



**The Council on the Status of Women
at Purdue University
cordially invites you to:**

**The 2008 Violet Haas Award
reception for**

**Linda Wang
Professor of Chemical Engineering**

**Thursday, May 1, 2008
3:30 - 4:30 p.m.**

**Forney Hall of Chemical Engineering Atrium
(First Floor Lobby)**

About the Violet Haas Award

This award was created to recognize individuals, departments, or programs that have made a noteworthy effort on behalf of women, whether in hiring, promotion, education, salary, or generally enhancing a positive professional climate.

The award was named in honor of Violet Haas, Professor of Electrical Engineering from 1962 until 1986, who provided a strong, positive role model for women, faculty, staff, and students. Her distinguished career was balanced by the equally important commitment Violet made to her husband, Felix Haas, her three children, and the community.

Council on the Status of Women

Who We Are

In March 1989, the Council on the Status of Women (CSW) at Purdue University formed as an advocate for all university women. Members include students, clerical, service, professional, administrative, technical staff, and faculty. From the onset, we have been a strong voice for all women at Purdue.

What We Do

- We sponsor workshops focusing on issues of concern to women at Purdue University
- We help to bring notable women speakers to campus.
- Each year, we recognize those who promote the advancement of women at Purdue University.
- Subcommittees explore women's professional concerns and existing and proposed University practices and procedures. Their reports form the basis for CSW proposals sent to the University administration.

How Can I Join?

If there is an issue that interests you, or to learn more about CSW, please contact Virginia Booth Gleghorn, vboothgl@purdue.edu.