



## **MARTHA RIES MEMORIAL ETHICS AND SERVICE AWARD PRESENTED TO IRINA FALCONI**

The Martha Ries Memorial Ethics & Service Award was just presented for the first time in Dow Tennis Classic history. This award is presented in memory of former Dow Corning Chief Ethics and Compliance Officer Martha Ries, who passed away in May, 2016. Ries' niece Kayla Day is a top junior tennis player who is playing in this year's Tennis Classic. Kayla Day achieved the No.1 Junior World ranking this Summer after winning the Junior U.S. Open and reaching the semifinals at Junior Wimbledon. Irina Falconi was this year's recipient of the award. Irina has shown incredible service to the community both on and off the court after an earthquake struck her hometown in Ecuador last year. She raised \$25,000 for relief efforts & we feel that she represents all aspects of this award that honors Martha. Congratulations Irina!