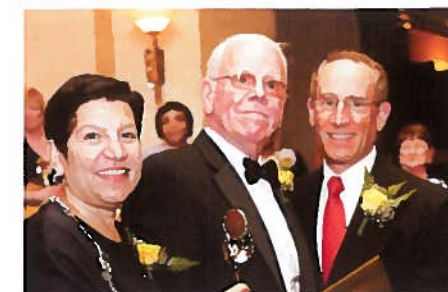
Antonina Shamarina
St. Vincent's Midtown Hospital
Nurse of Distinction Award in a Hospital Setting, Nominee



Chris Leonardo
New York Community Hospital
Preceptor of the Year, Nominee



Kevin Khushal
Mount Sinai Hospital of Queens
Novice Nurse of the Year, Nominee



Joseph Victory-Stewart
St. Vincent's Midtown Hospital
Nurse of Distinction Award in a Hospital Setting, Nominee



Marianna Antasevich
Beth Israel Kings Highway
Nurse of Distinction Award in a Hospital Setting, Nominee

2007 Nurse of Distinction Nominees (Hospital Setting)



Tanya Brown
North General Hospital



Elvin Jay Bustos
St. Vincent's Midtown
Hospital



Karen Clarke
Brookdale University
Hospital

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Jenefer Daley
Jamaica Hospital



Maryann Ey
Bon Secours Hospital



Debra Friedland
St. John's Episcopal
South Shore Hospital



Indra Gharbaran
Mount Sinai Queens
Hospital



Mary Healy
Beth Israel Kings
Highway Hospital



Gracy Jose
Forest Hills Hospital

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Josefina Rodriguez
St. Barnabas Hospital



Lidia Samoilseu
Hospital for Joint Disease



Jim Spears
Good Samaritan Hospital

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Carmelita Vanderbergh
Our Lady of Mercy Hospital



Dolores Whyne
Beth Israel Petrie Hospital

Nurse of Distinction Nominees (Nursing Home Setting)



Allys Ansah-Akorful
Frances Schervier



Yasmine Beausejour
Sephardic Skilled Nursing



Lolita Echevarria
Isabella Nursing Home



Rose Hugget-Green
St. Barnabas Hospital



Winsome Schaeffe
Schulman Institute for
Nursing Brookdale



Kathleen Scholten
St. Joseph's at Bon Secours
Hospital



Judith Tiongson
Hebrew Home Riverdale



Cheryl Waldron
Center for Nursing



Romayne Williams
Morning Side House

Nurse Leader of the Year



Alliea Bailey
Brookdale University
Hospital



Ella Blot
Hospital for Joint Disease



Stephanie Brogdon
Jamaica Hospital



Marie Danier-Charles
Mt. Sinai Queens Hospital



Arlene Falconer-Hill
St. John's Episcopal
South Shore Hospital

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Jesaina Hairston
Beth Israel Petrie Hospital



Beverly Keefer
ORMC-Horton Campus
Hospital



Luzvisminda Lamis
Forest Hills Hospital



Cathy Leota
Beth Israel Kings Highway
Hospital



Agnes Lucero
St. Barnabas Hospital



Myrna Re
St. Vincent's Midtown
Hospital



Dawn Ruggiero
Bon Secours Hospital



Jancy Varghese
Forest Hills Hospital

Novice Nurse of the Year



Ayodeji Atanda
Jamaica Hospital



Lusecita Baez
Forest Hills Hospital



John Paul Bernardo
North General Hospital



Carolyn Blocker
St. John's Episcopal
South Shore Hospital



Bonnie Boyce
Mt. Sinai Queens Hospital



Diana Gorelik
Beth Israel Kings Highway
Hospital



Hiromi Iida
St. Barnabas Hospital



Adriana Longwell
Bon Secours Hospital



Ana Rosales
St. Vincent's Midtown
Hospital



Ronette Shaw
Our Lady of Mercy Hospital



Yulia Sysoyeva
Hospital for Joint Disease



Sonia Williams
Brookdale University
Hospital

Nurse Preceptor of the Year



Viktoriya Akkerman
Beth Israel-Kings Highway
Hospital



Gemma Alleyne
Brookdale University
Hospital



Helen Ayco
Our Lady of Mercy Hospital

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Mary Bernabe
Good Samaritan Hospital



