Alumnae of Color Report September, 2018

Mission Statement

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

The AoCC is pleased to present the board of governor's with our fall report.

The annual SAW (Summer Academic Workshop) brunch was held Saturday, August 4th. It was a great success with 22 SAW students attending along with members of the AoCC.

Our first meeting for the 2018-2019 year was held on September 8th. Executive Committee nominations and elections are pending. Positions to be voted on are:

2 Co-chairs

Secretary

Treasurer

Lynette Castille-Hall will remain BOG liaison

Nominations must submitted by September 24th. Voting will begin September 29th, ending at a special meeting on October 6th at noon.

We are looking to hosting our wine and cheese reception reunion weekend on September 27th at 4p in RAH.

Alumnae trustee Yvonne Daniel will present 2 dance programs during reunion weekend.

"Our Diverse Dance World: An Informal Showing" Friday, September 28th/6p-7:30p and "Dance Alumnae Theater and Movement Workshop" Saturday, September 29th 2p-2:50p. Please plan to attend.

The 6th annual Endowed Scholarship concert/fundraiser will be held November 8th at 5:30pm in the student union. It will be an evening of song and celebration featuring the Lucy Kitchen Chorale. Our 3 recipients will be there, and we will introduce our 4th awardee.

Congratulations to AoCC committee member Myila Granberry on her Recent Graduate Award, being presented at the AAMC luncheon. We thank Maria, Connie, and Gwen for their leadership this year and look forward to our upcoming elections. We also appreciate and thank all of the members of this committee who work so diligently toward the success of our work.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the AoCC committee, Lynette Castille-Hall