

League of United Latin American Citizens (LULAC) Excellence in Education Award



LULAC (League of United Latin American Citizens), the largest and oldest Hispanic organization in the United States, council 5218 of Aurora foundation, gave Dr. Lourdes Ferrer the *Excellence in Education Award*. This award was presented to her by Arturo Velazquez, president of that chapter, during LULAC's Annual Scholarship Award Ceremony. This award is given to people who arduously promote education in the Hispanic community. Dr. Lourdes is well known in the *City of Lights* (Aurora) as an educator who strongly believes and teaches that a quality education is the door to a quality life in the United States. For the past three years, Dr. Ferrer has facilitated numerous academies for parents and students including "Sit in the Driver's Seat," "Grooming for Excellence," and "Pre-Teen Challenge." Hundreds of Hispanics parents and students, residents if this city, have graduated from her academies.

National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP)

Audley Award of Leadership Excellence