



# THE WOMEN OF WSU

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# A NOTE FROM THE DIRECTOR



MY TIME WITH WSU HAS BEEN NOTHING SHORT OF TRANSFORMATIVE. THE EXPERIENCES THAT I HAVE HAD WITHIN THIS AGENCY HAVE CHANGED HOW I VIEW LEADERSHIP, EMPATHY, AND KINDNESS. WSU IS FULL OF LOVING, SUPPORTING, INSPIRING, AND TRANSFORMATIVE WOMEN WHO I HAVE HAD THE PLEASURE OF WORKING AND FORMING CONNECTIONS WITH. STARTING OUT AS A MEMBER MY FRESHMAN YEAR TO NOW BEING THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR MY SENIOR YEAR, I HAVE GROWN ALONGSIDE WSU. IT HAS BEEN SUCH AN HONOR AND A PLEASURE TO LEAD THIS VIBRANT AGENCY AND CONTINUE TO MAKE AN IMPACT ON CAMPUS. I CONTINUOUSLY STRIVE TO PROVIDE A WELCOMING AND SAFE ENVIRONMENT FOR ALL WOMEN ON CAMPUS. IT IS MORE IMPORTANT NOW THAN EVER TO BE THE VOICE FOR THOSE WHO NEED AND STAY STRONG WITHIN OUR SAFE SPACES. WSU HAS BECOME MY HOME AWAY FROM HOME FOR ALL MY YEARS HERE AT FSU, PROVIDING ME WITH A SPACE TO LEARN AND GROW. I LOVE THE WOMEN STUDENT UNION SO MUCH AND AM ETERNALLY GRATEFUL FOR SURROUNDING MYSELF WITH STRONG WOMEN WHO INSPIRE ME DAILY. KEEP CREATING THESE SAFE SPACES, KEEP FIGHTING FOR YOURSELF, KEEP COLLABORATING WITH OTHER STRONG LEADERS, AND MOST OF ALL, KEEP PRIORITIZING YOUR OWN WELL-BEING.

WITH LOVE,  
EVA GALINDO







# A NOTE FROM THE ASSISTANT DIRECTOR



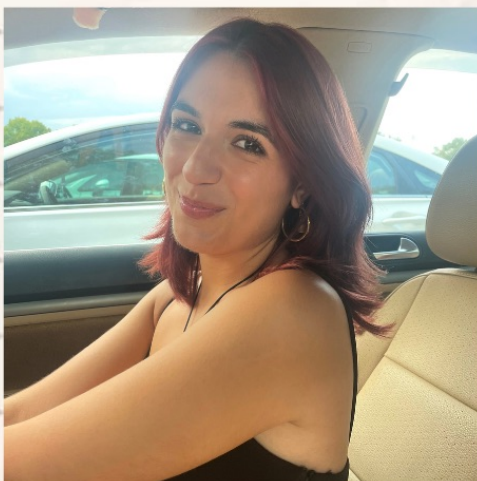
BEING A PART OF THE WOMEN STUDENT UNION, HAS BEEN BOTH THE GREATEST HONOR AND THE BEST PART OF MY EXPERIENCE AT FSU. THIS ORGANIZATION HAS NOT ONLY SHAPED ME INTO A STRONGER LEADER, BUT ALSO DEVELOPED ME INTO A STRONGER, KINDER, AND BETTER HUMAN BEING. MY GOAL WITHIN THE CAPACITY OF THE POSITION, WAS TO ALWAYS KEEP OUR COMMUNITY AND ITS NEEDS AT THE HEART OF WHAT I DO, AND UTILIZE THE MANY STRENGTHS AND RESOURCES OF WSU TO SERVE THEM IN THE BEST WAY POSSIBLE. WOMEN ARE ESSENTIAL TO THE GROWTH OF OUR WORLD, AS WELL AS THE BETTERMENT OF THIS UNIVERSITY IN EVERY POSSIBLE ASPECT. OUR RESILIENCE AND COMMITMENT TO RISING THROUGH ADVERSITY AND REMAINING STEADFAST IN THE PURSUIT OF OUR GOALS, HAS ALWAYS REIGNITED MY PASSION FOR THE WORK WE DO AND WSU'S MISSION. IT IS MY ULTIMATE HOPE THAT WSU REMAINS A LIGHT IN THE LIVES OF OUR STUDENT BODY AND CONTINUOUSLY STRENGTHENS THIS ESSENTIAL AND POWERFUL GROUP OF STUDENTS. AS ASSISTANT DIRECTOR THIS YEAR, I'VE HAD SUCH AN INCREDIBLE PRIVILEGE TO WORK WITH A TRULY LIFE-CHANGING GROUP OF WOMEN ACROSS OUR EXECUTIVE BOARD AND VARIOUS COMMITTEES, WHO NEVER CEASE TO AMAZE ME WITH THEIR ULTIMATE DETERMINATION AND COMMITMENT. I CAN'T SAY ENOUGH ABOUT HOW TRULY THRILLED I AM TO HAVE BEEN THE 2024-25 ASSISTANT DIRECTOR, IN THIS POSITION, I HAVE LEARNED MORE THAN I COULD HAVE EVER IMAGINED, AND AM MUCH BETTER FOR IT. I FEEL HONORED TO HAVE BEEN A SMALL PART OF THIS INCREDIBLE PURPOSE AND WORK TO SEE OUR GOALS THROUGH. DURING WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH, I HOPE YOU HAVE ALL BEEN ABLE TO CONNECT WITH OUR COMMUNITY, CAUSES, EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES, AND MORE. IT IS TRULY A SPECIAL TIME TO HONOR AND HIGHLIGHT THE INCREDIBLE WOMEN AROUND US, AND UPLIFT OUR VOICES TO NEW HEIGHTS, SO I HOPE YOU ENJOYED HONORING AND CELEBRATING "RESILIENCE IN BLOOM" AS MUCH AS I HAVE. THIS JOURNEY WITH WSU IS ONE I WILL NEVER TAKE FOR GRANTED, AND I CAN'T SAY HOW MUCH EVERYONE WHO HAS SUPPORTED ME AND BEEN ALONG FOR THE RIDE WITH ME HAS IMPACTED MY LIFE AND HEART FOREVER! THANK YOU FROM THE BOTTOM OF MY HEART!

