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# 2004 Sloan Public Service Awards

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# WINNERS

Neil Berman

**Larry Gould** 

Rolanda Pyle

Myriam Sarachik

Patrick Too

Ellie Weiss and Tabari Z. Bomani

For 31 years the Fund for the City of New York's Public Service Awards Program has honored outstanding civil servants whose work performance and commitment to the public transcend not merely the ordinary but the extraordinary — day after day and year after year. In honoring these winners, we also acknowledge the contributions of the many thousands of dedicated public servants who, with integrity and devotion, perform the work that keeps this complex city running.

This year's winners, and the 194 winners from previous years, were selected from among more than 250,000 eligible workers in the mayoral agencies, the Transit and Housing Authorities, the Health and Hospitals Corporation, The City University of New York, district attorneys' offices and the public libraries.

Winners come from all levels and ranks of New York City's government.

Sloan Public Service Award Winners demonstrate some or all of the following: extraordinary service delivered with ingenuity, energy and compassion – an expression of commitment far beyond the call of duty; responsiveness to public needs by cutting through red tape or developing more effective methods of service delivery; outstanding and reliable performance both under the pressures of daily routine and in times of crisis; willingness to take risks, if that is what is needed, to improve services or correct abuses or inequities; the ability to adapt to change and provide a continued high standard of service to the public; and upholding the public interest amidst competing interests, pressures and demands.

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"Neil Berman's contract management system is better than anything we saw in our national search. It is being applied to all the City's human services programs."

# **NEIL BERMAN**

Assistant Commissioner, Information Technology, Department of Youth and Community Development (DYCD)

Neil Berman's agency serves youth and adults, families and communities. Its programs range from helping improve literacy, gaining citizenship and obtaining summer employment to administering after-school and out-of-school time programs. These services are delivered by community-based organizations that have 1,900 contracts with DYCD costing \$169.3 million.

Thanks to Mr. Berman's efforts, the City is able to keep track of and manage every step of every DYCD human service contract: announcement of the Request for Proposals, the award, service delivery milestones, payments due and issued, and completion. His contract management system saves countless hours of duplicate data entry and ensures uniform information for all projects. It contains rigorous quality controls and supports accountability by identifying parties responsible at each point of data entry. The system replaced an

uncoordinated amalgam of manual and electronic procedures that were originally housed in two different agencies.

This model large-scale technology innovation is one of many solutions Mr. Berman has introduced during his 19 years of government service in four agencies. He has improved information about and control and quality of foster care, homeless services and other programs. Self-taught, he has built a reputation as a problem solver and successful manager of complex, difficult, urgent and high profile projects, including disaster recovery plans. He seeks challenges in finding new and better ways to help the City get its work done.



"He puts the needs of the riding public at the top of his list, aiming to make subway and bus service in New York the best in the world"

### LARRY GOULD

### Senior Director, Operations Analysis, New York City Transit (TA)

Since Larry Gould came to the TA 23 years ago, when a major multi-year capital program was launched to overcome deterioration of the mass transit system resulting from years of deferred maintenance, he has been part of the turnaround of the largest city transportation system in the world.

He and his staff — some of whom he recruits from TA field positions and then trains to be analysts — develop and implement strategies to ensure that \$3 billion a year in capital funding is used effectively. Their work involves developing route diversions while construction projects are in progress and assuring the best possible service all year long by anticipating and responding to labor disputes, blackouts, terrorist attacks and planning for special events. Permission for access to subway tracks (5,000 a year) for capital improvement, maintenance and emergencies is issued in his office. He

attends community meetings to listen to the public's concerns. He works with public information staff to produce announcements and maps about service changes. He is at the Subway Control Center for every emergency and is the TA's liaison to the City's emergency operations.

Mr. Gould has uncanny knowledge of New York City's entire transportation network and the ability to address the complex issues and competing interests involved in running and improving the City's buses and subways. A master of technical and technological issues, budgetary and personnel nuances, capital financing, public and community relations, project management, inter- and intra- agency collaboration and dispute resolution, he is involved in virtually every solution and new initiative to improve TA performance and operations.



"She is totally committed; knows the issues inside and out and has helped put the needs of caregiving grandparents on the national map."

### **ROLANDA PYLE**

### Director, Grandparent Resource Center, Department for the Aging

In 1995 the Department for the Aging asked Rolanda Pyle, a trained social worker, to lead the nation's first municipally run resource center for caregiving grandparents - the Grandparent Resource Center. Almost 84,000 New Yorkers care for their grandchildren, because of loss or circumstances such as parental drug addiction or incarceration. The role is unexpected, stress-laden and draining. Many of the grandparents are poor and in poor health; yet social service agencies often lack awareness of their needs. With a budget of just \$300,000, the Center provides this essential and fragile group with a range of programs, services, and referrals to community-based agencies. The Center also educates and supports the community organizations to develop and expand their services for grandparents.

Ms. Pyle's own grandmother became the maternal nurturer in her life when Ms. Pyle was a young child. "My memories of my grandmother inspire me to work harder with the grand-parents I see." She engages herself personally in the lives of about 400 seniors, helping them to receive financial aid, housing, or other entitlements for which they qualify and providing them with hope. She established an information and referral hotline; oversees support groups and has trained over 700 people who are interested in becoming support group leaders, established a Grandparents Recognition Day Celebration and toy drives.

