

# FECCA Features in ACT Awards

The Federation of Ethnic Communities' Councils of Australia (FECCA) has congratulated winners of this year's ACT Multicultural Community Awards.

The awards, announced by the ACT Minister for Multiculturalism, Ms Rachel Stephen-Smith, celebrate the achievements of individuals and businesses who work to support multiculturalism in the ACT.

The Chairperson of FECCA, Ms Mary Patetsos, said today: "These awards go to people who have shown generosity of spirit as well as commitment to promoting community harmony in our diverse multicultural Australia.

"I particularly want to pay tribute to the former FECCA Disabilities Chair, Victor Marillanca, who received the Media Award," Ms Patetsos said.

Minister Stephen-Smith said: "All award recipients invest enormous effort and commitment in the true spirit of multiculturalism and should be truly proud of their efforts."

FECCA is the national peak body representing Australians from CALD backgrounds. FECCA's role is to advocate and promote issues on behalf of its constituency to government, business and the broader community.

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