SINCERELY,  
JAYLENE MOLINA





# OUR E-BOARD



EVA GALINDO  
DIRECTOR



JAYLENE MOLINA  
ASSISTANT DIRECTOR



# OUR E-BOARD



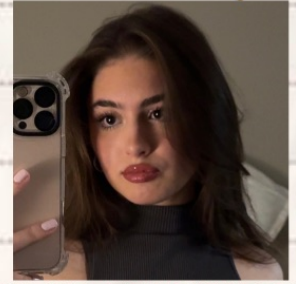
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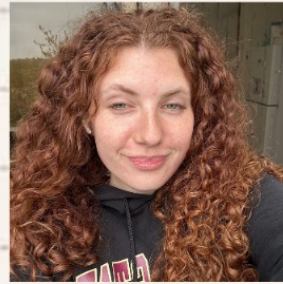
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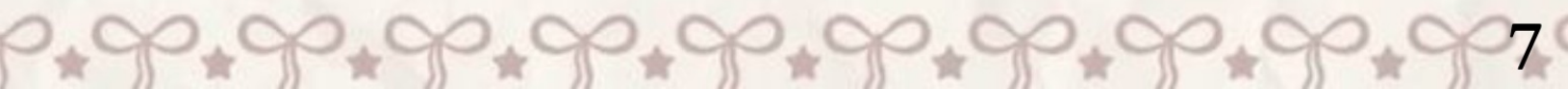
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# HANGING WITH WSU



WSU GOES BOWLING!



TABLING FOR CLASS COUNCILS!



PAINTING PUMPKINS IN THE OFFICE!





# SLIME & STUDY WITH WSU



**WSU LOVES FINDING  
FUN WAYS TO KEEP  
THE WOMEN ON  
CAMPUS INVOLVED  
ACADEMICALLY!**

**ONE EVENT WE  
HOSTED GAVE  
STUDENTS A  
CHANCE TO MAKE  
SLIME WHILE THEY  
STUDIED DURING  
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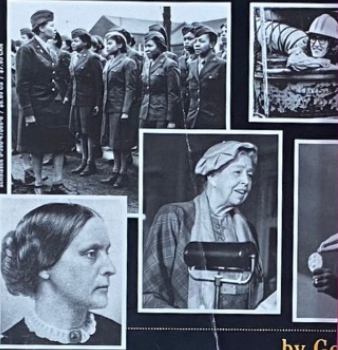




# STAYING UP-TO-DATE WITH ELECTION SEASON

## THE DAY THE WOMEN GOT THE VOTE

A Photo History of the Women's Rights



SCHOLASTIC



## WHY I MARCH

IMAGES FROM THE WOMEN'S MARCH  
AROUND THE WORLD

RISE UP  
WOMAN.  
NO PORN, NO LOTUS

ALL ROYALTIES WILL BE DONATED TO NONPROFITS AFFILIATED WITH THE MARCH

## NEED REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH SUPPORT?

- Medical Guidance
- Contraception Options
- Abortion Care and Support
- Crisis Hotlines
- Legal Questions and more...



## KNOW MORE

## VICTIM ADVOCATE PROGRAM

Confidential, free 24-hour crisis  
counseling and advocacy services  
Florida State University

## VISIT A PLANNED PARENTHOOD NEAR YOU.

### PALM BEACH COUNTY

**Florida Mango**  
2300 N. Florida Mango Rd.  
West Palm Beach, FL 33409  
(561) 296-4919

**Boca Raton**  
8177 Glades Rd., Suite 25  
Boca Raton, FL 33434  
(561) 226-4116

### MIAMI-DADE COUNTY

**Golden Glades**  
585 NW 161 St.  
2nd and 3rd Floor  
Miami, FL 33169  
(305) 830-4111

**Miami**  
1378 Coral Way, 4th Floor  
Miami, FL 33145  
(305) 285-5535

**Kendall**  
8900 SW 117 Ave.  
Suite 207-B  
Miami, FL 33186  
(786) 263-0001

### NORTH FLORIDA

**Tallahassee**  
2618 West Tennessee St.  
Tallahassee, FL 32304  
(850) 574-7455

**Jacksonville**  
5978 Powers Ave.  
Jacksonville, FL 32217  
(904) 399-2800

**Gainesville**  
914 NW 13th St.  
Gainesville, FL 32601  
(352) 377-0881

### TREASURE COAST

**Port Saint Lucie**  
1696 SE Hillmoor Dr., Unit A  
Port St. Lucie, FL 34952  
(772) 692-2023

### BROWARD COUNTY

**Pembroke Pines**  
263 N University Dr.  
Pembroke Pines, FL 33024  
(954) 989-5747

NCJWS  
National Council of Jewish Women







# WSU'S POLITICAL UPDATE CORNER!



## OCTOBER

- WSU TABLES AT THE COSSPP SLC VOTERFEST
- WSU HOSTS THE FEMININE PHONEATHON VOTER INFORMATION DRIVE
- WSU TABLES AT "BREAKING DOWN THE BALLOT" EVENT WITH THE CIVIC ENGAGEMENT BOARD

## NOVEMBER

- WSU'S "FEMININE PHONEATHON", WHICH CONTACTED OVER 500 STUDENTS TO VOTE
- WSU WORKS WITH FSU'S CIVIC LIBERTY ENGAGEMENT BOARD TO GIVE STUDENTS VOTER INFORMATION
- WSU MEMBERS CAST THEIR VOTE FOR THE 2024 PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION!

