

**Eileen T. Green-Doyle, MSE '99:** “Women make the world go round!”



A dual citizen of the United States and Ireland, Eileen T. Green-Doyle received her Master’s Degree in Administration and Supervision from Pace’s School of Education, graduating in 1999. “My education at Pace helped me to become truly knowledgeable and adept at making decisions and handling problems in the Administrative Field while teaching in the NYC Public School System,” notes Eileen. “What I learned was thorough and meaningful, making me a better trainer of teachers. The professors were experts in their field, and they had genuine expectations for their students.”

Today, Eileen, who retired from NYC schools in 2004, is an advocate for clean, safe water for all people. Her passion developed from her involvement with the American Women’s Club of Dublin (AWCD), which is one of 75 members of the Federation of American Women’s Clubs (FAWCO).

“Upon moving to Ireland, I felt a need for some mental stimulation, so I joined the local library book group and found out about the AWCD,” recalls Eileen. “I met like-minded friends, and I became involved with Philanthropy for our Club. Later I became the President, Vice President of Education and our FAWCO Club Representative, as well as Advertising Manager. Now I am the Region 1 FAWCO Coordinator for Scotland, Ireland and England.”

FAWCO is a member of the United Nations, with voting rights and their goals are similarly aligned. “We strongly believe in equality and justice for women around the world,” explains Eileen. “We have aided organizations with Development Grants, and we have recently contributed to Hurricane Sandy victims. We are involved with worldwide projects involving: education, gender equality, critical health concerns, environmental concerns and aging.”

Eileen’s book, *Water...Changing the Flow*, is a compilation of water-themed photos submitted by FAWCO members, with all proceeds going to “Wells for Clean Water, Cambodia,” the focus of FAWCO’s Target Program. The book has raised \$7,000 for the wells. She notes that the program also teaches modern farming methods, giving Cambodia farmers a new livelihood and building self-esteem, and FAWCO’s English Club in Surrey has worked with Habitat for Humanity building houses in Cambodia. Given FAWCO’s role in so many vital projects, it’s easy to understand why Eileen exclaims, “Women make the world go round!”

Tree Hanging over Water near Dunboy Castle, by Eileen Green-Doyle



Water...Changing the Flow

*Emerald Isle,  
Ireland,  
by Eileen  
Green-Doyle*



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In addition to her work with FAWCO, Eileen has volunteered with the Maryknoll Missionaries in Bangkok, and taught English to Burmese refugees. “This experience truly changed my life,” she recalls. “I visited an AIDS house, immigrants in jail, Buddhist temples full of refugees, and more. I truly believe that religious leaders should be required to work in the Missions before preaching to the masses. The Maryknoll Missionaries are busy helping make the world a better place; their philosophy is to keep busy by helping the less fortunate and then celebrate life. The Maryknolls carry out their jobs with great humility, courage and spirit. They make a difference in peoples' lives.”

For more information about purchasing *Water... Changing the Flow*, please contact Eileen