Ms. Pyle has created a national platform for the issue and is devising quiet but firm ways to bend, cajole, and encourage the system into providing a fairer share of assistance.



"She has blazed trails as a scientist, researcher, teacher, mentor and humanitarian,"

### MYRIAM SARACHIK

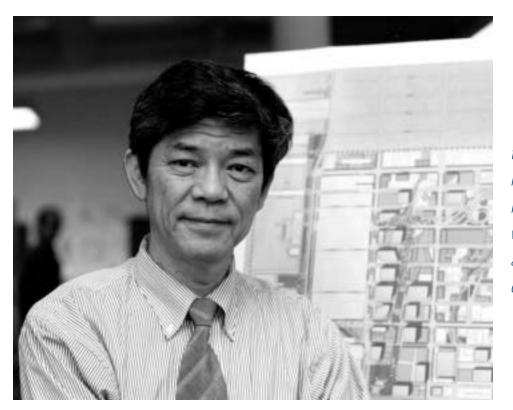
Distinguished Professor of Physics, The City College of New York (CCNY). The City University of New York

Myriam Sarachik teaches Physics — even Introductory Physics to freshmen — and she conducts research. In fact, she is one of the world's leading researchers in the field of condensed matter Physics, conducting experiments in her specially designed lab, with her undergraduate, graduate and "post doc" students and with scientists visiting from around the world. She seeks fundamental understanding, significant technological developments and the creation of new materials. She could do this research at highly endowed universities. She has chosen, however, for the past 40 years, to work and teach at CCNY, embodying CCNY's mission to offer rigorous, world-class higher education to all, including immigrants and those who are economically underprivileged.

She changes the lives of students. A caring and generous mentor, she successfully encourages them to become scientists

and inspires them to produce major discoveries, seed the technology of the future, "feel the excitement that comes with research and discovery" and help humanity. As a national leader she develops strategies to address the shortage of scientists and engineers, reaching out to high school students, women, minorities, collaborating with scientists in Africa and supporting dissident scientists working in oppressed nations.

She was accorded the title "Distinguished Professor" by her colleagues at CCNY for her superb teaching, scholarship and research. She has overcome many hurdles, including facing years of tyranny in Europe when she was a child, making her achievements and contributions all the more remarkable.



"He is a New York City treasure... the glue that holds the City's design initiatives together... the watchdog for preserving and creating the best open space possible."

# PATRICK TOO

### Principal Urban Designer, Department of City Planning

Patrick Too has worked as an urban designer for the City for 30 years, earning a reputation as the foremost and trusted expert in open space design and related zoning matters. Through his vast knowledge and training in architecture and urban design and his love for New York, he has influenced the creation of hospitable open spaces throughout the City, especially in the middle of busy Manhattan.

He reviews proposals from private developers to assure their compliance with his agency's guidelines — which he helped establish — for public open spaces, pedestrian and mass transit spaces and streetscapes. He influences the design of major City planning projects. He has been involved in the design of many plazas, a preservation plan for the Theater District, transit and land use around Grand Central Station, Lincoln Center zoning, planning for Lower Manhattan redevelopment and for

Midtown development, neighborhood preservation for Little Italy, plans for the Second Avenue subway, for Columbus Circle and for landmarked buildings such as Carnegie Hall.

He works with neighborhood groups and some of the world's leading builders, architects and landscapers, balancing the multiple objectives of retaining and enhancing neighborhood identity, encouraging new developments, and improving urban design. Spurning opportunities to move into a management position or to the private sector, he says, "This is the most meaningful work that I could do. I see my job as helping the public feel comfortable in their city. It gives me great joy."



"When others told us to take our GEDs, to just get a job or to simply give up, Tabari and Ellie said: 'Ignore them. You can do it.'"

# ELLIE WEISS and TABARI Z. BOMANI

Teachers, Bushwick Outreach Center, Department of Education

Bushwick Outreach Center is an alternative high school for students 17 - 21 years old who were unsuccessful in their previous schools. It admits any student with a fifth-grade reading level and a commitment to hard work. Students must fulfill requirements for their high school diplomas, including passing Regents' exams. The school is located on the third floor of a junior high school where they have 13 classrooms for their program, 350 students and 18 teachers.

When Ms. Weiss came to Bushwick Outreach 18 years ago she wanted to introduce a new culture of high expectations and quality education for every student, although the prevailing feeling was that the students could achieve no more than a General Education Diploma and that higher standards would set them up for failure. Ellie Weiss decided to try anyway and offered new elective courses, which were popular

and successful. She was a lone voice however, until, four years later, when Tabari Bomani arrived. Mr. Bomani says: "A lot of what I learned was based on her early struggle here and very few things that I have accomplished since could have been done without her. I would be a voice in the wilderness." Ms. Weiss describes Mr. Bomani as the "heart, soul and motor" of Bushwick Outreach. Indeed, the reciprocal relationship they have is stunning and they each describe it with clarity, warmth and generosity.

