

Alumnae of Color Committee (AoCC) Report

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Dr. Toni M. McElroy, Co-Chair

Ms Myila Granberry, Co-Chair

Mission: To foster retention and recruitment of alumnae, students, faculty, and administrators of color; to serve as a force for change, confronting racism, prejudice, and discrimination; to support a thriving, multicultural Mills community where people of color are valued and empowered as full participants.

Committee Members: Dr. Toni M. McElroy, Chair, Dr. Connie Davidson, Estrellita Redus, Myila Granberry, Jameela Latif Williams, Dorothy Lawrence, Patricia Duncan Hall, Dr. Micheline Beam, Lynette Williamson, Lynette Castille Hall, Sheryl Woolridge, Dr. Yvonne Daniels, Dr. Gwen Foster

SAW Brunch

SAW Brunch was held on August 8, 2016 at the GSB Conference Hall. Staff, BOG, Alumnae, and twenty-two (22) SAW students participated. Also in attendance was President Hillman who welcome new SAW students, In total, 60 guest enjoyed good food and great conversation. Event Chairs: Myia Granberry and Patricia Duncan Hall.

Gospel Brunch and AoCC 25th Anniversary Reception

AoCC 25th Anniversary Reception was held on Friday, Sepember 23, 2016. The Reception was lively and well attended. The Gospel Brunch (Sunday, September 25 hosted 52 Alumnae, Staff, faculty, and College Administration. Dr. Bruce Williams was honored for his scholarly achievements and service to the college and SAW students. The late MaryLois Redus Sweat was also honored. MaryLois was the sister of Estrellita Redus Hudson and Camellia Redus Frankin. Dr. Jeff Jackanicz, Vice President OIA and OIA Staff, Student Services and President Hillman were present at both events. Our special guest was President Alecia De Coudreau. Rachael Rice'18' and Jennifer Gibbs, OIA, entertained our guest with the gift of song. Event Committee: Dr. Toni M. McElroy, Lynette Castile Hall, Estrellita Redus Hudson, Dr. Connie Davidson, Dr. Micheline Beam.

Upcoming Events

Saturday, November 12, 2016 - 5 pm

Holiday Celebration in Honor of students, faculty staff and alumnae

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Thursday, April 13, 2017 - 5pm

Phenomenal Woman Event

Student Union

Next AoCC Meeting

2016

Saturday, November 5, 2016--Cowell Conference Room - 1:30 pm

Respectfully Submitted,

Dr. Toni M. McElroy