The ESU President’s Commission for Women requests nominations for the Spring 2014 Shirley Chisholm Award for an outstanding undergraduate and graduate woman student. In honor of Shirley Chisholm, nominees must demonstrate excellence in learning, sensitivity to social issues, and a commitment to activism. Award recipients will be honored by the President’s Commission for Women, Commission on Racial and Ethnic Diversity, Women’s Studies, Women’s Center, and the Graduate College. The award will be granted at a university-wide award ceremony in late April.

To nominate an undergraduate or graduate woman student for the Spring 2014 Shirley Chisholm Award:

1. Identify undergraduate or graduate woman students who:
   a. are candidates for graduation in May 2014
   b. have demonstrated excellence in all three areas:
      - excellence in learning
      - sensitivity to social issues
      - commitment to activism

2. Write a letter of nomination which speaks to the nominee’s achievements in all three areas, and include any supporting evidence.

3. Submit the letter of nomination with supporting evidence to Laurene Clossey, chair, President’s Commission on Women, at lchossey@esu.edu by Monday, April 7.

If you have any questions concerning this award or its requirements, please contact Dr. Clossey at ext. 3955 or lchossey@esu.edu.

To learn more about Shirley Chisholm, visit: http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Shirley_Chisolm.