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# Fatma Mili to receive Googasian Award

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Associate Professor of Engineering Fatma Mili will receive the 2003 Phyllis Law Googasian Award. Mili will receive the award at a special luncheon Wednesday, March 19, from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. in the Oakland Center Gold Rooms.

The Googasian Award recognizes women who have contributed to the advancement of women at Oakland University through distinguished leadership, scholarship, advocacy, mentoring, program development and other activities. Conferred by the OU chapter of the American Council on Education Network for women leaders, the award was created to honor Phyllis Law Googasian, trustee emerita, for her commitment to the university and the advancement of women.

Mili was selected for her outstanding contributions toward the advancement of women in engineering. Not only has she been heavily involved in the recruitment, retention, advising and mentoring of women students in engineering and computer science for over a decade she has been the faculty adviser for the Society of Women Engineers on OU's campus. She also is the founder of the International Association of Arab Women in Computer Science and has supervised the largest number of master's theses and doctoral dissertations by women in the **School of Engineering and Computer Science**.

The keynote speaker for the event is Sue Cischke, an OU alumna and vice president for Environmental and Safety Engineering for Ford Motor Company.

The cost of the luncheon is \$18 per person. To make a reservation for the event, contact Laura Schartman, director of the Office of Institution Research and Assessment, at (248) 370-2387 or [schartma@oakland.edu](mailto:schartma@oakland.edu).

The Phyllis Law Googasian Award Luncheon is being held in conjunction with the **Women's History Month** activities on OU's campus.

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