## Report of Women's Faculty Club Annual Meeting March 27, 2018



## WOMEN'S FACULTY CLUB ELECTION AND ANNUAL MEETING

## **BOARD OF DIRECTORS ELECTION RESULTS**

The annual election of members of the Board of Directors was held from February 15 to March 8. Elected to serve a three-year term were: Francesco Borelli, Renee Chow, Christina Maslach and Patty Mead.

## **ANNUAL MEETING**

The Annual Meeting of the Women's Faculty Club was held on Tuesday, March 13. President Eleanor Swift presented the year-end financial report for 2017. Revenue exceeded expenses by approximately \$77,000. This is a significant increase over prior years 2015 and 2016. Construction of the new building for the Haas Business School continued throughout 2015 - 2017, affecting the Club's hotel business significantly and precluding any increase in room rates. That construction project is now concluded.

The new outdoor patio was completed, as well as the ADA pathway and surrounding gardens. Several wedding, retirement and memorial events were held on the patio, and it proved to be the beautiful and welcoming space that we hoped for. The use of the patio and other Club facilities for members' special events is crucial to increasing the Club's revenue stream.

Nathan Peterson, the Club's new Chef, has been extremely well received by Club members, both for the luncheon service, receptions following our Club programs, and more elegant dinners and fundraising events.

The Club's Next Century Campaign continues to move toward its goal of \$1,000,000. Several named gifts were received, including a set of benches and a bird bath in honor of Professor Elizabeth Colson. The naming of The Library for Carol Soc is nearing its goal. More news about the Campaign will be forthcoming soon.

We look forward to the celebration of our Club's 100<sup>th</sup> Birthday in 2019!

