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**ALMA AND CLAUDE ROWE
EXCELLENCE THROUGH EQUITY AWARD
Application Form 2024-2025**

The Rowe award promotes access to education in Appalachia. Endowed in 1991 by Eldridge and Rosaline Rowe and their son Larry Rowe on the occasion of the WVU Women's Centenary, the award honors the memory of Eldridge's parents and Larry's grandparents, Alma and Claude Rowe. The Rowes recognized the positive role that higher education could play in the lives of individuals, families and communities.

All portions of the application must be submitted no later than 11:59PM on March 14, 2025

Eligibility Criteria:

- Applicant must be a West Virginia resident.
- A first generation student who is seeking an undergraduate or graduate degree, OR
- Women and men involved in teaching, research, or community service which increases access to education in Appalachia. The award may be given for completed research (professional or graduate level) or successful ongoing educational programs such as GED completion or college readiness skills training, or for a work or project in progress.

Areas of activity applicable to this award include but are not limited to:

- Increasing college attendance and graduation, especially for first generation college students.
- Increasing the success of girls and minorities in science, math, and other “nontraditional” areas.
- Developing gender, race, and culture-sensitive curriculum materials and teaching strategies.
- Promoting successful completion of high school or the GED.

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Full name:

Pronouns (if desired):

Position (student/faculty/community member, etc.)

Department/College/Organization:

What is your WVU ID number?

Are you a resident of West Virginia?

- Yes
 No

Postal Address:

Preferred email address:

Phone Number:

Date Activity Begins:

Date Activity Ends:

Destination (if traveling):

Funds Requested:

Total Cost of Activity:

Brief Description of Activity and Estimated Cost:

Brief description of how this activity will meet the objectives of the

Rowe Award to increase access to education in Appalachia.

How do you plan to share the results of this activity with the WVU women's and gender studies community after you complete the work for which these funds are requested?

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