Since its inception thirteen years ago, Women & Wine has become one of the premier events for Washington DC’s most influential women business leaders in the fight against breast cancer. The event, which benefits Georgetown Lombardi Comprehensive Cancer Center’s Nina Hyde Center for Breast Cancer Research, is a women’s only dinner featuring a cocktail reception, silent auction and award presentation to recognize outstanding individuals for their fight against breast cancer. The Nina Hyde Center for Breast Cancer Research was established in 1989 by designer Ralph Lauren and the late Washington Post Company president Katherine Graham as a tribute to their friend Nina Hyde. Georgetown Lombardi’s breast cancer program is home to nearly 70 breast cancer researchers and clinicians who study breast cancer exclusively. One of just 48 National Cancer Institute designated comprehensive cancer centers in the nation, Georgetown Lombardi is the only one in the Washington, DC region.

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To see over 600 women and 60 wine dudes come together for such a worthy cause is inspirational, and helps COUNTLESS MOTHERS, SISTERS, AND DAUGHTERS.

- Dr. Louis Weiner, MD
OUR MISSION
To facilitate the advancement of Breast Cancer research that is dedicated to exploring innovation in treatment, technology and patient care. To advocate for progressive measures in prevention and early detection. To continue to raise the standard in devoted patient care for women in every segment of the Washington DC Metropolitan region.

OUR VISION
To embrace a culture devoted to the advancement of Breast Cancer Research and preventative scientific discoveries, with full devotion to excellence in patient care.

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EVENT STATISTICS
more than 50 organizations sponsored W&W in 2017 and raised over $500,000 dollars in one evening

Every $100 raised at W&W has led to an additional $300 in federal funding for breast cancer research

EVENT DEMOGRAPHICS

- 34% Architecture, Construction, Engineering & Furniture
- 30% Real Estate Development & Brokerage
- 23% Accounting, Finance, Banking, Insurance & Legal
- 7% News & Media
- 5% Association
- 2% Other

Active clinical trials CONTRIBUTED BY W & W

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SPIRIT OF LIFE AWARD
SUSAN MILLER 2017 AWARD WINNER

Since 2008, the Spirit of Life Award honors extraordinary women whose courage, optimism, and spirit—throughout their breast cancer treatment at the Nina Hyde Center—has inspired us and everyone they touch.

Their stories of hope and miracle-making treatment is what drives us to stand together and “connect for a cure”.

Truly, they have touched us all with strength, humor, and insight—winning their "battle" through their incredible grace.

PAST HONOREES

Linda Rabbitt, 2008
Susan Sonley, 2009
Elizabeth Shephard, 2010
Jennifer Griffin, 2011
Karin M. Gifuni, 2014

Donna Hopkins, 2015
Claire Madden, 2016
Susan Miller, 2017

Recognition & Appreciation Award
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