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—HUBERT H. HUMPHREY

19th HUBERT H. HUMPHREY
Public Leadership Awards
SEPTMBER 21, 2023
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The Hubert H. Humphrey Public Leadership Awards presented by the Humphrey School of Public Affairs honor individuals and organizations who have contributed to the common good through leadership and service.

This year’s awards recognize remarkable leaders who share a commitment to building community, lifting underrepresented voices, and demonstrating inspirational leadership to advance our common well-being as both local neighbors and global citizens.

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**2023 PUBLIC LEADERSHIP AWARD RECIPIENTS**

**WILL STEGER**
Polar explorer and environmental ambassador, for educating and motivating generations of people to care for the earth and live their lives with a sense of exploration, curiosity, and adventure

**ANN BANCROFT**
History-making explorer, educator, and philanthropist, for inspiring women and girls around the world to unleash the power of their dreams, and leading a global effort to address the urgency of clean water

**JAN MALCOLM**
Former commissioner of the Minnesota Department of Health, for leading the state’s response to the COVID-19 pandemic, and demonstrating an ongoing commitment to improving the lives and well-being of all Minnesotans

**SHARON SAYLES BELTON**
Executive at Thomson Reuters, former mayor of Minneapolis, and community leader, for promoting health, social, and racial equity as a passionate advocate for the city of Minneapolis

**PPL (PROJECT FOR PRIDE IN LIVING)**
Minneapolis-based nonprofit, for providing transformative affordable housing and career readiness services to lower-income individuals and families, setting the stage for their long-term success
EVENT SPONSORSHIP CONNECTS YOUR ORGANIZATION TO LEADERS WHO WORK TIRELESSLY TO CREATE A BETTER WORLD FOR EVERYONE.

The Hubert H. Humphrey Public Leadership Awards are presented at an annual dinner, which is the Humphrey School’s signature fundraising event—not to mention one of the Twin Cities’ most anticipated social gatherings. During the past 18 years, we have honored 76 award recipients and raised more than $1.75 million for student scholarships.

AN EVENT NOT TO MISS
Each year, hundreds of people join us on this special evening to recognize remarkable leaders who have dedicated their lives to addressing the most pressing problems in our own communities and around the world. Attendees include some of Minnesota’s most prominent political, business, and civic leaders, including U.S. senators, Minnesota Supreme Court justices, philanthropists, and top University of Minnesota administrators.

“What the Humphrey School taught me was faith in my own abilities and faith in what I can learn.”
– Acooa Ellis (MPP ’07), 2022 recipient

PAST WINNERS INCLUDE
Reatha Clark King
Acooa Ellis
Tracey Williams-Dillard
Johnnetta Betsch Cole
Gary Eichten
Brigadier General Sandy Best
Thomas Friedman
Sarah Bellamy
Cheryl Reeve
Madeleine K. Albright
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PRESENTING SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITY
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- 20 seats at event plus two (2) seats at head table with awardees and dean
- 20 tickets to sponsor reception with award winners

Your support helps make the Humphrey School and the world of public policy more representative and diverse.

Thank you!

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RECENT HUMPHREY SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS

Selam Kubrom
Humphrey Public Leaders Fellow
Selam is a Master of Development Practice student. She hopes to work in community development in East Africa after graduation.

“The Humphrey Fellowship allowed me to escape the stress of figuring out how I will pay for tuition and fees. Because of that, I was able to focus instead on putting my education from the Humphrey School into practice by conducting research in Kenya and Uganda.”

Gustave Stewart
Humphrey Public Leaders Fellow
Gustave is a Master of Urban and Regional Planning student whose goal is to make cities and communities healthier, more environmentally sustainable, and more equitable.

“I am very grateful for the support I received through this fellowship. It provided me with a great opportunity to learn and explore in-depth topics within urban planning. I’m excited to take what I’ve learned in the classroom to build more sustainable and equitable transportation systems.”
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