These two teachers are determined to help their students succeed, not only in school, but in the future. Mr. Bomani challenges his students to go beyond what comes easily, pushing them to articulate ever more complex thoughts, reason carefully and develop a love of learning. Students describe him as joyful and energetic and they appreciate all he does

to involve them in his rigorous social studies and history classes. His colleagues say that he never quits trying to help a student and that he sets the standard for what all teachers should do.

helping hundreds of students get into four-year institutions of higher learning. Bushwick Outreach now sends 65-75 percent of its graduates on to colleges or universities.

Ellie Weiss does not allow students to fall behind in her classes. She helped established and enforces a code of conduct — come to class on time; no walkman, phones, beepers; no sitting in the back of the room, no fighting, no weapons. The students respect it and her. They say that she makes them want to learn because she makes her history classes so interesting and puts so much effort into them. They believe her when she says that she wants for them what she wants for her own child — nothing less.

Together Ms. Weiss and Mr. Bomani introduced college counseling sessions. They have helped transform the school from the last educational environment their students would ever be in, to the first of many serious educational challenges,

# 1973 – 2003 Sloan Public Service Award Winners

Winners have come from all levels and ranks of New York City's government.

The following pages contain the names of the past winners, their years of City government service, the position they held when they received their award, their present position, or, if they have left City service, the last position they held.

# Sloan Public Service Awards Winners: 1973 – 2003

#### 2003

#### Barbara Barlow, M.D. (28)

Director of Surgery, Harlem Hospital, Health & Hospitals Corporation

#### David J. Burnev (13)

Director, Design & Capital Improvement, New York City Housing Authority. Now Commissioner, Department of Design and Construction

#### Pamela Springer Hardy (22)

Assistant Commissioner, Family Court Services, Department of Probation

#### Warren J. Murray, Jr. (31)

Chief, Trial Bureau 50, New York County District Attorney's Office

#### Michael A. Principe (22)

Deputy Commissioner & Director, Bureau of Water Supply, Department of Environmental Protection

#### Carmine J. Somma (23)

Custodian Engineer, P.S. 10, Brooklyn, Department of Education. Now Custodian Engineer, Middle School 51, Brooklyn, DOE

#### 2002

In 2002 the entire City workforce was honored in recognition of the courage, self-sacrifice, experience, skill and dedication that it showed in the hours, days and months following September 11, 2001. Their response to this tragedy set the standard for public service throughout the world. Among the agencies that merited special attention were:

Community Assistance Unit

Department of Design & Construction

Department of Health

Department of Information Technology & Telecommunications

Department of Sanitation

Department of Transportation

Fire Department

MTA New York City Transit Department of Subways

Office of Chief Medical Examiner

Office of Emergency Management

Police Department

#### 2001

#### H. Hardy Adasko (32)

Senior Vice President for Planning (on loan to Economic Development Corporation),
Department of Business Services. Now Senior Vice President for Planning, EDC

#### Esther Coupet (24)

Coordinator for Home Care Referral, Bellevue Hospital Center, Health & Hospitals Corporation. Now Case Coordinator, Bellevue Hospital Center, HHC

#### Wendy Dorf (37)

Coordinator, Geographic Information Systems, Department of Environmental Protection {Team Award}\*

#### Michael Greenman (33)

Chief, Subsurface Section, Department of Design & Construction\*

#### Alice Hudson (33)

Chief, Map Division, NY Public Library

#### Parnel Legros (15)

Physical Education Teacher, Gateway Intermediate School 364, Brooklyn, Board of Education

#### Alan Leidner (34)

Director of Citywide Geographic Information Systems, Department of Information Technology & Telecommunications {Team Award} [Assistant Commissioner, DoITT]\*

#### Richard Steinberg (25)

 ${\it Director}, {\it Geographic Information Systems}, {\it Department of City Planning \{Team Award\}}*$ 

#### 1999-2000

#### Michael T. Carpinello (38)

First Deputy Commissioner, Department of Sanitation [Director, Mayor's Office of Operations]\*

#### Stephen Di Carlo (30)

Principal, P.S. 25, Richmond, Board of Education.\*

Now Special Education Supervisor, Staten Island Mental Health Society

#### Marcelle Layton, M.D. (9)

Assistant Commissioner, Bureau of Communicable Diseases, Department of Health

#### Richard K. Lieberman (31)

Director, La Guardia and Wagner Archives & Professor of History, La Guardia Community College & The Graduate Center, The City University of New York

#### Ana Maria Rhynie (19)

Executive Officer, Traffic Intelligence Division, Parking Enforcement District, Police Department {Team Award}. Now Executive Officer, Intersection Operations, Parking Enforcement District, NYPD

#### John Valles (31)

Director, Commanding Officer, Parking Enforcement District, Police Department {Team Award}

#### Evelyn "Tessie" Williams (20)

District Manager, Brooklyn Community Board 2\*

#### 1998

#### Donald Campbell (32)

Director, Central Storehouse, Department of Citywide Administrative Services [Assistant Commissioner, Materials Management, DCAS]\*

#### Frank Caputo (30)

Deputy Chief, Appeals Division, Law Department {Team Award}

#### Timothy J. Kelly (20)

Lieutenant, Special Operations Command, Fire Department\*

#### Leonard Koerner (35)

Chief, Appeals Division, Law Department {Team Award}

#### Stephen J. McGrath (25)

Deputy Chief, Appeals Division, Law Department {Team Award}

#### Edna Muriel (19)

HIV/AIDS Nurse Clinician, Bellevue Hospital, Health & Hospitals Corporation

#### Marcia Stevenson (34)

Deputy Commissioner, Department of Homeless Services.