## DECEMBER

- WSU HOSTS "WHAT COMES NEXT" WITH OGA TO BREAK DOWN WHAT TO EXPECT POST-ELECTION

## JANUARY

- WSU MEMBERS CONTINUE TO ADVOCATE WITH OTHER CAMPUS ORGS, LIKE PIRG AND WOMEN IN GOVERNMENT (WIG)

## JANUARY CONT,

- MANY OF OUR MEMBERS HELD INTERNSHIPS AT THE STATE CAPITOL, LOBBYING FIRMS, NON-PROFITS, AND OTHER COMMUNITY BASED & GOVERNMENTAL ORGS!

## FEBRUARY

- WSU COSPONS A SPAN WITH AFTER THEY ARRIVE TO DISCUSS CURRENT IMMIGRATION POLICY & ITS IMPACTS
- WSU COSPONS A Q&A PANEL WITH GIRL UP & FEMINIST BARBARA DEVANE
- WSU'S EMPOWERMENT THROUGH SERVICE PANEL WITH WIG & REPRESENTATIVES, SHOWCASING TALLAHASSEE-BASED NON-PROFIT FEMALE LEADERS

## MARCH

- WSU'S BLOSSOMING THROUGH ADVERSITY PANEL WITH POWERFUL FEMALE ALUMNI ALONGSIDE WIG, WOMEN4FSU, THE 1910 HONORARY, & CLASS COUNCILS
- WSU HOST BOOKS IN BLOOM ALONGSIDE HERCAMPUS TO DISCUSS THE NOVEL THE HANDMAID'S TALE





# WSU AT THE COSSPP STUDENT LEADERSHIP COUNCIL'S VOTERFEST!



**YOUR VOTE  
MATTERS**

WSU  
ENCOURAGES  
YOU TO GET  
OUT THERE  
AND VOTE!

MAKE YOUR  
VOICE KNOWN  
AND DO SO  
LOUDLY

WE WANT THE  
WOMXN OF  
TALLAHASSEE TO  
BE HEARD!

SAVANNAH (WSU SECRETARY) AND ELLA (WSU  
POLITICAL EDUCATION COORDINATOR) ARE SEEN  
ADVOCATING LETTING THE COMMUNITY KNOW  
HOW TO STAY INFORMED!

THEY TABLED AT BLOCK PARTY FOR CHANGE &  
VOTER FEST WITH FSU'S CIVIC ENGAGEMENT BOARD.

THIS EVENT ENCOURAGED STUDENTS TO VOTE &  
PROVIDED THM WITH INFORMATION ON BALLOT  
INITIATIVES!



# WSU'S FEMININE PHONEATHON



**IN THE WEEKS PRIOR TO THE ELECTION, WSU ALSO CONTACTED REGISTERED VOTERS TO VOTE EARLY ON CAMPUS!**

**WSU THANKS THE ACLU, THE LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS, SPEAR, PEOPLE POWER OF FLORDIA & PIRG FOR HELPING US ENCOURAGE STUDENETS TO VOTE**



**FOR MANY OF US, IT WAS THE FIRST TIME WE COULD VOTE. WE FELT THAT IT WAS MORE IMPORTANT NOW THAN EVER TO REMIND COLLEGE STUDENTS THAT THEIR VOICE MATTERS.**



# GIVING BACK TO THE COMMUNITY



**JASMIN, IN  
CHARGE OF  
WSU'S  
EXTERNAL  
AFFAIRS,  
HELPED TEAM  
UP WITH THE  
OASIS CENTER  
FOR WOMEN &  
GIRLS! WE WERE  
ABLE TO  
PROVIDE THE  
CENTER WITH DONATIONS BROUGHT  
IN FROM STUDENTS & OTHER ORG  
MEMBERS!**





# GIVING BACK TO THE COMMUNITY

END PERIOD POVERTY!

WSU TEAMED UP  
WITH PERIODFSU TO  
COLLECT MENSTRUAL  
PRODUCTS FOR THE  
OASIS CENTER FOR  
WOMEN & GIRLS





# GIVING BACK TO THE COMMUNITY

FEATURING: FSU'S ANIMAL SOCIETY!



THE FSU ANIMAL SOCIETY IS AN ORGANIZATION FOR ANIMAL LOVERS, REGARDLESS OF MAJOR. WE LEAVE OUR MARK ON THE LOCAL COMMUNITY THROUGH VOLUNTEERING, RAISING AWARENESS OF ANIMAL WELFARE, AND DONATING. WE ENSURE THAT OUR MEMBERS HAVE ACCESS TO WEEKLY VOLUNTEERING OPPORTUNITIES AT SHELTERS AND SANCTUARIES LIKE FLYING PIG ANIMAL SANCTUARY, GOAT HOUSE FARM, GREENFIRE FARMS, ST. FRANCIS WILDLIFE ASSOCIATION, AND LEON COUNTY HUMANE SOCIETY. ADDITIONALLY, WE HOST GUEST SPEAKERS FROM ANIMAL-RELATED ORGANIZATIONS AT A MAJORITY OF OUR MEETINGS TO SPREAD IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT EACH OF THEIR RESPECTIVE ORGANIZATIONS. OUR AMAZING EXECUTIVE BOARD WORKS HARD TO GIVE MEMBERS A GREAT EXPERIENCE, WHICH INCLUDES ORGANIZING EVENTS LIKE VISITING THE TALLY CAT CAFE, GOAT YOGA, AND ANIMAL TOURS AT THE TALLAHASSEE MUSEUM. THE FSU ANIMAL SOCIETY IS OPEN TO ANYONE WHO WOULD LIKE TO JOIN A COMMUNITY OF HARDWORKING, CARING INDIVIDUALS.



