

## Be a Contributing Writer for the [DWN BLOG](#)

DWN members have the opportunity to be contributing writers for our blog. Whether it's one post or several, the frequency of writing for our blog is completely up to you. The only commitment requirement is to submit your written piece by the deadline that you mutually agree upon with DWN's marketing and communications director, who approves, manages and edits all blog content.

We envision our blog to be a platform for knowledge-sharing by DePaul women, for DePaul women, with the goal of celebrating the many voices and perspectives of DePaul's women faculty and staff. **If you have an idea for a post, email us at [DPUWomensNetwork@depaul.edu](mailto:DPUWomensNetwork@depaul.edu).** We value and welcome your input.

### Why write for our blog?

- You enjoy writing
- You want to develop your writing experience
- You'd like to share insight or knowledge on a subject matter of your expertise, passion or interest
- You have a unique perspective you'd like to share on a topic related to DePaul women or women in general
- You're interested in expanding your writing portfolio (our blog is open to the public)

### What to write about?

- **Spotlights on DePaul Women** – feature pieces on inspiring DePaul women
  - A DePaul woman's special achievement, or someone deserving of recognition
  - A successful initiative that was founded or developed by a DePaul woman
  - A DePaul woman living the Vincentian mission in a unique or exemplary way
- **DePaul Women Reflect** – reflections on DePaul experiences
  - Membership testimonials: why did you join DWN and how has the experience been meaningful to you?
  - Did you recently participate in a Vincentian Heritage tour, a service immersion trip, or any other unique DePaul experience and want to write about it?
  - Did you recently attend an inspiring DePaul event (non-DWN) or local event and want to write about it?
- **Women's History** – promoting and discussing women's history/movement/milestones
- **Personal and Professional Development** – women-related personal and professional development topics
  - Growing with organizational changes; work/life balance; health and wellness; networking; commuting
  - Share resources, tips, advice; share knowledge and insights from conferences
  - Reviews on professional development books
- **DWN Events** – event recaps
  - Write about your experience at a DWN event
  - Reviews on DWN's book club picks

### Interested?

Email us at [DPUWomensNetwork@depaul.edu](mailto:DPUWomensNetwork@depaul.edu) to learn how to get started. We'll share specifics related to word count, style, timeline, etc., and answer any questions you have. In the meantime, visit our blog at [dpwomensnetwork.com](http://dpwomensnetwork.com) to get acquainted with our content.

