

MACRICOSTAS

2019

ENTREPRENEUR OF THE YEAR AWARD

WESTERN CONNECTICUT STATE UNIVERSITY



Prior recipients of this award are:

Lucie Voves, 2008

Joe Platano, 2009

Paul Dinto, 2010

Dr. John Murphy, 2011

Ray Boa, 2012

Jim Kennedy, 2013

Thomas Montague
& John Royce, 2014

Peter D'Amico, 2015

Austin McChord, 2016

Jordan Young, 2018

You are cordially invited to attend the WCSU 2019 Constantine S. Macricostas Entrepreneur of the Year Award Luncheon as we gather to honor

Cynthia Emiry Roy

President and CEO of Regional Hospice and Palliative Care in Danbury

Tuesday, March 26, 2019

Networking at 11:30 a.m. • Luncheon at noon

The Ethan Allen Inn, 21 Lake Ave., Danbury

\$50 per person, \$400 per table

Please RSVP by Wednesday, March 20, online at wcsu.edu/eoy or by calling (203) 837-8486.

Are you purchasing a table? Reserve a spot for a student to eat with you.

Cynthia Emiry Roy has grown the Regional Hospice and Palliative Care in Danbury from a small business to an \$18 million corporation. The 36,000-square-foot Center for Comfort Care and Healing that opened in 2015 offers 12 patient suites, each with space for family members to sleep. The center also provides gourmet catering service from the kitchen, a library, chapel, spa and play scape for children, as well as administrative offices. It is a fully licensed specialty care hospital and the only facility of its kind in Connecticut. In addition to the center, Regional Hospice and Palliative Care also provides hospice care in four counties to people in homes, skilled nursing facilities and assisted living facilities.

I'm on a different path, spiritually and professionally, to do this work. People think running a nonprofit is easy, not like a regular business. But it is a health care business, with tremendous meaning and profound privilege. — Cynthia Emiry Roy

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The program's mission is to encourage, promote and recognize entrepreneurship and entrepreneurial studies at the Ansell School of Business at Western Connecticut State University for the benefit of WCSU students and the greater Danbury community.