

RHODE ISLAND

AFFILIATE AWARD

In its first year, the Rhode Island Affiliate Award for Aspirations in Computing recognized three outstanding high school women for their achievements and aspirations in computing and technology, as well as one outstanding educator for her work encouraging young women to pursue computing. All were honored with an Awards dinner at Roger Williams University in beautiful Bristol, Rhode Island during which Winners received trophies and numerous prizes that were donated from industry partners. The recipients were able to interact and network with one another, as well as community members and professionals from both industry and academia. The event was a success in large part due to the efforts of the coordinators and the generous local supporters. Each Award recipient was able to eat dinner with a woman in technology, impressing the industry women so much that they all walked away with internship offers!



“Our wonderful women executives sat with the Award Winners for dinner, and each of the executives offered a Winner a summer internship. Our event was quite intimate — Rhody is a little state.”

~ Aspirations Award
Local Coordinator

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**Geographic
region
covered**

All of Rhode Island



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

1



**Number of
2013 Awardees**

3



**Number of
2013 volunteers**

11

LOCAL COORINATORS

- Dr. Amy Greenwald, Brown University
- Jo Ann Johnson, Tech Collective
- Dr. W. Brett McKenzie, Roger Williams University
- Dr. Joan Peckham, University of Rhode Island
- Dr. Mary Sullivan, RI College

LOCAL SUPPORT

- Brown University
- Rhode Island College
- Roger Williams University
- Tech Collective
- University of Rhode Island

LOCAL WEBSITE

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