# OWL ORGS

THE ORGANIZATION OF WOMEN LEADERS (OWL) BRINGS TOGETHER THE WOMEN-LEAD ORGANIZATIONS OF FSU. OWL IS USED AS A RESOURCE TO KEEP WOMEN LEADERS CONNECTED, BUILD COMMUNITY, AND CREATE UNITY AMONGST RSOS. WE HIGHLY ADVISE ALL WOMEN ORGANIZATIONS TO APPLY TO USE ONE ANOTHER AS A WAY TO FURTHER INDIVIDUAL AND COLLECTIVE GOALS!



**GIRL GAINS FSU**



**NATIONAL SOCIETY OF  
BLACK WOMEN IN  
MEDICINE FSU**



**WOMENS PROGRESS FSU**



# OWL ORGS



WOMEN IN PRE LAW FSU



AMERICAN MEDICAL  
WOMEN'S ASSOCIATION



HER CAMPUS FSU

## OTHER OWL ORGS NOT PICTURED:

- THE BETA ZETA CHAPTER OF OMEGA PHI BETA SORORITY, INC
- DELTA NU ZETA
- SIGMA DELTA TAU
- ALPHA KAPPA DELTA PHI
- KAPPA DELTA CHI SORORITY, INC.
- KAPPA EPSILON CHAPTER OF DELTA SIGMA THETA SORORITY INC.
- ALPHA KAPPA DELTA PHI INTERNATIONAL SORORITY INC.
- THE BETA CHAPTER OF KAPPA PSI PSI HEALTHCARE SORORITY INC
- WOMEN IN ACCOUNTING
- SISTUHS, INC
- BIG SISTER LITTLE SISTER
- CHARGE @ FSU
- SISTERS2SERVICE
- WOMEN, GENDER, AND SEXUALITY ORG
- WOMEN IN FINANCE AND ECONOMICS
- WOMEN IN ENTREPRENEURSHIP
- ALLIANCE FOR BLACK WOMEN
- NATIONAL COUNCIL OF NEGRO WOMEN
- RHO KAPPA CHAPTER OF ZETA PHI BETA SORORITY, INC





# HOW WSU DESTRESSES: WSU'S CHARM & CHILL!



**WSU GAVE STUDENTS A CHANCE  
TO GET DESTRESS FROM FINALS  
WEEK FALL SEMESTER BY  
OFFERING TIPS ON SELF-CARE,  
SNACKS, AND FRIENDSHIP  
BRACELET MAKING!**

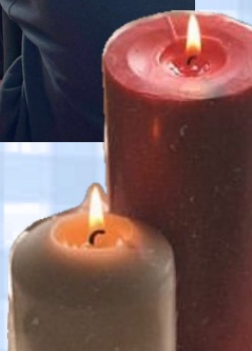


# HOW WSU DESTRESSES:

## YOGA WITH WSU!



IF BRACELETS WEREN'T  
YOUR VIBE, YOU MAY  
HAVE JOINED FOR  
OTHER OTHER  
DESTRESSING EVENT FOR  
FINALS WEEK - YOGA!





# WSU PRIORITIZES SELF-LOVE & FRIENDSHIP FOR VALENTINES DAY



## MOLDING SELF-LOVE

MEMBERS WERE ABLE TO WRITE THEMSELVES A LOVE LETTER FOR WHAT THEY DESERVE & THEY MAKE POTS WITH CLAY



## GALENTINES & GIFTING

WSU HAD MEMBERS PAINT TRINKET BOXES FOR THEMSELVES & THEIR FRIENDS





# WSU OUTTAKES!





# WSU WORD SEARCH!



K L Y H L C H P H T E E O O M K C C O X  
E D U C A T E Y P E P E R S O N A L L Y  
E I W F L N K D B W K P M D D W O M E N  
S E N H Y W M U Y S T S N M M A Y W C W  
P O O T G M I A F U N R G Y B P Y V I G  
R S G I E E A G R L W A C G L P U K B B  
O L N F T R M R O C O M W U A E A X Q F  
F X U T Z W S P K V H W E D I T D R C N  
E L B P P Y S E O E A S E C G A C Y X C  
S B V R O O H B C W T S H R T L V N D Q  
S P K H O L S J V T E W L W S S R Y E P  
I S B B R B I M E M I R E F C I P B D Y  
O E G X P U Q T G F N O M D R O F I A J  
N R R X T N Q K I L D E N E N Q B O F D  
A V O S H A W M L C O H B A N E T N S N  
L I W J S L H O F V A K E F L T S W V F  
L C T V K K V Y B P H L P J U I X D A N  
Y E H I E E V C Z B D S L B Q D T J A K  
O L Q S R D K T R I T G B Y M F R Y E Y  
D I N A D V O C A C Y Y G N E M Q S R N

## WORD BANK:

\*INTERSECTIONALITY\* \*PROFESSIONALLY\*  
\*PERSONALLY\* \*EDUCATE\* \*MARCH\*  
\*POLITICALLY\* \*ADVOCACY\* \*WOMEN\*  
\*GROWTH\* \*MARKETWEDNESDAY\*  
\*WSU\* \*EMPOWERMENT\* \*SERVICE\*  
\*FLOWERS\* \*PETALS\*



# WOMEN'S INITIATIVE



JAYLENE MOLINA  
HEAD OF THE WOMEN'S  
INITIATIVE PROGRAM



WOMEN'S INITIATIVE MEMBERS

THE WOMXN'S INITIATIVE IS A SIX-WEEK EDUCATIONAL WORKSHOPPING PROGRAM THAT ENDEAVORS TO EDUCATE AND CULTIVATE THE LEADERSHIP ABILITIES OF FIRST-YEAR AND SECOND-YEAR STUDENTS WITHIN THE COMMUNITY THAT WSU SEEKS TO SERVE. THE PROGRAM WILL AIM TO DEVELOP A GREATER UNDERSTANDING OF PROFESSIONALISM, LEADERSHIP, SERVICE AND MORE AMONG PARTICIPANTS WHILE ALSO CHALLENGING THEM TO BE CIVICALLY ENGAGED MEMBERS OF SOCIETY.

