

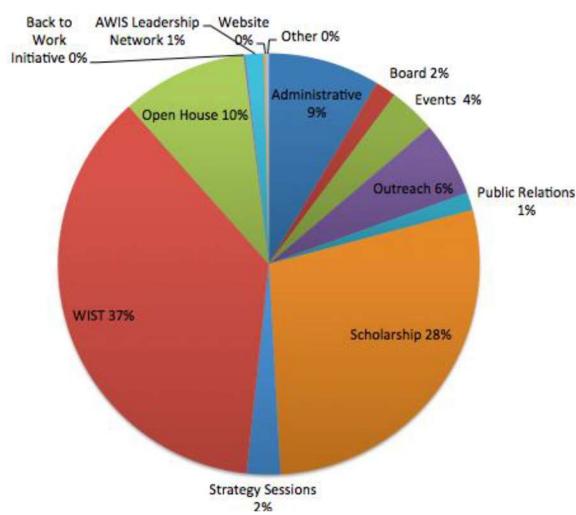
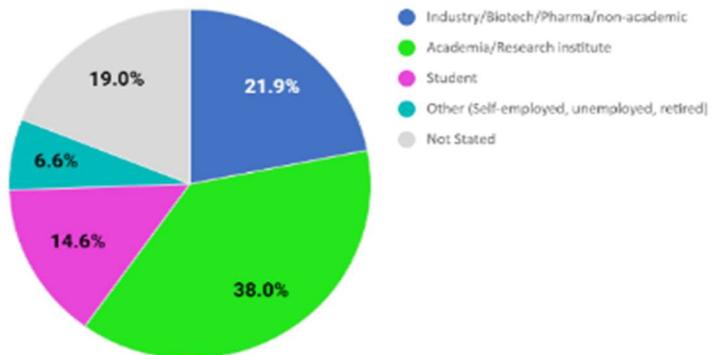
AWIS SAN DIEGO CHAPTER



and have a focus on women's issues, all genders are welcome and encouraged to join, and or partner with us. We also work to expand our reach and connect to the broader STEM ecosystem of organizations to share resources and information and expose, communicate, and inspire our community to the wonders and application of STEM innovation through community events and activities. The AWIS San Diego Chapter is one of the larger AWIS chapters and we have earned the STAR award designation of excellence in programming for several years. We have many opportunities to support and supplement career development, with more than eleven (11) subcommittees to assist members with both soft and hard skills to help advance them in their careers.

The AWIS San Diego Chapter includes eleven (11) committees that offer members and the community opportunities for professional development, networking and mentorship. At the chapter level, we are a volunteer organization that strives to provide networking, leadership, and both professional and personal development opportunities to our members. While we also advocate for equality

AWIS SAN DIEGO DEMOGRAPHICS



DISTRIBUTION OF FUNDS

A large percentage of our funds go towards our scholarship program and the full day WIST conference or Scholarship Celebration. The pie chart **reflects expenses incurred in a 2-year period**. Funds are also channeled towards other events such as strategy sessions, networking and family events, and outreach programs. Our administrative costs are negligible, as we are a **100% volunteer-run organization**.

AWIS SAN DIEGO CHAPTER BENEFITS

Access to many of the career development events and activities are **available at low or no cost to members**

All AWIS San Diego Members

- **Professional Women in STEM Conference** – Network and collaborate in this full day conference targeting relevant topics in career advancement and work life balance.
- **Monthly Networking Events** – Event programming is designed to encourage interdisciplinary collaborative networking (STEM field, career level, industry, employment sector).
- **Mentor/Mentee Opportunities** – Give back, pull us all up, and connect with amazing individuals.
- **Outreach** – Enhance your sci-com skills and participate in our efforts to bring STEM to our community, provide visibility to women as leaders in STEM, and inspire the next generation of STEM leaders. The Outreach committee also offers scholarships to middle school and high school girls participating in the annual Greater San Diego Science & Engineering Fair.
- **STEM Career Conference** – Participate in inspiring the next generation of STEM leaders as a conference committee member, speaker, mentor panelist, workshop host, or volunteer in our full day career conference targeting high school and community college STEM students.
- **Scholarships** – AWIS San Diego offers scholarships annually to community college, undergraduate, graduate and doctoral students. Apply for our scholarships or join our scholarship committee and be part of lifting the next generation of STEM leaders.
- **Leadership Opportunities** – Join any of our committees and share your ideas and enhance your leadership skills in a supportive environment where we are dedicated to making your success our success.
- **AWIS San Diego Email News & Updates** – Gain access to current AWIS events and local STEM events and activities in a bimonthly email.
- **Newsletter** – Read about our local chapter members, events, and activities. Share your successes, submit a blog article about a relevant topic, or join our newsletter team and add to your science writing visibility.
- **AWIS San Diego Website Event Calendar**: Learn about and register for our San Diego events.

