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**May 27, 2011 Press Release: *Binh DuRant Receives National Council of Work Centers Management Excellence Award***



Binh DuRant, ECVC Community Employment Services Program Manager, was chosen as a recipient of the 2010 National Council of Work Centers (NCWC) Management Excellence Award. The award was presented at the South Region Convention on May 24.

Binh attended ECU and received a BA degree in Psychology in 1999 and began working at ECVC in 2000 as an Employment Specialist. She was promoted to her current position in 2005 and oversees six Employment Specialists.

DuRant was nominated for this award due to her exemplary work qualities, job dedication, genuine belief in the abilities of people with disabilities and her outstanding leadership skills resulting in increased job opportunities. The last three fiscal years have been the highest on record at ECVC for job placements for people with disabilities.

“I am humbled, honored and grateful for this nomination. It is wonderful to work for such an amazing company and to have the opportunity to assist persons with disability reach their vocational goals,” exclaimed Durant.

The NCWC is an independent network of executives representing nonprofit agencies (NPAs) that manufacture products or provide services under the AbilityOne Program. The NCWC Executive Committee consists of four elected officers and representatives of agencies from each of six regions.

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