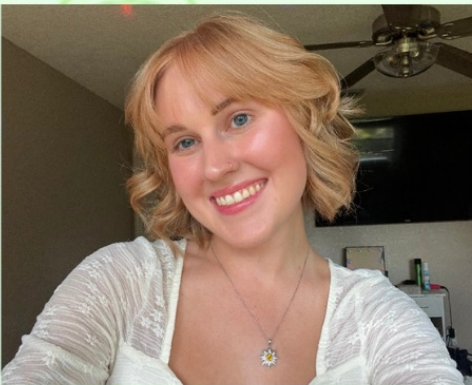


# WSU FEATURE: HER CAMPUS FSU



HER CAMPUS IS A MEDIA PLATFORM MADE BY AND FOR COLLEGE WOMXN WORLDWIDE! THEIR ARTICLES PROVIDE STORIES AND ADVICE FOR ANY AREA OF LIFE - POP CULTURE, HEALTH, POLITICS, ETC. THE ORGANIZATION IS A GREAT WAY TO GET INVOLVED ON CAMPUS, WHETHER YOU'RE AN ASPIRING WRITER OR JUST WANT TO BE MORE INVOLVED IN YOUR COMMUNITY.

WSU WOULD LIKE TO HIGHLIGHT SOME OF WRITERS IN THE FSU CHAPTER!



HOLLY WHITTY  
CHAPTER BOARD MEMEBER

**“RENEÉ RAPP CAME OUT AS A LESBIAN: WHY THE RISE OF QUEER FEMALE MUSICIANS MATTERS”**

THIS ARTICLE HIGHLIGHTS THE IMPORTANCE OF NOT ONLY QUEER MUSICIANS BEING ABLE TO BE THEIR AUTHENTIC SELF, BUT THEM BREAKING DOWN STIGMAS BY DOING SO! WHILE CELEBRITY SEXUALITIES

DO NOT NEED TO BE PUBLIC INFORMATION, IT CAN STILL BE SAID THAT THEM BEING OPEN CAN MAKE THE GENERAL PUBLIC FEEL MORE REPRESENTED. THOUGH THERE'S STILL PROGRESS TO BE MADE, CELEBRITIES LIKE RAPP BEING THEMSELVES AND NO LONGER SHYING AWAY FROM THE WORD LESBIAN IS A SIGN OF PROGRESS!





# WSU FEATURE: HER CAMPUS FSU

**“TIKTOK’S ‘TUBE GIRL’ IS IGNITING CONFIDENCE IN YOUNG WOMEN EVERYWHERE, INCLUDING MYSELF”**

THE REALITY OF ONE’S LOOKS & CONFIDENCE CHANGING DURING COLLEGE IS PORTRAYED PERFECTLY IN THIS ARTICLE. “TUBE GIRL” (SABRINA BAHSOON) BECAME VIRAL ON TIKTOK FOR HER RADIATING CONFIDENCE WHILE FILMING HERSELF IN PUBLIC. BAHSOON



ALLYSA LAUFERSKY  
CHAPTER BOARD MEMEBER



BAHSOON SOON STARTED A MOVEMENT WHERE WOMEN GLOBALLY SHOWED OFF THEIR OWN CONFIDENCE & CARE-FREE ATTITUDE. THE TREND WAS A CUTE NOD TOWARD WOMEN SUPPORTING OTHER WOMEN FEELING COMFORTABLE IN THEIR OWN SKIN, & REMINDED YOUNG WOMEN TO NOT CARE SO MUCH ABOUT WHAT OTHERS THINK.



ADDISON DELGADO  
CHAPTER BOARD MEMEBER

## **MORE THAN JUST AN AWARD: CHAPPELL ROAN’S INSPIRING GRAMMYS WIN**

THIS ARTICLE COVERS CHAPPELL ROAN’S RECENT AWARD WINS AND HOW SHE USES HER PLATFORM TO ADVOCATE FOR THE LGBTQ+ COMMUNITY. ROAN’S PLATFORM IS INSPIRING FOR QUEER WOMEN EVERYWHERE, AND SEEING AN OPEN LESBIAN POP-STAR LEADING THE INDUSTRY AND REDEFINING MUSIC INDUSTRY STANDARDS IS MAKING GREAT STRIDES FOR THE LGBTQ+ COMMUNITY. WHILE ROAN IS NOT THE FIRST QUEER ARTIST TO ENTER THE LIMELIGHT, HER SUCCESS AND ADVOCACY ARE A LEADING EXAMPLE OF HOW MUSIC CAN UNITE COMMUNITIES. ROAN IS UNAPOLOGETICALLY HERSELF, AND IS USING HER MUSIC AS A FUN AND CREATIVE OUTLET TO INSPIRE QUEER INDIVIDUALS EVERYWHERE.





# WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH COMMITTEE

THE THEME FOR THIS YEAR'S WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH IS MUCH MORE THAN JUST FLOWERS. JAZZ & MAKENNA CREATED "RESILIENCE IN BLOOM" TO CELEBRATE THE STRENGTH AND GROWTH OF WOMEN BOTH TODAY AND THROUGHOUT HISTORY AS WE TACKLE ADVERSITY. MUCH LIKE



**HEAD OF COMMITTEE:  
MAKENNA JENKINS & JAZZ MAX**

HOW FLOWERS CAN STILL BLOSSOM THROUGH HARSH CONDITIONS, WOMEN ARE ABLE TO RISE ABOVE THE PERSONAL AND SYSTEMIC CHALLENGES THAT ARE THROWN AT THEM. LIKE FLOWERS BEING BEAUTIFUL IN A STORM, WOMEN CAN FIND POWER IN OVERCOMING THEIR STRUGGLES.

