

### WELCOME

### **New Members**

Lynn Willoughby Portland #54

**Emily Anderson**Puget Sound #60

**Brianna Reinke**Puget Sound #60

Tara Kelly Eugene #77

Karen Burton SF #19

Robin O'Shea SF #19

Rebecca Takkas SF #19

Kara Skinner Puget Sound #60

Melody Hager Puget Sound #60

Tori Stall Sacramento #63

**Daisy Gomes**Sacramento #63

Shelly Avila Fresno #108

Tammy Niederhaus Salem #198

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**& the Portland Chapter!** You ROCKED—from BrewFest to conference; everything was fantastic. I sincerely appreciate your tremendous efforts. I couldn't have asked for a better start.

It was my sincere pleasure to spend the weekend with you ladies! See page 4 for a few photos and a brief recap. I am very much looking forward to all that we can accomplish in this upcoming NAWIC year.

It's tough to believe Thanksgiving is around the corner. Wishing each of you and your families a fantastic holiday season! Also hoping that I see each and everyone of you in Salem if not sooner!

Sauline

I am sure that you have all seen the wonderful "Kathy Ireland video". If not, it is on the NAWIC home page. We encourage you to put a link to the video on your chapter website homepage. Great visibility

https://youtu.be/3xNFHPCBi-o about women in construction.

### WIC Week 2018

# Rachel Stroup PNW Region WIC Chair



National has announced the

Award Categories for WIC Week this year to include:

- Chapter with the most WIC Week Events
- Chapter with the largest Single WIC Week Event,
- Region with the largest Single WIC Week Event

### National President Elect

### DOVE SIFERS-PUTMAN, CBT

Will host a conference call next month. "So you are thinking about running for region Director". This will be on

Tuesday, 12/5/17 at 9:00 PST.

You know I'm already succession planning, so if you have an ounce of interest I encourage you to dial in!

**MEMBER SPOTLIGHT** 

# Lee Abuabara

**MWA ARCHITECTS** 

Integrative urban design in support of the environment, economy and community.



SF member and Job Captain, Lee Abuabara, has an exciting project in Oakland. It is the remodel of a large warehouse at Brooklyn Basin. It's a large scale project by Signature Development Group; right on the bay.

http://www.signaturedevelopment.com/development/brooklyn-basin/

Part of the project is turning a 200,000 sf warehouse into a 20,000 sf retail space, restaurant and Marina Headquarters. It also includes new park land along the marina. The demo's already begun and you can see it from the 880 freeway (major artery through the east bay).





### **Upcoming PE&E Events**

There aren't any more conference calls scheduled for this year.

2018

### **Mid-January**

Michelle Mercier will present on Work Life Integration

### **February 15th**

Amanda Baer, Esq Sexual Harassment 9:00 a.m. PST

### March 15th

Millie Workman Risk Management 101 at 1:00 p.m. PST

# News & Announcements

#### SAVE the DATE

### April 19—22, 2018 is our Spring Forum.

While we don't have an active link yet.....you should put these dates on your calendar! We have arranged for a room block at the

### Grand Hotel - 201 Liberty Street SE, Salem

Check it out at www.grandhotelsalem.com Rooms will be \$159 per night with Registration fees of \$150 per person.

### **Get your NAWIC Podcasts Here:**

http://www.nawic.org/nawic/Podcasts.asp

itunes.apple.com/us/podcast/nawic-podcasts/id1164220026

nawic.podomatic.com/rss2.xml

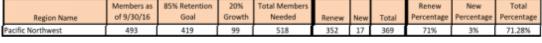
Most of the Conference call sessions hosted by National are available through Podcasts. If you missed the AIA Contracts on 11/8/17 you should definitely listen to David Fine's session. He was clear, concise and had the comparison phrasing highlighted. Hats off to the Jessica Murphy National PD & E Chair who did a great job.

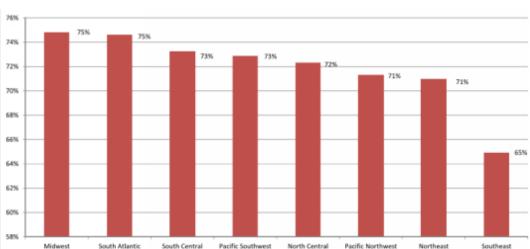
### A Little Help, Please!

Check out our PNW stats—we could use some new members. Not to look at the glass as 1/2 empty but we're 3rd from last. Will you please bring a friend to the next meeting, then ask her to join?