Venus De Guzman
Jamaica Hospital



Maribel Enriquez
St. Vincent's Midtown
Hospital



Jaclyn Gove
Bon Secours Hospital



Beverly Johnson
St. Barnabas Hospital



Maria Theresa Mangalindan
Beth Israel Petrie Hospital



Patricia Nicholson
North General Hospital



Paula Ohlmann
Eastern Long Island
Hospital



Belynda Rios
Mount Sinai Queens
Hospital



Denise Streater
St. John's Episcopal
South Shore Hospital



Joy Thomas
Hospital for Joint Disease



Laurel Weber
ORMC-Horton Hospital

Orange Regional Medical Center
would like to thank our nurses
who provide outstanding care and service
and congratulate those who have been nominated for
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Jennie Lyons, RN

Nurse Leader
Beverly Keeper, RN

Nurse Preceptor
Laurel Weber, RN

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Kings Highway Division: Diana Gorelick

Nurse Preceptor
Kings Highway Division: Viktoria Ackerman
Petrie Division: Maria Theresa Mangalindan

Nurse Leader
Kings Highway Division: Cathy Leota
Petrie Division: Nina Hairston

Nurse of Distinction
Kings Highway Division: Mary Healy
Petrie Division: Delores Whyne

Emma Koralek, V.P. Kings Highway Division
Mary Walsh, V.P. Petrie Division and CNO
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***Our Lady of Mercy Congratulates our
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Ronette Shaw, RN – Novice Nurse of the Year
Carmelita Van Den Bergh, RN – Nurse of Distinction

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**Congratulations to Yasmine Beausejour RN on her nomination
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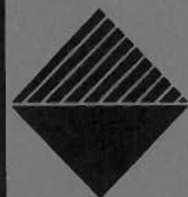
In Recognition of All Nurses

The Registered Nurses
Council of the 1199SEIU
League of Registered Nurses
Division congratulates
the nominees of the
2007 Nurse of Distinction.

Our best wishes to you and
all of our 1199SEIU
nurses for their dedication
to quality healthcare.

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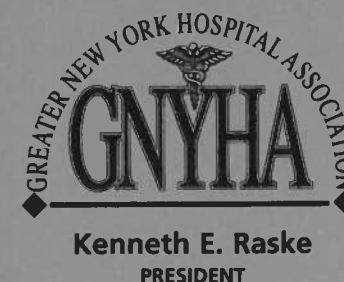
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To Our Honored Nursing

Community....

Congratulations

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Congratulations

To the Nurses of Distinction and all the nurses of 1199SEIU United Healthcare Workers East. Your efforts to set the highest standards for our patients and our profession is an inspiration to us all. As nurses, our unified voice is helping lead the way to a better health care system for everyone.

Best wishes from 85,000 RNs united with you in the Nurse Alliance of SEIU

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Brookdale Hospital Medical Center

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Novice Nurse of the Year

GEMMA ALLEYNE, RN
Nurse Preceptor of the Year

ALTHEA BAILEY, RN
Nurse Manager of the Year



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2007 Nurse of Distinction Nominees



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Nurse Preceptor of the Year
Venus DeGuzman, RN

