

Regional Breakfast: Elections and Recognitions

Held during the BOMA International Conference, the PSW Regional Breakfast is an annual organizational meeting at which we elect our leaders for the coming year and take the opportunity to recognize honorees. Read some of the highlights from the breakfast below.

Pacific Southwest Regional Leaders Elected

Cortney Shadel, Treasurer
Cortney is a member of BOMA San Francisco and a Senior General Manager at Transwestern.

Rebecca Aguilar, Secretary
A member of BOMA San Francisco, Rebecca is a Senior Property Manager at Transwestern.

Finland Alejo, TOBY Chair
A member of BOMA Greater Los Angeles, Finland is a Senior Property Manager at Kilroy.

Michelle Piazza, Member of the Year Chair and Emerging Scholarship Chair
Michelle is a member of BOMA Silicon Valley and a Senior Property Manager at TMG Partners.

Awards and Recognitions

We recognized **Tiffany Yeh**, recipient of the 2023 PSW Emerging Young Leaders Scholarship. Congratulations to her for this award and for her recent promotion to Property Manager at Kilroy.



"Being awarded the prestigious 2023 Emerging Young Leaders Scholarship was an incredible honor for me, as there are so many other incredible rising stars in the industry! This gave me the opportunity to attend the BOMA International Expo and Conference which was an extraordinary experience that I will forever cherish," says Tiffany. "The educational courses enhanced my knowledge and skills, empowering me to excel even further. The networking opportunities allowed me to connect with industry professionals and establish valuable lifelong relationships. The vendor exposure broadened my perspectives and opened doors for potential collaborations. I am profoundly grateful for scholarships like this that allowed an emerging professional to attend the conference which provided support, guidance, and opportunities."

We also paid tribute to **Nathan Sovich**, who was named BOMA PSW Member of the Year. A director at CBRE, he has been a member of BOMA Greater Los Angeles for more than 10 years and has served on numerous committees. Nathan obtained his RPA in 2016. This past year, he was co-leader of the BOMA/GLA Northeast Regional Council, was a Government Affairs Committee Member, Operating Expense Benchmark Committee Member, and a Rising Star Mentor. "I always appreciated all of the doors that BOMA opened for me through networking and advocacy when I was starting out in my career and enjoy creating those same opportunities for the next generation of industry leaders," he says.



A special thanks to our Nominating Committee: **Susan Engstrom** (BOMA Phoenix), **Thor Emblem** (BOMA San Diego), and **Joe Suzuki** (BOMA Greater Los Angeles).