Now First Deputy Commissioner, DHS

#### Wayne White (16)

Court Liaison Officer, Department of Probation.

Now Supervising Probation Officer, DOP

#### 1997

#### Jane P. Cleaver (34)

Chief of Parklands, Department of Parks & Recreation

#### Anna Hedrick (14)

Director, Trauma Intervention Unit & Deputy Director, Employee Assistance Program, Office of Labor Relations [Staff Analyst, Department of Transportation]\*

#### Alex Herrera (19)

Director of Preservation, Landmarks Preservation Commission.\* Now Director of Technical Services, New York Landmarks Conservancy

#### Elisabeth L. Iler (30)

Co-Director, Gateway to Higher Education Program, Sophie Davis School of Biomedical Education, CUNY Medical School {Team Award}. Now Director, Gateway Institute for Pre-College Education, CUNY

#### Christina Larkin (24)

Director of Outreach Services, Bureau of Tuberculosis Control, Department of Health. Now Deputy Director, Brooklyn District Public Health Office, DOHMH

#### Jane Perlov (18)

Borough Chief of Detectives, Queens, Police Department.\* Now Secretary of Public Safety, The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

#### Morton Slater (32)

Director, Gateway to Higher Education Program, Sophie Davis School of Biomedical Education, CUNY Medical School {Team Award}. Now Director, Gateway Institute for Pre-College Education, CUNY

#### Ernest Batson (29)

Associate Commissioner, Mental Health, Mental Retardation & Alcoholism Services, Department of Mental Health\*

#### Lawrence Berman (34)

Executive Director, Parking Bureau, Department of Transportation [Assistant Commissioner, Parking Bureau, DOT]\*

#### Jocelyn Jean-Philippe (14)

Caseworker, Administration for Children's Services. Now Director, Emergency Children's Services, ACS

#### Edwin Melendez (26)

Director, Surface Transit & Maintenance, Transport Workers Union, Local 100 {Team Award}. Now Director, Bus Operator Performance Review, New York City Transit Authority

#### Kathleen A. Paolicelli (32)

Trauma Nurse Coordinator, Elmhurst Hospital Center, Health & Hospitals Corporation

#### Carol Russo (50)

Principal, W.L. Garrison School, P. S. 31, Bronx, Board of Education

#### Stephen Vidal (12)

Chief Officer, Training & Operations Performance, Department of Buses, New York City Transit Authority {Team Award}

#### 1995

#### Peter Abatangelo (25)

Director, Facilities Operations, Public Health Laboratory, Department of Health [Deputy Assistant Commissioner, DOH].\*

Now Director, Facilties Management Operations Planning & Development, University Heights Science Park, Newark, NJ

#### JoAnn Jacobs (20)

Fire Marshal, Bureau of Fire Investigation, Fire Department [Fire Marshal, Recruitment Unit, FDNY]\*

#### Joseph Miller (21)

Director, Medical Division, Department of Sanitation

#### Marilyn Richter (23)

Deputy Chief, General Litigation, Office of the Corporation Counsel, Law Department.

Now First Deputy Chief, Law Department

#### Antonio M. Rodriguez (17)

Director of Special Events, Department of Homeless Services

#### Joseph Salvo (21)

Director, Population Division, Department of City Planning {Team Award}

#### Frank Vardy (28)

Demographer, Population Division, Department of City Planning {Team Award}. Now Associate Staff Analyst, DCP

#### 1994

#### Edwin Felicien (43)

Senior Program Specialist, Legal Division, Department of Correction. Now Associate Staff Analyst, DOC

#### Joanne Imohiosen (34)

Assistant Commissioner for Revenue, Department of Parks & Recreation

#### Sharon Jones (26)

Principal, Rikers Island Educational Facility, Adolescent Remand & Detention Center, Board of Education\*

#### Joseph Matthews (23)

Deputy Director/Field Manager, Brooklyn Division of AIDS Services, Human Resources Administration\*

#### Edward Rasquin (30)

Director of Systems, Program Development, Community Development Agency\*

#### Susan Scheer (13)

Assistant Deputy Advocate for Intergovernmental Affairs/Senior Policy Analyst, Office of the Public Advocate.

Now Commissioner, NYC Commission on Human Rights, & Director of Disability Services, Columbia University

#### 1993

#### Richard Farrell (21)

Administrative Director, Residential Child Care, Child Welfare Administration, Human Resources Administration [Director, Queens/Manhattan Division of Congregate Care, HRA]\*

#### Beverly L. Hall (25)

Community Superintendent, Community School District 27, Queens, Board of Education [Deputy Chancellor, BOE].\*

Now Superintendent of Schools, Atlanta Public Schools

#### Katherine S. Lobach, M.D. (11)

Assistant Commissioner for Child Health Services, Bureau of Child Health Clinics of New York City, Department of Health [Director, Child Health Clinics, Health & Hospitals Corporation].\*

Now Clinical Professor of Pediatrics, Albert Einstein College of Medicine, Montefiore Medical Center