THE REST OF THE WSU E-BOARD THANKS YOU & YOUR COMMITTEE FOR WORKING SO HARD ON ALL THE WHM EVENTS! WE TRULY COULD NOT HAVE DONE IT ALL WITHOUT YOUR DEDICATION, HARD WORK, & PLANNING YOU PUT IN!





# WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH COMMITTEE MEMBERS



JAZZ & MAKENNA

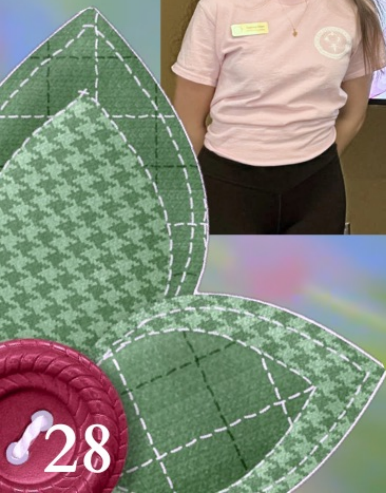


SALENA & SOFIA



SABRINA

THANK YOU TO THE  
WHOLE WHM  
COMMITTEE!  
NOT PICTURED BUT  
INCLUDED:  
CIARA, HANNAH, JESSICA,  
& RIN!





# WOMENS HISTORY MONTH

## WHM KICKOFF SOCIAL!



WE CELEBRATED THE FIRST DAY OF WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH BY INVITING STUDENTS TO THE WSU OFFICE FOR SNACKS, CROSSWORDS, & COLORING PAGES!



## BOOKS IN BLOOM

WSU, HERCAMPUS, & OVERBOOKED CAME TOGETHER TO DISCUSS THE CLASSIC NOVEL, THE HANDMAIDS TALE







# WOMENS HISTORY MONTH



## GARDEN OF HER GROWTH

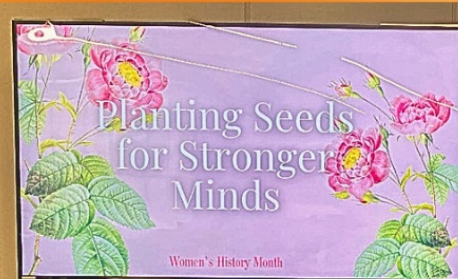


WSU HOSTED A WATERCOLOR WORKSHOP FOR STUDENTS TO DESTRESS AND ENJOY SNACKS!



## PLANTING SEEDS FOR STRONGER MINDS

WSU JOINED STEMMENTALHEALTH, AMWA, GOOD MOLECULES, CLASS COUNCILS, RENEW, MENTAL HEALTH COUNCIL & NUSA TO HELP EASE IMPOSTER SYNDROME FOR WOMXN ON CAMPUS!







# WOMENS HISTORY MONTH

## BLOSSOMING THROUGH ADVERSITY



WSU JOINED CLASS COUNCILS, WIG, AMWA, THE 1910 HONORARY & W4FSU LISTEN TO ALUMNI TALK ABOUT THEIR ACHIEVEMENTS AND CONNECTIONS, WHILE ALSO GIVING STUDENTS AN OPPORTUNITY TO MAKE THEIR OWN CARRER ADVANCEMENTS!



## BLOOM WHERE YOU'RE PLANTED

WSU HOSTED A FUN SPRING-TIME EVENT WITH FLOWERS, SNACKS, DECORATING FLOWER POTS AND PLANTING SEEDS!







# WOMENS HISTORY MONTH

## PETALS OF PROGRESS



STUDENTS WERE ABLE  
TO RUN A 5K ALONGSIDE  
WSU, AMWA, & CHAARG



## SEEDS OF STRENGTH

WSU JOINED GIRL GAINS IN  
HCB FOR A YOGA SESSION  
WHILE LEARNING ABOUT  
BODY POSITIVITY





# WSU at Market Wednesday



**NATALIE -  
MEMBERSHIP COORDINATOR**

**NATALIE & THE WSU MEMBERSHIP  
COMMITTEE TABLE AT MARKET WEDNESDAY  
WEEKLY TO ANSWER ANY QUESTIONS  
ABOUT WSU & LET STUDENTS KNOW ABOUT  
OUR ETHICS & UPCOMING EVENTS!**



**STUDENTS CAN EVEN COME BY TO GET FREE  
PRODUCTS, LIKE SEEN HERE WITH GARNIER  
& AMIKA! WSU THANKS THESE BRANDS!**





# HIGHLIGHTING FSU'S POETS

**METEOROLOGY: THE STUDY OF WEATHER / AN ODE TO MAKING IT OUT ALIVE**  
**BY CAPRIE GRISHAM**

WHICH WAY ARE YOU SUPPOSED TO TURN  
WHEN THE HURRICANE COMES WHINING CRYING HARMONIZING  
KATRINA GROWLS AND IRMA HOWLS  
WHY'S IT GOT TO BE THE FEMALE STORMS

TO THE CAR WHOSE SEATS BURN MY ASS COMING BACK FROM THE BEACH  
JEAN SHORTS AND RED PALENESS  
I'LL DRIVE  
MY BROTHER CRAZY

WHERE WOULD IT TAKE US  
OVER SNOW  
OVER GRAVEL  
OVER SAND  
OVER HATE  
OVER LOVE  
TO THE ANGELES NATIONAL FOREST  
HOW MANY PEOPLE NEVER MADE IT OUT OF THE BOTTOM  
AND HOW MANY WERE ON PURPOSE

