



# women of wind of ENERGY

## Rising Star Nomination Form

Each year, Women of Wind Energy (WoWE) recognizes one woman who, although relatively new to wind energy, has already made significant professional contributions. Reserved for women of all ages who are in the earlier years of their wind careers, the Rising Star Award recognizes women in our industry showing unusual talent, dedication, innovation, and impact.

**Nominations are due by March 18, 2011.** The next Rising Star Award will be announced and presented at the WoWE luncheon held during the WINDPOWER conference in Anaheim, CA, May 22-25, 2011.

### Nomination Criteria

- The nominee must be in the early years of her career in the wind energy industry
- She may work in legal, technical, business, advocacy, or other wind energy roles
- She must have demonstrated leadership in her work, and achieved significant personal or professional accomplishments during her time in the wind industry.

### Nomination Instructions

Name of Nominee: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Company/Organization: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Lead Nominator: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Names of Other Nominators (to show support for a specific nominee): \_\_\_\_\_

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### Nomination Essay

- What is the present role of the nominee in the wind energy field?
- What is her educational and professional background, and how long has she been in the wind industry?
- Why do you feel this woman should be recognized for her effort? What is the significance of her accomplishments? How do they exceed normal requirements or expectations? What is the degree of difficulty, innovation and/or dedication?
- Please enclose other materials that support the nomination, including a résumé or professional vitae, as possible, or media clippings.

**We encourage electronic submissions to [awards@womenofwindenergy.org](mailto:awards@womenofwindenergy.org).** Applications can also be mailed to Women of Wind Energy, 155 Water St., Brooklyn, NY 11201.