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### YWCA Honors Chinwe Onyeagoro

The YWCA is pleased to announce Chinwe Onyeagoro as this year's *Outstanding Woman of Achievement Promise Award* recipient. Onyeagoro is a managing partner of O-H Community Partners (OHcp), a strategy consulting firm that provides services to nonprofits, foundations and government agencies. Prior to co-founding OHcp, she worked as an investment analyst overseeing the Pritzker Realty Group's \$3 billion worth of real estate assets. To purchase tickets or become a sponsor for Leader Luncheon, please [click here](#).

### YWCA Receives *Innovation Generation Grant* From Motorola Foundation

The YWCA is happy to announce that we are one of the recipients of Motorola's *Innovation Generation Grant*, which will enable the YW to reach more girls with its TechGYRLS program. The Motorola Foundation's 2008 *Innovation Generation Grants* provide \$4 million to U.S. K-12 programs like ours that use innovative approaches to ignite a passion for science, technology, engineering and math (STEM). To learn more about the TechGYRLS program, please [click here](#).

### Calling All Communication Majors

The YWCA public relations and special events team is looking for a talented intern to join their team. The PR/special events intern will assist with event planning, writing and distributing press releases and will manage his/her own event. If you are looking for a rewarding and educational internship, please e-mail your resume to Sarah Frick at [sarah.frick@ywcachicago.org](mailto:sarah.frick@ywcachicago.org).

*"We need to find the courage to say 'no' to the things and people that are not serving us if we want to rediscover ourselves and live our lives with authenticity."*

— Dr. Barbara DeAngelis

### Texas de Brazil Event Huge Success

The YWCA would like to thank everyone who came to our Texas de Brazil networking event on Tuesday. The event was a huge success and raised close to \$3,000. More than 200 guests networked, learned about the YWCA and sampled some of the delicious appetizers and drinks served. You can view photos from the event by [clicking here](#). To learn more about the YWCA's upcoming special events, please [click here](#).

### Volunteer for Leader Luncheon

Are you looking for a company volunteer project? The YWCA is looking for volunteers to help with our annual Leader Luncheon event on Thursday, October 23 from 9 a.m. until 2 p.m. Volunteers will assist with event logistics and will receive a complimentary lunch. Spots are limited, so if you are interested in volunteering, please contact Molly Silverman at [molly.silverman@ywcachicago.org](mailto:molly.silverman@ywcachicago.org) by Sept. 18.

### Women's Suffrage Day Recap

To commemorate Women's Suffrage Day on Tuesday, August 26, 2008, YWCA Metropolitan Chicago staff worked alongside the Get Out the Vote Coalition and YWCA Lake County to register voters. The YWCA raffled off Chicago Sky tickets and KISS-FM broadcasted live. To learn more about how you can register to vote, please [click here](#). To learn more about the YWCA's advocacy agenda, please [click here](#).

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