

(pictured: Family of the late Kevin West)

Michelle Proctor, Sociology Chairperson and professor, and Maureen Okasinki, widow of Kevin West, accepted the Network Champion award presented in honor of the late Kevin West. West, who previously served as Service-Learning director at Madonna, 2001-2010, is the first recipient of this award. It could not have been awarded to a more-deserving individual. Kevin West (1958 – 2010) was a pioneer in regional collaboration and initiated several of Madonna's long-standing partnerships. West also created the community leadership certificate, which is offered through Madonna's sociology department.

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