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**Hillary Rodham Clinton to Deliver Keynote Address, Lupita Nyong'o, Others to Speak at 2014
Massachusetts Conference for Women**
Secretary Clinton's keynote address to be streamed live

Boston, MA, – The 10th annual Massachusetts Conference for Women announced today that a keynote address by former Secretary of State Hillary Rodham Clinton will be streamed live on the Conference website, www.maconferenceforwomen.org, on December 4, 2014 from 2:00 PM to 3:00 PM EST. The 2014 Conference, which will be held at the Boston Convention and Exhibition Center, is sold out and more than 10,000 people are expected to attend.

“It is important for the Conference to offer everyone, everywhere the opportunity to participate in this tremendous day,” said Gloria Larson, Board President of the Conference. “The Massachusetts Conference for Women believes in the advancement of women’s interests at the community, national and global level. Secretary Clinton and our other notable speakers will motivate not only those fortunate enough to be here, but also others who are able to join us online.”

The nonpartisan, nonprofit Conference is the nation’s largest and premiere event for women, attracting nearly 10,000 attendees every year. The 10th annual Conference will feature hundreds of speakers for a full day of inspiration, reinvention and networking. Topics include leadership, career advancement, money management, health and wellness, small business and entrepreneurship, social media, branding and more.

Additional Keynote speakers include Academy Award®-winning actress Lupita Nyong'o, designer and philanthropist Tory Burch, Life is good® co-founder John Jacobs, Bank of America executive Anne Finucane and former Young & Rubicam Brands Chairman and CEO Ann M. Fudge.

In previous years, attendees have benefited from the talent and wisdom of such trailblazers as celebrated poet, author, educator and historian **Dr. Maya Angelou**; former Texas **Governor Ann Richards**; women’s rights pioneer **Gloria Steinem**; President and Editor-in-Chief of the Huffington Media Group **Arianna Huffington**; judge and television personality **Glenda Hatchett**; model, entrepreneur, spokesperson, advocate and filmmaker **Christy Turlington Burns**; personal finance expert **Suze Orman**; life coach and author **Martha Beck**; and many more.

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"It is an honor to be part of the 10th Anniversary celebration of this event," said Alison A. Quirk, Executive Vice President and Chief Human Resources and Citizenship Officer for State Street Corporation. "At State Street, we recognize the power of the women in our workforce to shape the future of the financial markets and the communities where they live and work. This conference truly helps women to find inspiration through the 'Power of Us.' "

To learn more about the 10th Annual Massachusetts Conference for Women and the live stream keynote, visit our website at www.MAconferenceforwomen.org.

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