#### Carlo Perciballi (33)

General Superintendent, New York City Transit Authority. Now Chief of Operations, Rolling Stock & MOW, Department of Subways, NYCTA

#### Alba Pico (20)

Assistant Director, Licensing, Department of Consumer Affairs. Now Assistant Commissioner, Licensing & Collections, DCA

#### Connie P. Reteguiz (29)

Supervisor of Physical Therapy, North Central Bronx Hospital, Health & Hospitals Corporation [Chief Physical Therapist, HHC]\*

#### 1992

#### Yolanda Bonitch (24)

Community Specialist, Manhattan Borough Office, New York Public Library {Team Award}

#### James Gilmore (17)

Police Officer, Community Policing Unit, 34th Precinct, Police Department. Now Detective, NYPD Community Outreach Services

#### Stephan Likosky (24)

Institutional Librarian, Office of Special Services, New York Public Library {Team Award}. Now Correctional Services Librarian, Office of Community Outreach Services. NYPL

#### Ellie Ludvigsen-Jennings (28)

Director of Special Projects, Training & Program Development, Department of Probation\*

#### Mary McInerney (22)

Principal, The Hungerford School, District 75, Board of Education

#### Harry Nugent (21)

Subway Conductor, 1/9 Line, Transit Authority\*

#### Annie Shen (29)

Maternity Conference Nurse, Elmhurst Hospital Center, Health & Hospitals Corporation.\*

Now Diabetic Clinical Coordinator, Mt. Sinai Medical Center

#### 1991

#### Eleanor Bell, R.N. (28)

Director, Communicable Disease Surveillance, Department of Health [Assistant Commissioner, Bureau of Communicable Diseases, DOH]\*

#### Will McIntosh (45)

Deputy Director, Support Services, Spofford Juvenile Center, Department of Juvenile Justice [Assistant Commissioner, DJJ]\*

#### Michael A. Pergola (30)

Chief of Operations, Bridge & Arterial Maintenance, Bureau of Bridges, Department of Transportation\*

#### James A. Rempel (15)

Perinatal Nurse Clinician, Kings County Hospital Center, Health & Hospitals Corporation.\*

Now Adolescent Nurse Practitioner, George Washington High School Clinic

#### Aida Rosa (32)

Principal, P.S. 30, Bronx, Board of Education\*

#### Ernest Thomas Jr. (46)

Senior Building Custodian, Brooklyn Municipal Building, Department of General Services\*

#### 1990

#### Edith Cartledge (32)

Supervisor II, Bronx Housing Court Liaison Unit, Income Maintenance Programs, Human Resources Administration\*

#### William Jackson (34)

Detective Second Grade & Liaison Officer to the African American Community & Caribbean Affairs, Police Department [Detective First Grade, Office of Chief of Department, NYPD]\*

#### Richard Jones, Jr. (33)

Dean of Freshmen & Associate Dean of Academic Affairs, Borough of Manhattan Community College, The City University of New York. Now Vice President of Institutional Advancement and Development, Medgar Evers College, CUNY

#### Carmen Rodriguez (31)

Administrative Accountant, Bureau of Accountancy, Office of the Comptroller\*

#### Edward Wagner (34)

Assistant Commissioner & Director, Bureau of Wastewater Treatment,
Department of Environmental Protection [Deputy Commissioner, Bureau
of Clean Water, DEP]\*

#### Betty Wilson (29)

Director, Crisis Management Unit, Central Harlem, Department of Housing Preservation & Development. Now Curriculum Development Coordinator for Housing Education Services, HPD

#### 1989

#### Carmen Fariña (38)

Core Curriculum Coordinator, School District 15, Board of Education; Principal, P.S. 6, Manhattan; Community Superintendent, School District 15. Now Regional Superintendent, Region 8, Brooklyn, Department of Education

#### Edith Henegan (22)

Administrative Assistant, Facilities Service, Department of Cultural Affairs. Now Office Manager, Capital Projects, DCLA

#### Mark J. Kator (23)

Executive Director, Bird S. Coler Memorial Hospital, Health & Hospitals Corporation [Senior Vice President, HHC].\*

Now President/CEO, Isabella Geriatric Center

#### Evelyn S. Mann (44)

Director, Population Division, Department of City Planning.\* Now Fossil, Earth & Space Explainer, American Museum of Natural History

#### Julius Morgan (30)

Assistant Custodian, Louis D. Brandeis High School, Manhattan, Board of Education\*

#### George Vierno (28)

Deputy Chief of Operations, Department of Correction\*

#### 1988

#### Roberto Batista (29)

Principal, P.S. 70, Bronx, Board of Education\*

#### Vincent Chiarchiaro (31)

Administrative Director, CASA VII, Office of Home Care Services, Human Resources Administration\*

#### Barbara Nugent (24)

Regional Librarian, Library for the Blind & Physically Handicapped, New York Public Library\*

#### Charles Owens (31)

 $\label{lem:assistant Director of Management in Charge of Special Projects, New York City Housing Authority [Director, Community Affairs, NYCHA]*$ 

#### Acquenetta Russell-Browne (23)

Assistant Commissioner for Financial Operations, Agency for Child Development, Human Resources Administration [Assistant Deputy Commissioner for Financial Management, ACD]\*

#### Sheldon Weinbaum (36)

*Professor,* Department of Mechanical Engineering, City College, The City University of New York.