For other ideas or inspiration on Membership—reach out to our Regional Membership Chair, Jodi Martinez

jmartinez@allstarglasscompany.com





Ask a friend, bring a friend, get a friend to join!

The Fall Conference Committee created the perfect event! Please reward their hard work and efforts by thanking them at Forum 2018 in Salem. If you haven't already, please complete the Survey Monkey and give us feed back!

### **THANK YOU Portland #54**



# Fall Conference Recap



Cross Laminated Timber Tours



## Mehgan Herteg of Walsh

### Construction

joined us on our walk and presented with Eric McDonnell of KPFF on Saturday.

They shared more technical information about CLT and did an exceptional job of keeping it simple while expanding on the details of the logistics and how it provides the needed strength for multi-story buildings.



### **Calendar of Events**

# 23rd Happy Thanksgiving!

We've been working on establishing a partnership with Atuodesk. We were invited to speak at their Women in Construction Hour of Action

> Wednesday 11/15/17

in the Venetian Hotel at Yardbirds 5:00 pm

Click this link to sign up for AU

https://autodeskuniversity.smarteventscloud.com/connect/search.ww#loadSearchsearchPhrase=&searchType=session&tc=0&sortBy=dayTime&p=

Please send me any comments regarding Streamlining the National Bylaws before the Thanksgiving holiday so that I am prepared to comment at our meeting on December 1, 2017. December

1st





If you are traveling for business, you can always attend another chapters meeting. You will qualify for the member rate and meet new ladies in that area—win/win!

# Bits of

# Information

### **WEBSITE**

A HUGE thank you to
Dalene Schafer-Bloom for getting all
the Fall Conference info loaded!
Visit our website at nawicpnw.org

### **CONTACT INFO**

can be found after signing in (under Members / Membership Directory) at www.nawic.org.

### **FACEBOOK**

Connect with us on Facebook at facebook.com/nawicnational

NOTE: There is a National **social media policy**—please read it and
follow the rules.

### **NAWIC NEWS**

Eugene, Fresno, Portland, Puget Sound, SF, Salem, Sacramento you all ROCK for recruiting new members!

#### SOCIAL MEDIA

Please contact Robin Langkamp with any regional postings . **Many thanks** for a great job Robin!

# **Leadership Directory**

## **PNW Chapter Presidents**

San Francisco #19

Tina Menard

Portland #54

Kelly Aust

Puget Sound #60

Jenny Browne

Sacramento #63

Sarah Flores

Eugene #77

Robin Langkamp

Santa Clara #99

Shawna Alvarado

Fresno #108

Terri Sherron

Spokane #143

Talia Noyes

South Sound #187

Kelly Milstead

Alaska #197

Tamie Taylor

Salem #198

Dawn Killough

Boise #245

Cynthia Parent

Guam #381

Ann Marie Pelobello



## **PNW Region Chairs**

Block Kids Gloria Bruning

**Bylaws** Kelly Aust

**Design Drafting** 

Denise Redmond-

Crossland

Membership

Jodi Martinez

**NFSF Fundraising** 

Yasmine Branden

**NEF Liaison** Janet Turner

PD&E Julie Salinas

PR& Marketing

Amy Schultze

**OSHA Alliance** 

Ruth Ann Carr

Safety Laura Rannow

Strategic Planning

**Chris Wiggington** 

WIC Week Rachel Stroup

### **NATIONAL TEAM:**

**PRESIDENT** 

CATHERINE SCHOENENBERGER

PRESIDENT ELECT

DOVE SIFERS-PUTMAN, CBT

**VICE PRESIDENT** 

DIANE MIKE, CBT

**TREASUERER** 

ANNE PFLEGER, CIT

**SECRETARY** 

JILL HANSON, CIT

IMMEDIATE PAST-PRESIDENT

CONNIE LIEPERD, CIT

**EVP** BETH BROOKS

### **REGION DIRECTORS:**

MIDWEST—VICKIE NICKEL

NORTH CENTRAL—JENNY MANGAS

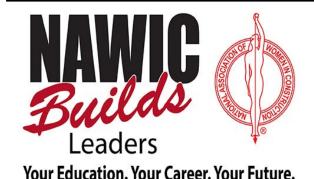
NORTH EAST—DOREEN BARTOLDUS, PE

PACIFIC SOUTHWEST—LIZ TERRAMOTO

SOUTH ATLANTIC—KRISTEY STEWART

SOUTH CENTRAL—L AURI E JIMINEZ

SOUTH EAST — KAREN HAGER



Keeping up with the **Guam** ladies.

Be sure to check in with them if you are ever in their area.

They'd love to hear from you!