TO MY HOME  
OLD AND STALE  
GRAY AND PLAIN SINCE I LEFT AND TOOK THE COLORS WITH ME  
WHERE MY MOTHER WILL ALWAYS BEAT ME AT SCRABBLE  
SINCE I'M TOO ENTHRALLED WITH THE WORDS  
AND SHE IS CAPTIVATED BY THE POINTS  
WHO CARES ABOUT WINNING

WHEN THE HAIL BREAKS  
THE GLASS CEILING  
BEGGING NOT TO FIX IT  
ASKING WHY  
MY MOTHER'S MOST HEARD AND LEAST FAVORITE QUESTION

AND WHERE WOULD YOU GO  
WHEN IT'S TIME TO LOOK UP  
TIME FOR ENDINGS  
TIME FOR CEILINGS  
TIME FOR CHANGE

HE WHO REFUSES TO LOOK OUT OF BROKEN GLASS  
HAS SHATTERED SEVEN MIRRORS INSIDE  
49 YEARS THE TORNADO LASTED  
WINDOWS FLOODING  
SATURN  
GRAYED  
REPAIR THE WINDOWS  
AND TELL YOUR FAMILY YOU'RE SORRY YOU LEFT  
BUT YOU'RE SORRY YOU STAYED  
STAND UP  
MAKE YOUR WAY TO THE ROOF  
LOOK DOWN THROUGH THE GLASS FOR THE FIRST TIME  
UNTIL THE HELICOPTERS PASS  
AND A MAN WADES  
COUNTS  
DRAWS AN X ON THE DOOR  
AND THE SPRAY PAINT DRIPS  
WHICHEVER WAY THE RAIN COMES

**WINTER BREEZE**  
**BY EMILY HARRIS**

THE WINTER'S BREEZE COMES QUICK,  
HER BREATH AS SOFT AS SNOW,  
SHE WHISPERS TO THE AUTUMN LEAVES  
AS THEY SLOWLY FALL BELOW.

SHE LEAVES THE TREES BARREN,  
EXPOSED TO FRIGID AIR,  
AS THEY SHUDDER IN THE WIND  
HAVING LOST THEIR GOLDEN FLAIR.

HER VOICE AS SMOOTH AS ICE,  
SHE COATS THE EARTH IN WHITE,  
WITH ONE SWIFT COMMAND  
AND A SINGLE BITTER NIGHT.

SHE HUSHES LIFE'S SWEET SOUNDS,  
THE BIRDCALLS COMING STILL,  
AS THE LAND SETTLES TO QUIET  
WITH THE POWER OF HER CHILL.

AND YET SPRING ALWAYS COMES  
WITH THE BLOSSOM OF A FLOWER,  
WINTER SIMPLY LEAVES THEM BE  
IN HER FINAL FREEZING HOUR.



# HIGHLIGHTING FSU'S POETS

## NAIL POLISH COLORS BY CLAIRE CAPPEL

RED NAILS  
AND SOFT HANDS  
WARM  
AND SAFE  
TINY LITTLE HANDS  
THAT GRASP ONTO  
YOUR RIGHT INDEX FINGER

BLUE NAILS  
AND COMFORTING HANDS  
NERVOUS  
BUT REASSURED  
HANDS THAT ARE STILL LITTLE  
BUT A BIT BIGGER NOW  
TO HOLD YOURS EVEN TIGHTER THAN BEFORE

CRACKLE NAILS  
AND GREEDY HANDS  
IMPATIENT  
AND NAGGY  
HANDS THAT WERE NEVER SATISFIED  
REGARDLESS OF HOW MUCH  
YOU PUT IN THEIR PALMS

WHITE NAILS  
AND SUPPORTIVE HANDS  
HURT  
BUT HEARD  
HANDS THAT NEEDED ANOTHER  
AND WERE GRATEFUL  
TO HAVE YOURS TO HOLD

PLAIN NAILS  
AND LINGERING HANDS  
LOST  
AND CONFUSED  
HANDS THAT FEEL EMPTY  
AND DON'T KNOW WHAT TO HOLD  
NOW THAT YOURS ARE MISSING

BLACK NAILS  
AND FIDGETY HANDS  
UNSETTLED  
AND DISTRESSED  
HANDS THAT CANNOT STAND  
TO BE VACANT ANYMORE  
ANYTHING IS BETTER THAN NOTHING

IRIDESCENT NAILS  
AND WISHING HANDS  
NOSTALGIC  
BUT CONTENT  
HANDS THAT NOW HOLD EACH OTHER  
BUT SOMETIMES PRETEND  
THAT ONE OF THEM IS YOURS INSTEAD

## HEAVY SILENCE BY AMANDA TOCA

EMPTINESS IS AN INTERESTING CONCEPT  
YOU HAVE A PLACE TO BE FILLED  
BUT NOTHING SEEMS TO BE ALLOWED IN  
YOU TRY AND YET NOTHING SEEMS TO SATISFY  
WHY TRY SO HARD TO BE FILLED BY THE  
MEANINGLESS  
WHEN THE EMPTINESS FELT IS MEANINGFUL  
MEANINGFUL BECAUSE IT MEANS YOU ARE HUMAN  
HURT  
EXPRESSIONLESS  
WONDERING  
TRULY EMPTY  
AND YET WE TRY TO CHANGE THE FACT THAT IT'S  
OKAY  
IT'S OKAY TO BE EMPTY  
IT'S OKAY TO NOT BE ABLE TO EXPRESS ONESELF  
BECAUSE EVEN ON THE HEAVIEST DAYS  
RAIN CAN OVERFLOW YOU  
DROWNING YOU IN IT'S PRESENCE  
AND THERE  
MAYBE FOR ONCE  
YOU'LL BE ABLE TO FEEL AGAIN  
AND THE EMPTINESS ONCE FELT  
WILL NEVER BE FELT AGAIN