Now CUNY Distinguished Professor of Mechanical & Biomedical Engineering, City College, CUNY

#### 1987

#### Walter Bortko (25)

Administrative Engineer, Bureau of Engineering, Office of the Comptroller\*

#### Joseph F. Bruno (19)

Director, Parking Violations Bureau, Deputy Commissioner, Department of Transportation [Fire Commissioner, Fire Department].\*
Now Justice, New York State Supreme Court, Kings County

#### Doris Brunson (33)

English Teacher, Wadleigh Junior High School, J.H.S. 88, Manhattan, Board of Education.\*

Now First Vice President, Board of Directors, Goddard-Riverside Community Center

#### June Douglas (38)

Special Assistant to the Deputy Chancellor, Board of Education [Education Administrator, Early Childhood Education Unit, BOE]\*

#### Moses Sanders (17)

Assistant to the Director of Support Services, LaGuardia Community College, The City University of New York\*

#### Tupper Thomas (35)

Administrator, Prospect Park, Department of Parks & Recreation.\* Now President, Prospect Park Alliance

#### 1986

#### Catherine Cowell (41)

Director, Bureau of Nutrition, Public Health Nutrition, Department of Health.\* Now Clinical Professor, Columbia University School of Public Health

#### David Feingold (23)

Assistant Director, Bushwick Neighborhood Preservation Office, Department of Housing Preservation & Development {Team Award}\*

#### Peter Mancuso (17)

Assistant Director of Training, Police Academy, Police Department\*

#### Velma Newton (21)

Line Superintendent, IRT, New York City Transit Authority [General Superintendent, District 4, BMT, NYCTA]\*

#### Avilda Santiago (35)

Head Nurse, Lincoln Hospital, Health & Hospitals Corporation\*

#### Margaret Smith (27)

Assistant to Deputy Director, Bronx Field Office, Special Services for Children, Human Resources Administration [Child Protective Manager, Hotel & Hospital Units, Child Welfare Administration, HRA]\*

#### Julius Spector (38)

Chief Engineer, Department of City Planning\*

#### Elliott Yablon (30)

Director, Bushwick Neighborhood Preservation Office, Department of Housing Preservation & Development {Team Award} [Director of Operations, Division of Development, HPD]\*

#### 1985

#### Mary Antosiewicz (34)

School Cook & Senior Lunch Aide, P.S. 282, Brooklyn, Board of Education [School Cook/Senior Lunch Aide, P.S. 270, Brooklyn, BOE]\*

#### Josephine Bruno (33)

Principal, P.S. 189, Community District 17, Brooklyn, Board of Education\*

#### James J. Curran (33)

Lieutenant, Rescue Company 1, Fire Department.\* Now President, NY Firefighters Burn Center Foundation

#### L. Harriette Henderson (27)

Deputy Director, Medical Assistance Program, Human Resources Administration [Deputy Commissioner, Office of Family Services, HRA]\*

#### Samuel Schwartz (19)

Chief Engineer/Deputy Commissioner, Department of Transportation [Chief Engineer & First Deputy Commissioner, DOT].\*

Now Director, Infrastructure Institute, The Cooper Union

#### Joseph Shuldiner (17)

Deputy Commissioner, Office of Property Management, Department of Housing Preservation & Development [General Manager, New York City Housing Authority]\*

#### 1984

#### Hadley W. Gold (22)

 ${\it First Assistant \ Corporation \ Counsel}, \ Law \ Department; \ Commissioner, \ Department \ of \ General \ Services.$ 

Now Administrative Law Judge, Housing Authority & Parking Violations Bureau

#### James W. Henneberry (20)

Director of Special Projects, Bureau of Motor Equipment, Department of Sanitation {Team Award}\*

#### Victor Herbert (21)

Principal, Samuel Gompers Vocational-Technical High School, Bronx, Board of Education [Superintendent of High Schools, BOE]\*

#### Joseph T. Miller (37)

Assistant Commissioner & Director of the Bureau of Water Pollution Control, Department of Environmental Protection [Chief Engineer, DEP]\*

#### John T. Rowell (24)

Assistant Chief for Planning & Development, Bureau of Waste Disposal, Department of Sanitation {Team Award}[Deputy Director, DOS] \*

#### Blaise A. Tramazzo (36)

 ${\it Chief for \ Equipment \ Management, \ Department \ of \ Sanitation \ \{Team \ Award}\}^*$ 

#### Robert H. White (31)

Director of the Bureau of Service Operations, Family & Adult Services, Human Resources Administration [Assistant General Manager, New York City Housing Authority]\*

#### Roger Zanco (23)

Bus Operator, M-3 Line, Manhattan & Bronx Surface Transit Operating Authority, New York City Transit Authority\*

#### Jack S. Zimmardo (21)

Executive Assistant to Director of Special Projects, Bureau of Motor Equipment, Department of Sanitation {Team Award} [Chief Maintenance Officer, Metropolitan Transit Authority]\*

#### 1983

#### Wilhelmina J. Jimney (7)

District Manager, Queens Community Board No. 7\*

#### Carolyn D. O'Connell (32)

Probation Officer, Department of Probation [Administrative Probation Officer, DOP]\*

