

Branch Club Committee Report
Board of Governors Meeting
May/Spring 2019

Our committee is steadily discussing finding ways to increase and improve our relationship with our branches.

Meetings with clubs, as well as special events, holiday teas, and summer send-off's are encouraged and supported. Additionally, meetings that include visits with President Hillman and Jeff Jackanicz are always well attended.

This year, our committee created a platform to encourage our recent grads to participate in branch club activities by reducing costs to attend the event. We successfully invited recent alumni to attend a meeting in Los Angeles in February at the Skirball Museum.

This was a big success with both the President and Vice-President attending, along with a great turnout from LA alumni and 7 recent grads. We plan to roll out this program with other branch clubs in the 2019/2020 academic year.

Upcoming trips are planned for President Hillman and Trish for a rowing event (NW Masters) in Vancouver, and a get-together with the Portland branch, both in June.

We also are encouraging branch clubs to nominate alumns for special honors to the Alumnae Awards Committee that will be given at Reunion weekend in September.

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Board Of Governors
Branch Club Committee Chair