

June 1, 2020
Zoom Video Conference

WCI Executive Committee Meeting 2020 Report



The Executive Committee Meeting 2020 was originally scheduled to be held in Jakarta, Indonesia. Unfortunately, due to the global pandemic, the meeting was cancelled and instead was held on Zoom on June 1st. The Executive Committee was welcomed and thanked for their valuable contributions to WCI.

The meeting's emphasis was to look innovatively at how we serve members and how to continue crystallizing the mission of "bringing global women together" even in uncertain times. Thankfully, WCI had already made the transition of many of our programs and meetings to an online platform, allowing us to continue bringing women together in friendship and education seamlessly.

The meeting highlighted WCI's continued effort to implement a "Learning Organization Model" to further embed Education in our organizational practices. Also, WCI's Strategic Plan aims at delivering more value to members through heightened interaction.

Reports from our Executive Committee officers were presented, and they included:

1. The President's Report by *Kim Riedel*. The report outlined what aspects of the three-pronged Strategic Plan had been fulfilled and the coming year's focus.
2. The Treasurer's Report by *Helen Salazar*. The report presented the financial status and recommendations to the budget.
3. The Regional Membership Report by *Jeanette Malek*. This was a combined report presented by North America & Canada Regional Membership Chair on behalf of all Regional Chairs.
4. The Membership Directory Report by Chair *Isabel Etkin*.
5. The Sister Club News Report by Editor *Rihab Ouri*.

6. Media & Communications Report by Chair *Reem Iversen*.

7. Facebook Report by Vice-President *Kathryn Bessemer*.

8. Director of Meetings Report by Chair *Vena Iversen*.

9. Special Jakarta Liaison Report by *Yanti Pramono*.

10. Statement of Values Report by Task Force Head *Caroline Adair Dimmers*.

The challenges and opportunities that have emerged because of the pandemic will only strengthen us and connect us in lasting ways that will heighten friendship and education between women. May we continue to work together on behalf of women worldwide.

Report by Kim Riedel, WCI President (2019-2021)