Novice Nurse of the Year
Ayodeji Atanda, RN

Nurse Leader of the Year
Stephanie Brogdon, RN

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Novice Nurse-Bonnie Boyce, RN
Nurse of Distinction-Indra Gharbaran, RN
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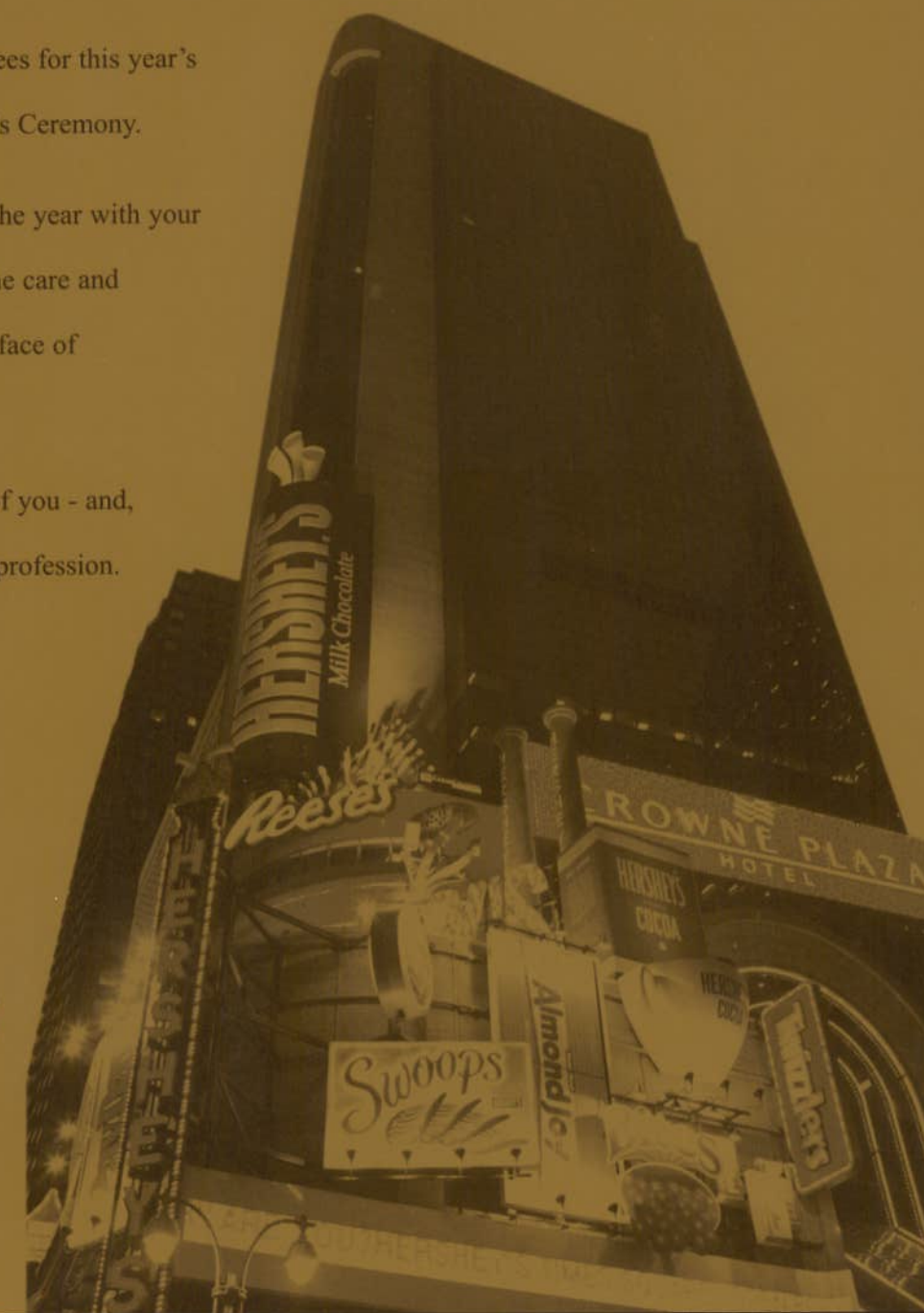
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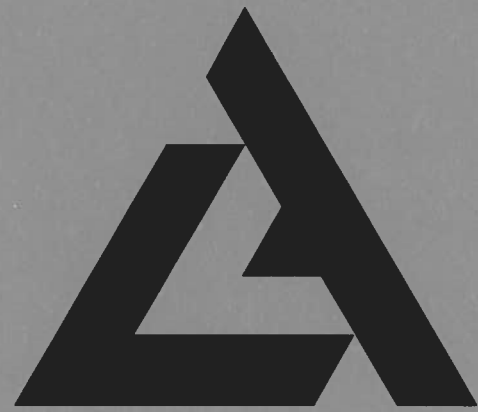
