



We are proud to announce that [Jamila K. Stockman, PhD, MPH](#) was honored at the YWCA of San Diego County's 20th Annual *In the Company of Women* benefit luncheon featuring the distinguished [Tribute to Women & Industry Awards \(TWIN\)](#) on Friday, May 4, 2018 in celebration of the strength, courage, and spirit of women and their extraordinary achievements.

Dr. Stockman was nominated and selected as UC San Diego's 2018 TWIN AWARD Honoree, as the Vice Chief and Associate Professor in the Division of Infectious Diseases and Global Public Health, and the Director of the Disparities Core, San Diego Center for AIDS Research. The TWIN Award Honors Dr. Stockman's leadership and research career, which is dedicated towards improving the lives of women who have experienced intimate partner and sexual violence. An epidemiologist by training, her research focuses on the intersecting epidemics of intimate partner violence and sexual violence, HIV acquisition and transmission, and substance abuse among marginalized populations.



She is working to advance understanding of the underlying immunological and physiological mechanisms linking these epidemics and to develop interventions that provide maximal reductions in HIV, substance abuse, and violence against women. In addition to her research, Dr. Stockman actively collaborates with local public health departments and community-based organizations to ensure ethical and cultural appropriateness of her research among members of the community. She also serves on various domestic-violence prevention steering committees and community-based organizations working to address the deleterious effects of violence and HIV in families and relationships.

Congratulations to Dr. Stockman on this notable and deserving award!