#### Philip J. Romano (34)

Sergeant, Bronx Community Affairs Division, Police Department [Lieutenant/Supervisor, Police Athletic League Liaison Unit]\*

#### Maria C. Seisdedos (25)

Caseworker, Office of Family Services, Human Resources Administration\*

#### Anna L. Smith (29)

Senior Building Custodian, Department of General Services [Assistant Chief of Personnel Training & Building Operations, DGS]\*

#### Samuel F. Williams (34)

*Principal,* I.S. 195, Manhattan, Board of Education [Deputy Superintendent, Community School District 5, Manhattan, BOE]\*

#### 1982

#### Sylvia Brown (32)

Junior Public Health Nurse, Department of Health [Regional Director, Bureau of Maternity Services & Family Planning Site Administrator, DOH]\*

#### Frank Hunt (15)

Director of Management Services, Capital Projects Division, Department of Parks & Recreation\*

#### Louis Krieger (44)

Director of Payroll Operations, Health & Hospitals Corporation\*

#### Gloria Lee (36)

Supervising Warden, Department of Correction [Chief of Operations, DOC]\*

#### Dorothy Smith (30)

First Grade Teacher, P.S. 156, Bronx, Board of Education [Acting Multicultural Coordinator for Community School District 7, Bronx, BOE]\*

#### John Vigiano (36)

Lieutenant, Rescue Company 2, Fire Department [Captain, Ladder 176, FDNY]\*

#### 1981

#### Anthony J. Alvarado (28)

Superintendent, Community School District 4, Manhattan, Board of Education. Now Vice Chair, Leadership Academy Advisory Board, Department of Education

#### Paul D. Casowitz (17)

Principal Staff Analyst, Department of Sanitation [Deputy Commissioner, Resource Recovery & Waste Disposal Planning, DOS]\*

#### Martin Ives (7)

First Deputy Comptroller, Office of the Comptroller\*

#### John J. O'Rourke (25)

Detective, on assignment to the Manhattan District Attorney's Office, Police Department [Detective First Grade, NYPD]\*

#### Bernard Rosen (35)

Associate Director, Office of Management & Budget [First Deputy Director, OMB]\*

#### Sarah L. Williams (30)

Traffic Enforcement Agent, Department of Transportation. Now Traffic Supervisor I, Police Department

#### 1980

#### Carmen S. Dempster (33)

Architect, Department of General Services [Assistant Director/Architecture, DGS]\*

#### Philip Johnson (20)

Community Development Executive, Department of Housing Preservation & Development [Executive Director, HPD]\*

#### Deborah Meier (27)

Director, Central Park East Elementary School, Board of Education [Co-Director, Central Park East Secondary School].\*
Now Principal, Mission Hill Elementary School, Boston, MA

#### Josephine Tanalski (34)

Utilities Properties Assessor, Tax Department, Finance Department. Now Assessor III, Real Estate Utility Corp., DOF

#### Joseph J. Timpone (31)

Assistant Chief of Staff, Department of Sanitation [Chief of Staff, Bureau of Cleaning & Collection, DOS].\* Now Vice President, Operations, Alliance for Downtown New York

#### Stephen Vignet (24)

Computer Program Manager, Finance Administration [Director, Office of Computer Plans & Controls, Mayor's Office of Operations]\*

#### 1979

#### Charles Brady (32)

Assistant Director, Office of Management & Budget. Now Associate Director OMB

#### Philip Click (42)

Deputy Commissioner, Finance Department [Trustee, Queensboro Public Library]\*

#### Julia D'Abreu (35)

Executive Secretary, Department of General Services [Senior Administrative Associate, DGS]\*

#### Elwood R. Dupree (27)

Assistant Commissioner, Department of Health\*

#### Harry Karetzky (48)

First Deputy Director, Office of Municipal Labor Relations\*

#### Carmen Sotomayor (25)

Project Manager, New York City Housing Authority\*

#### 1978

#### Helen R. Cassidy (46)

First Assistant General Counsel, New York City Transit Authority [General Counsel, NYCTA]\*

#### Joseph Cuomo (29)

General Foreman, Department of Parks & Recreation [Principal Parks Supervisor, Parks]\*

#### Charles Foti (28)

Director of Operating Services, Department of Public Works [Director, Mass Transit Coordination, Department of Transportation]\*

#### Thomas J. Guthrie (27)

*Inspector,* Police Department [Deputy Commissioner, Bureau of Traffic Operations, Department of Transportation]\*

#### Joan A. Miles (36)

Assistant Chief, Bureau of Accounting, Office of the Comptroller [Assistant Comptroller for Accounting/Chief Accountant]\*

#### Thomas Roche (29)

Director, Department of Personnel\*

#### 1977

#### John T. Carroll (49)

Administrator, Municipal Services Administration\*

#### Eunice K. Fioritio (14)

Director, Mayor's Office for the Handicapped\*

#### Sidney Ifshin (40)

Chief of the Division for Fire Prevention, Fire Department\*

#### Walter Prawzinsky (32)

Second Deputy Comptroller, Office of the Comptroller\*

#### Edward Rodriguez (27)

Chief Superintendent, New York City Housing Authority [Deputy Director of Management, NYCHA]\*