# MORE WSU OUTTAKES!





# A MESSAGE FROM THE WSU HISTORIAN



HI EVERYONE! THANK YOU SO MUCH FOR TAKING THE TIME TO READ THROUGH THE MAGAZINE I'VE WORKED SO HARD ON. THIS IS THE FIRST TIME I'VE DONE A PROJECT LIKE THIS, AND IT WAS SO FUN TO MAKE. I FELT LIKE I WAS ABLE TO SHOWCASE HOW MUCH WSU DOES FOR THE FSU COMMUNITY (AS WELL AS HOW MUCH IT IMPACTED ME PERSONALLY). I WANT TO THANK EVA & JAYLENE FOR PUTTING THEIR TRUST IN ME TO WORK ON SOMETHING LIKE THIS, AS WELL AS OUR E-BOARD FOR BEING SO SUPPORTIVE AND HELPFUL IN PUTTING THIS TOGETHER. THESE WOMEN ARE TRULY SO KIND, LOVING, AND FUNNY - IM SO GRATEFUL TO HAVE BEEN A PART OF THIS GROUP & TO KNOW THESE WOMEN. FINALLY, I'D LIKE TO SAY THANK YOU TO LISA SMITH, ADDISON DELGADO, & SAMANTHA JENN - MY WONDERFUL HISTORIAN COMMITTEE!

WITH LOVE,

MEGAN





# HIGHLIGHTING OUR WSU GRADUATES



**ALYSSA PEREZ -  
PROGRAMMING COORDINATOR**

AS MY TIME WITH WSU AND AS AN UNDERGRAD COMES TO AN END, I WANT TO SAY HOW GRATEFUL I AM TO KNOW ALL THE INCREDIBLE WOMXN I'VE MET THROUGH THIS COMMUNITY. WSU HAS GIVEN ME LIFE-LONG FRIENDS AND THE SPACE TO GROW, BOTH AS A LEADER AND AN INDIVIDUAL. SPECIAL SHOUTOUT TO EVA FOR MAKING ME APPLYING FOR WHM COMMITTEE MY SOPHOMORE YEAR! THIS AGENCY HAS EMPOWERED ME AND SHOWED ME THE POWER OF COMMUNITY IN SO MANY WAYS. KEEP SPEAKING OUT AND MAKING WSU THE INCREDIBLE SAFE PLACE IT IS FOR SO MANY WOMXN!

AS I APPROACH THE END OF MY TIME AT FSU, I FIND MYSELF REFLECTING ON THE PROFOUND IMPACT WSU HAS HAD ON MY JOURNEY. FROM MY FIRST YEAR, WHEN I JOINED THE WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH COMMITTEE, TO SERVING AS THE DIRECTOR OF FINANCE ON THE EXECUTIVE BOARD FOR TWO YEARS, WSU HAS BEEN AN INTEGRAL PART OF MY COLLEGE EXPERIENCE. I AM INCREDIBLY GRATEFUL TO ALLI AND EVA, THE INCREDIBLE EXECUTIVE DIRECTORS I'VE HAD THE PLEASURE OF WORKING WITH, FOR THEIR UNWAVERING TRUST IN ME AND FOR GIVING ME THE CHANCE TO TAKE ON LEADERSHIP ROLES THAT HAVE SHAPED ME BOTH PERSONALLY AND PROFESSIONALLY. THROUGH WSU, I'VE MET SOME OF THE MOST INSPIRING WOMXN WHO HAVE NOT ONLY BECOME LIFELONG FRIENDS BUT HAVE PUSHED ME TO GROW IN WAYS I NEVER EXPECTED. THE COMMUNITY AND SUPPORT I'VE FOUND HERE HAVE TRULY EMPOWERED ME, AND I AM SO THANKFUL FOR THE SAFE, INCLUSIVE SPACE WSU PROVIDES FOR ALL WOMXN. I WILL CARRY THE LESSONS, FRIENDSHIPS, AND MEMORIES FROM THIS ORGANIZATION WITH ME AS I STEP INTO THE NEXT CHAPTER OF MY LIFE. I LOOK FORWARD TO WATCHING WSU CONTINUE TO GROW AND EMPOWER FUTURE GENERATIONS OF WOMXN—IT'S BEEN AN HONOR TO BE A PART OF IT.



**REESE HRANNARSSON -  
TREASURER**



**ALLI DENISON -  
OWL COORDINATOR**

SERVING ON THE WSU EXECUTIVE BOARD HAS BEEN NOTHING SHORT OF TRANSFORMATIONAL—PERSONALLY, POLITICALLY, AND PROFESSIONALLY. EACH OF MY FOUR ROLES ON THE EXECUTIVE BOARD MARKED A SEASON OF GROWTH: I LEARNED TO BE BRAVE AS POLITICAL EDUCATION COORDINATOR, TO LEAD OTHERS AS WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH COORDINATOR, TO INSPIRE WITH INTENTION AS EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, AND FINALLY, TO LET GO AND BE PRESENT AS OWL CO-COORDINATOR. I AM PROFOUNDLY GRATEFUL FOR THE OPPORTUNITY TO BOTH SHAPE AND BE SHAPED BY WSU AND THE INCREDIBLE WOMEN WHO MAKE THIS AGENCY WHAT IT IS. WSU FOREVER AND EVER AND EVER. THANK YOU.



# IMPORTANT RESOURCES



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- birth control
- emergency contraception
- medication abortion pills

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DEPARTMENT OF STUDENT  
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JUST IN CASE ONE DAY

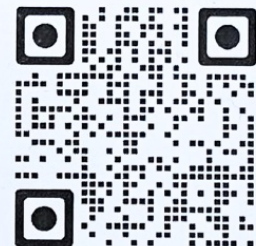
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