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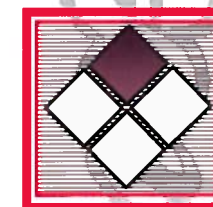
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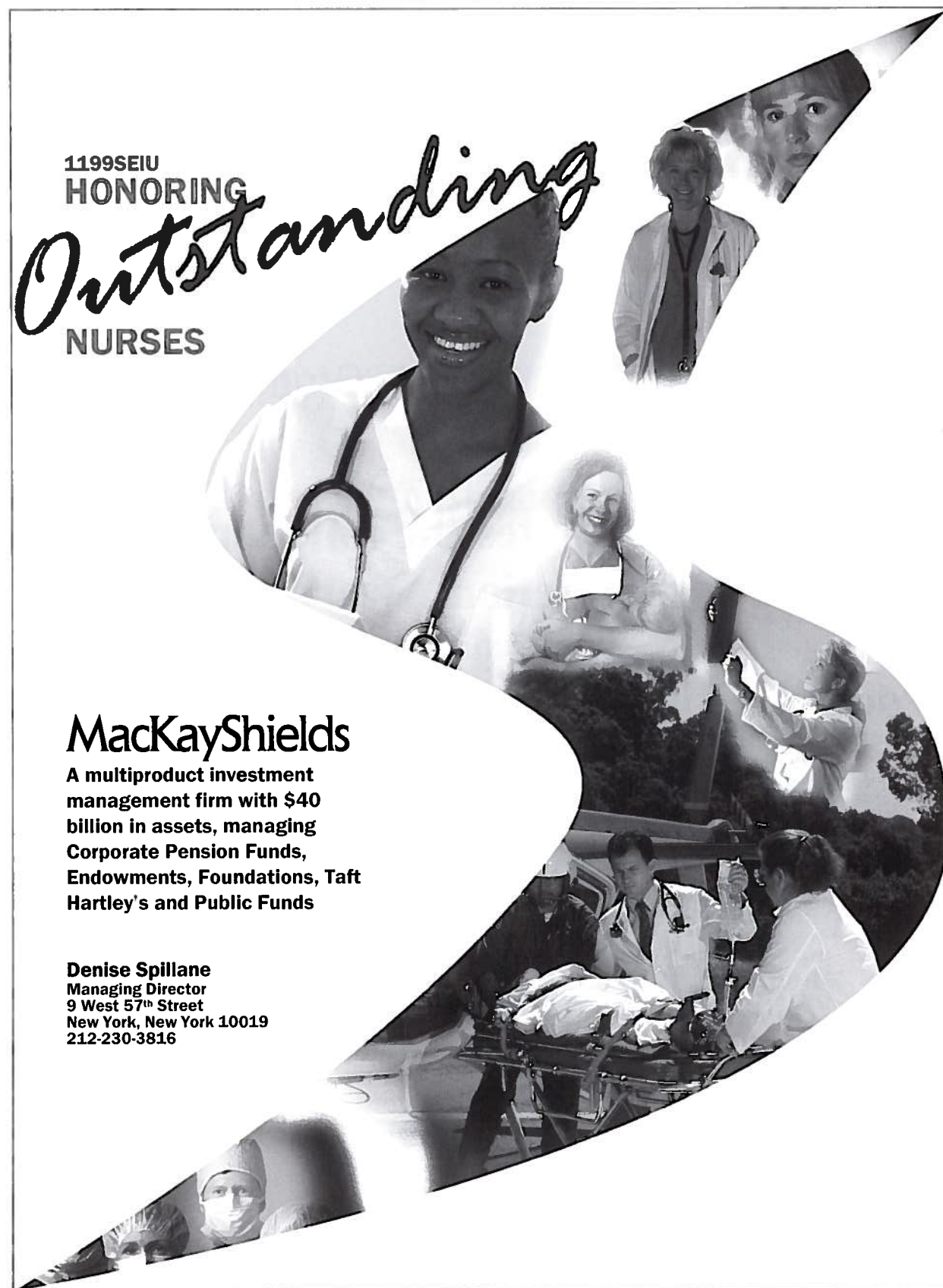
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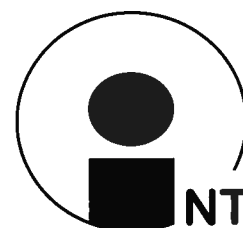
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