#### Anthony C. Russo (42)

Director, Office of Municipal Labor Relations\*

#### 1976

#### Anthony V. Bouza (27)

Bronx Borough Commander, Police Department [Deputy Chief, Transit Police]\*

#### Dominic L. Europa (43)

Supervising Microbiologist, Bellevue Hospital, Health & Hospitals Corporation [Principal Microbiologist, HHC]\*

#### Claire Holbert (36)

Secretary, Office of the Mayor [Assistant to Deputy Mayor Robert Esnard]\*

#### Theodore L. Karagheuzoff (30)

Commissioner, Department of Traffic\*

#### Kate Klein (20)

Director, Mayor's Action Center\*

#### Jacob Lutsky (35)

Acting Justice, Supreme Court of New York State\*

#### Edna Ochs (26)

Keypunch Supervisor, Bureau of the Budget [Administrative Assistant]\*

#### Harry Tishelman (26)

Deputy Finance Administrator, Department of Finance\*

#### 1975

#### Frank Dell'Aira (46)

Assistant Commissioner, Division of Code Enforcement, Department of Housing Preservation & Development\*

#### Robert Esnard (23)

Chief of the Bronx Office, Department of City Planning [Deputy Mayor for Policy & Physical Development]\*

#### Millie Felder (16)

Senior Citizen Specialist, Mayor's Office for the Aging\*

#### Julien D. Jackson (30)

Sanitarian, Department of Health\*

#### Madelon Rhodes (29)

Deputy Director, New York City Housing Authority\*

#### Joseph Rocco (31)

Computer Specialist, Human Resources Administration\*

#### Moses Schweber (39)

Chief Examiner, Bureau of the Budget\*

#### Edith I. Spivack (64)

Assistant Division Chief, Law Department [Executive Assistant Corporation Counsel, Law Department].\*

Now Executive Assistant Corporation Counsel Emerita

#### Genevieve E. Walsh (38)

Director of Adult Institutional Services, Welfare Department\*

#### 1974

#### Eugene J. Bockman (44)

Director, Municipal Reference & Research Center [Commissioner,

Department of Records & Information Services|\*

#### Harold Carlson (38)

Gardener, Department of Parks & Recreation {Team Award}\*

#### Joseph J. Christian (47)

Chairman, New York City Housing Authority\*

#### John V. Del Percio (21)

Patrolman, Police Department {Team Award}\*

#### Catherine E. Mantovi-Carlson (28)

Gardener, Department of Parks & Recreation {Team Award}\*

#### Robert Newman, M.D. (7)

Director, Methadone Maintenance Program, Department of Health [Assistant Commissioner, DOH]\*

#### Charles Nixon (20)

Patrolman, Police Department {Team Award}\*

#### Jean Pakter, M.D., M.P.H., F.A.C.P. (33)

Director, Bureau of Maternity Services & Family Planning, Department of Health.\*

Now Consultant & Lecturer in Maternal & Child Health, Columbia University School of Public Health

#### Irving Weinberg (10)

Superintendent of Motor Equipment, Department of Sanitation\*

#### 1973

#### Harry I. Bronstein (42)

City Director of Personnel & Chairman, Civil Service Commission, Department of Personnel [Senior Vice President, Health & Hospitals Corporation]\*

#### Stanley Buchsbaum (39)

Chief, Appeals Bureau, Law Department\*

#### James A. Cavanagh (38)

Deputy Director, Bureau of the Budget [First Deputy Mayor]\*

#### Martha Davis (20)

Director of Capital Budget, Department of City Planning [Deputy Executive Director, DCP]\*

#### Michael J. Farrell (21)

Inspector, Police Department\*

#### Martin Lang (43)

Commissioner, Water Resources [Commissioner, Department of Parks & Recreation]\*

#### Patrick V. Murphy (23)

Commissioner, Police Department\*

#### Maurice Nixon (27)

Patrolman, Police Department [Assistant Commissioner of Recreation, Department of Parks & Recreation]\*

#### John T. O'Hagan (31)

Chief & Fire Commissioner, Fire Department\*

#### Walter A. Pavesi (33)

Executive Assistant Chief of Staff, Department of Sanitation [Director of Operations, DOS]\*

#### Henry J. Rosner (41)

Assistant Administrator, Human Resources Administration\*

#### Morris Tarshis (32)

Director, Bureau of Franchises, Board of Estimate\*

# Sloan Public Service Awards Selection Process

All employees of mayoral agencies, the Transit and Housing Authorities, the Health and Hospitals Corporation, The City University of New York, district attorneys' offices and the public libraries are eligible for consideration for a Sloan Public Service Award. The emphasis is on individuals who have made a career of public service.

The Fund for the City of New York welcomes nominations. To nominate a person, provide a description of the candidate, including significant career information, the particular achievements that occasion the nomination and the qualities the nominee embodies. Names go into a reserve pool, and each nominee is reviewed in due course. The pool is a continuing one so that a recommendation, once made, need not be renewed. Nominations should be sent to Barbara J. Cohn Berman, Vice President, Fund for the City of New York.

The names of City employees who emerge with the strongest recommendations are submitted to the Selection Panel, an independent group of citizens picked on the basis of their standing in the community and their knowledge of government. In choosing the winners, panel members are guided by profiles of each nominee, descriptions of the contributions made and their own evaluation.

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