



First District Honoree

Alexandra Torres Galancid

Executive Director

Women In Non-Traditional Employment Roles (W.I.N.T.E.R.)

Since 2003, Alexandra Torres Galancid has served as the Executive Director for Women In Non-Traditional Employment Roles (W.I.N.T.E.R.). W.I.N.T.E.R.'s mission is to train, educate and prepare women and youth for transformative careers in the construction industry. Ms. Torres Galancid has been a leader in women's economic development by creating pathways and expanding access to well-paying, nontraditional careers for women.

As Executive Director, Ms. Torres Galancid has facilitated equal rights for economic justice for women to help them determine financial and economic opportunities and choose careers with equal employment opportunities without any gender bias. Her commitment to assuring equal opportunity for women in the construction and building trade union careers has resulted in thousands of Los Angeles County women becoming self-sufficient.

Prior to joining W.I.N.T.E.R., Ms. Torres Galancid directed several Los Angeles non-profit organizations dealing with family violence prevention, self-sufficiency programs and women's health services. Each day she strives to increase and improve the social and economic strength of women in Los Angeles by ensuring equal rights to well-paying jobs and training them to be confident enough to claim their rights and freely live their life with a sense of self-worth, respect and dignity.

Ms. Torres Galancid is an active member on numerous boards and committees at the county, state and national level. She is a graduate of UCLA and holds a Bachelor's Degree in Spanish and currently resides in Long Beach, California.

