

Worcester Educational Development Foundation
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WORCESTER EDUCATIONAL DEVELOPMENT FOUNDATION HONORS WORCESTER PUBLIC SCHOOLS DISTINGUISHED ALUMNI

Recipients to be honored at Holy Cross on October 24, 2024

Worcester, MA (September 20, 2024) – The Worcester Educational Development Foundation, Inc. today announced the 2024 Distinguished Alumni of the Worcester Public Schools.

They are:

Jason Ardizzone-West, Doherty Memorial High School – Emmy Award-Winning Stage Designer
Sarah Christie, Esq., Doherty Memorial High School – Attorney
Sharyn Eaton, South High Community School – Educator & Performing Artist
Wayne Glazier, MD, Chandler Junior High School – Physician & Community Leader
Mari Gonzalez, Doherty Memorial High School – Community Leader
Bill Murphy, North High School – Business Leader, Author & Philanthropist
Monsignor Richard Reidy, Doherty Memorial High School – Spiritual Leader
Karon Shea – Friend of the Worcester Public Schools

The honorees will be recognized on October 24 at a banquet at the College of the Holy Cross. Tickets to the event are \$100, tables of 10, \$900. To reserve tickets, visit wedfwps.org/da-awards. For questions regarding tickets, please contact McHala Brophy at 774-696-9685.

According to Foundation President Tony Economou, "For the 13th year, we will proudly celebrate the outstanding achievements of former Worcester Public School students who have found great success in their careers and personal pursuits. This event not only honors these alumni, but also the educators whose guidance and instruction laid the foundation for their accomplishments."

About the Worcester Educational Development Foundation

The Worcester Educational Development Foundation is an independent 501 (3) non-profit organization invested in the success of every student in the Worcester Public Schools. They support programs that inspire creativity, unlock new opportunities, and encourage the pursuit of excellence. Visit www.wedfwps.org and follow us on LinkedIn, Instagram, Facebook, and X (formally Twitter) for more information.