

# Celebrate Women

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VOTES FOR WOMEN: A CENTENNIAL

Morris Library

Rotunda and Guyon Auditorium

Thursday, March 5, 2020

4:30 - 7 pm



Wine and hors d'oeuvres reception

Joyce Hesketh, Harpist

4:30 – 5:50 pm

Alcoholic beverages will not be served to anyone under 21

Silent Auction

4:30 - 5:50 pm in Rotunda

Presentation by Susana Mendoza  
and awards ceremony

6 - 7 pm in Guyon auditorium

\$25 per person or \$15 for SIU students with ID  
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For tickets call Martha Ellert at (618) 521-0613 or email [msellert@aol.com](mailto:msellert@aol.com)

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Susana Mendoza has served as Illinois Comptroller since 2016.

Susana Mendoza is a native Illinoisan who was born in Chicago to Mexican immigrants. A skilled soccer player, in her youth, Mendoza would often play on otherwise all-male teams. Her effort and skill on the pitch and in the classroom resulted in a scholarship to play at Truman State University from which she graduated in 1994.

Mendoza has served the people of Illinois in various civic roles since 2000 when she was first elected to the Illinois House of Representatives.