

Board of Trustees  
Greetings and Farewells

With much gratitude, we say farewell to outgoing Trustees Dana Johnson, Claudia Kasvin, and Tricia Kennedy. Dana joined the board in 2015 and served as both secretary and vice-president. Claudia served two board terms, beginning in 2013, filling roles of vice-president and treasurer. Tricia served on the Fund Development Committee and special events committees for her 2016-17 term. Thank you Dana, Claudia and Tricia, for your loyal service to Women Writing for (a) Change!

The 2018 board will be anchored by officers Elizabeth Mannion, president; Pam Temple, vice-president and secretary; and Mary Jo Sage, treasurer. Along with returning trustees Laurel Chambers, Lisa Hess, and Toni Lackner, we welcome incoming trustees Alyssa Brandt, Wendy Farmer, Lisa Prantl and Heather Snyder!

Alyssa Brandt knows WWf(a)C through her daughter's enthusiasm for our Young Women's classes and camps. Alyssa has many years of professional writing experience that includes blog posts, social media, podcasts, advertorial and web copy, and award-winning feature articles.

Wendy Farmer brings a background in education and working with youth. Her experience also includes Enneagram training and that of MBSR (mindfulness based stress reduction). Wendy has been a regular core class participant, and completed the 2017 Conscious Feminine Leadership Academy (CFLA).

Lisa Prantl also completed CFLA in 2017. Recently retired as a legal manager at P&G, her background is in paralegal work, writing and editing. As an avid writer and poet, Lisa is part of the Wednesday Evening Co-ed Class at WWf(a)C.

Heather Snyder began participating in core classes at WWf(a)C in 2001. In 2012, Heather became the volunteer WWf(a)C newsletter editor. She was soon hired to work in the office, taking care of student registrations, processing gifts, and generally keeping the office organized and running smoothly until the end of 2016. Heather is a 2015 CFLA graduate.

We are delighted to welcome this talented group of women to the board of trustees! Their photos and short biographies will appear on the WWf(a)C website later this month.