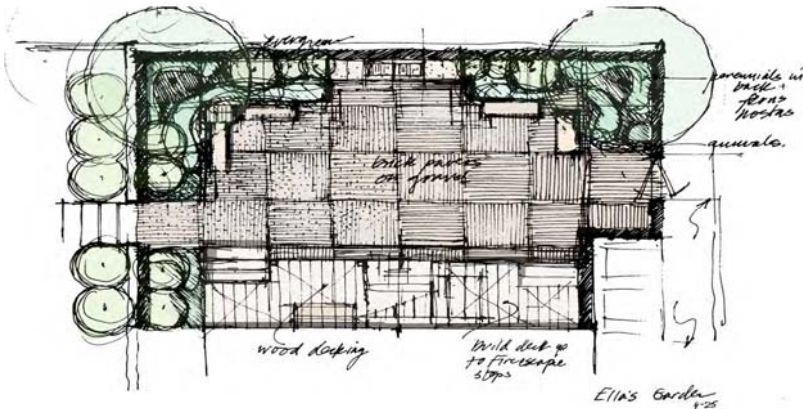


THE PENN WOMEN'S CENTER

THE Penn Women's Center, currently celebrating our 35th anniversary, supports students, staff, and faculty by providing advocacy, mentoring, crisis-intervention, referrals, policy consultation, and educational programming. We house multiple organizations, including the Penn Consortium of Undergraduate Women, Post-Graduate Women in Science and Engineering, I in 4 (a men's group focused on violence prevention), and two parenting groups. We have a nursing room, various meeting spaces, and a DVD/book library highlighting works by and about women. Throughout the school year, we sponsor workshops on careers, stress reduction, violence prevention, parenting, and wellness alongside events highlighting women writers, activists, and artists.

PWC GARDEN



HELP US BRING THE GARDEN TO LIFE!

Naming opportunities will start at \$250 and will include benches, trees, garden art, recognition on a Founders plaque or on carved-stone and brick inlays. Major gift opportunities will include program endowments and the naming of the garden (i.e.: "The Maya Angelou Women's Garden").

To find out more about how you can help please contact:

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WE are delighted to announce a new project: the creation of a Women's Garden at the Women's Center. The garden will provide a quiet space for reading, relaxing, and gathering, and will feature benches, a stone fireplace/bbq, a bird bath, a central dining table, and assorted plant beds.

The planting color scheme will be purple, gold and white in honor of the suffrage movement and its leader – herself a Penn alumna – Alice Paul. We will prioritize native Pennsylvania plants, both ornamental and edible. This garden will be open to all, but will especially nurture the personal, programmatic and social needs of Penn women.

We envisage the garden being used by:

- Penn Women's Center groups and sororities who currently have no outdoor space on campus;
- Our alumni wishing to gather during key university weekends (i.e. homecoming, Alumni Weekend);
- Penn students enrolled in courses focusing on urban nutrition or landscaping;
- Students enrolled in local Philadelphia schools who would be invited to participate in educational programs.

