



AMY MAZZOLIN

a stellar addition to
CASA ITALIA'S EXECUTIVE HALL OF FAME



Standout businesswoman and philanthropist Amy Mazzolin will be inducted into the Casa Italia Executive Hall of Fame on April 29.

An entrepreneur, business owner and former bank executive, she has administered the Mazzolin Family Trust since the passing of her father, Gildo, in 2010.

An active member and supporter of the Italian-American community for decades, she has had an enormous positive impact on the community-at-large as well.

A resident of Chicago, she is the mother of Ronald, Gil and Amy Lemar, all of whom live in the Chicago area.

"Amy is a consummate professional and a tireless benefactor," says Committee Chairman Anthony Fornelli. "She is a truly worthy addition to our Hall of Fame."

On the business front, Ms. Mazzolin is a commercial real estate investor with holdings in Florida and Illinois, and the chairman of the board of Rex Carton Co., a family-owned business that manufactures corrugated shipping containers and related products.

Her volunteer activities include membership on the Board of Trustees and Development and Planning Committee for John Cabot University in Rome; the Women's Board of the University of Chicago Cancer Research Foundation; and the Board of Advisors of Catholic Charities of the Archdiocese of Chicago. She also serves as president of the Board of Directors of Fra Noi.

The following are among the countless worthy causes that have benefited from Ms. Mazzolin's generosity:

- The University of Chicago Cancer Research Center
- The University of Chicago MacLean Center for Medical Ethics, the nation's first program devoted to clinical medical ethics
- Catholic Charities' New Hope Apartments, which provides housing, education and intensive case management services for homeless veterans
- Casa Italia
- The Italian Cultural Center

- The Archdiocese of Chicago's Big Shoulders Fund, which provides financial support and mentoring programs to the neediest schools in the Archdiocese

Ms. Mazzolin was honored as Person of the Year by Friends of Villa Scalabrini, and she received the St. Anthony Medallion from the St. Anthony Chapter 13 of the Italo-American National Union. She was among 32 national leaders to be showcased in "Profiles of Italian Americans: Achieving the Dream and Giving Back," by Professor Cosmo F. Ferrara.

Ms. Mazzolin was the owner, director and senior vice president for new business

development of Capital Bank and Trust in Chicago and the owner, director and president of Capital Bank of Westmont.

She has followed in the footsteps of her legendary father and fellow Hall of Fame inductee, who founded Rex Carton Co. in 1948, acquired Capital Bank & Trust in 1967, and formed the Mazzolin Family Trust with his daughter in 1987.

Fellow inductees include Amadeo Giannini, founder of Bank of America; Lee Iacocca, chairman of Chrysler Corp.; Jerry Colangelo, owner and chairman of the Phoenix Suns and Arizona Diamondbacks; Mariano Turano, founder of the Turano Baking Co.; C.A. "Bud" Cataldo, CEO of Hostmark Inc.; Phyllis Muccianti, founder of Packaging Personified; Nello V. Ferrara, chairman of the board of Ferrara Pan Candy Co.; Jasper B. Sanfilippo, CEO of John B. Sanfilippo and Son Inc.; restaurateurs Steve Lombardo and Phil Stefani; Donald J. "Buddy" Romano, co-founder and chairman of Romano Brothers Beverage Co.; Paul Davies, president of AON Benfield Reinsurance International Corp.; insurance executive Richard P. Perillo Sr.; and Salvatore A. Balsamo, founder of AC Worldwide Companies.

The Casa Italia Executive Hall of Fame Gala will take place at 11:30 a.m. on April 29 in the Chandelier Room of the Community Center at Casa Italia, 3800 Division St., Stone Park. Tickets are \$65 and can be purchased by calling 708-345-5933.