

## SAN DIEGO

## AFFILIATE AWARD

Fifteen outstanding high-school women were awarded the San Diego Affiliate Award for Aspirations in Computing during the International Women's Day conference at the Qualcomm headquarters in San Diego. During a reception in their honor, these young ladies received trophies and prizes, including a Samsung tablet provided by Qualcomm. Winners heard remarks from two keynote speakers: Ms. Peggy Johnson, EVP and President Global Market Development at Qualcomm, and Camille Saltman, President of MD Revolution. Peggy oversees Qualcomm Labs, focused on launching new businesses and products, as well as exploring new market segments for Qualcomm technologies. She was also recently honored as 1 of "100 Women Leaders in STEM." Before acquiring MD Revolution, Camille was president of CONNECT and continues to serve on their board of directors. Award Winners also participated in a wireless health workshop with the central theme being women, health, and technology. After the reception, the Winners were able to mingle with 300 other attendees, including community members, vendors, volunteers, NCWIT representatives, sponsors, and professionals from the industry and academia. The reception closed with a tour of the Qualcomm campus.

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**“One of the parents asked if we could forward pictures of the event to her so she could publish them in the winner's school newspaper...thereby, spreading the word of the accomplishment and enticing other girls to apply in future years!”**

~ Aspirations Award  
Local Coordinator



**Geographic region covered**

The greater San Diego Area



**Number of years Affiliate Award held in this region**

**1**



**Number of 2013 Awardees**

**15**



**Number of 2013 volunteers**

**14**

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## LOCAL SUPPORT

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