Career Level Offerings

Professional Careers

- **AWIS Leadership Network** - Engage in constructive conversation with members, allies, and thought leaders.

Junior Careers

- **Mid-Career Coffee Club** – Engage in collaborative solutions to advance to the next stage of your career and gain tools for ideal work life balance.
- **Academia 2 Industry Transition** – Participate in relevant career skills for those seeking transitional career moves.

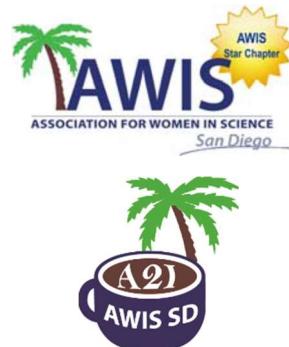
Early Careers

- **Strategy Sessions** – Gain best practices, skills, and techniques to launch your transition from academics to professional life.

MEET OUR AWIS SAN DIEGO TEAM

2019 AWIS San Diego Chapter Board Members:

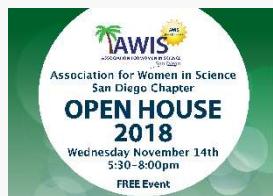
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Academia 2 Industry

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Corporate Sponsorship: corporatesponsorship@awissd.org
Events: events@awissd.org
Mid-Career Coffee Club: Coming Soon!
Newsletter: newsletter@awissd.org
Open House: openhouse@awissd.org
Outreach (K-14): outreach@awissd.org
Public Relations: publicrelations@awissd.org
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STEM Active Connect: eventlist@awissd.org
STEM Career Conference: awiscareerpanel@gmail.com
Strategy Sessions: strategysessions@awissd.org
Website: website@awissd.org
WIST Professional Conference wist@awissd.org



AWIS SAN DIEGO ANNUAL CHAPTER EVENTS

January:

AWIS Leadership Network Workshop
Board: Elections
Events: Holiday Celebration
Outreach: 52 Weeks of Science
Scholarships: Open Applications
STEM Active Connect: Walk/Hike

February:

Academia 2 Industry: Speaker
AWIS Leadership Network: Social
Events: Company Tour
STEM Active Connect: Walk/Hike
Strategy Sessions: Panel Discussion

March:

Academia to Industry: Speaker
AWIS Leadership Network: Workshop
Events: Speed Mentoring
Outreach: Science Fair Awards
Outreach: EYH Crime Science
Outreach: Science Expo Booth
Outreach: STEM in your backyard
Scholarship: Deadline March 28th
STEM Active Connect: Walk/Hike

April:

AWIS Leadership Network: Social
Events: Happy Hour Networking
Outreach: Science Fair Awards Dinner
STEM Active Connect
Strategy Sessions: Workshop

May:

Academia 2 Industry: Speaker
AWIS Leadership Network: Workshop
Scholarship: Scholars Celebration
STEM Active Connect: Walk/Hike
STEM Biennial Career Conference
WIST Professional Biennial Conference

June:

AWIS Leadership Network: Social
STEM Active Connect: Walk/Hike
Strategy Sessions: Workshop

July:

Academia 2 Industry: Company Tour
Events: Family Event
STEM Active Connect: Walk/Hike

August:

STEM Active Connect: Walk/Hike
Strategy Sessions: Workshop

September:

Academia 2 Industry: Speaker
AWIS Leadership Network: Workshop
Board: Meet the Board
Events: Happy Hour
STEM Active Connect: Walk/Hike

October:

Academia 2 Industry: Company Tour
AWIS Leadership Network: Workshop
Open House: Community Welcome
Outreach: Chem Expo
Outreach: Maker Faire
STEM Active Connect: Walk/Hike
Strategy Sessions: Workshop
STEM Biennial Career Conference
WIST Professional Biennial Conference

November:

AWIS Leadership Network: Social
Events: Workshop
STEM Active Connect: Walk/Hike

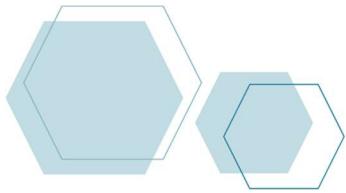
December:

AWIS Leadership Network: Social
STEM Active Connect: Walk/Hike
Strategy Sessions: Panel Discussion

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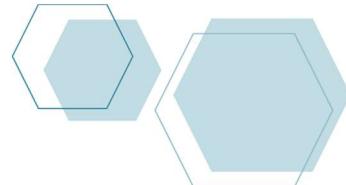
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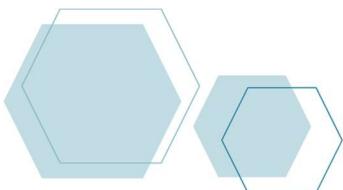
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AWIS Fellow
Lynne Friedmann



AWIS NATIONAL ORGANIZATION

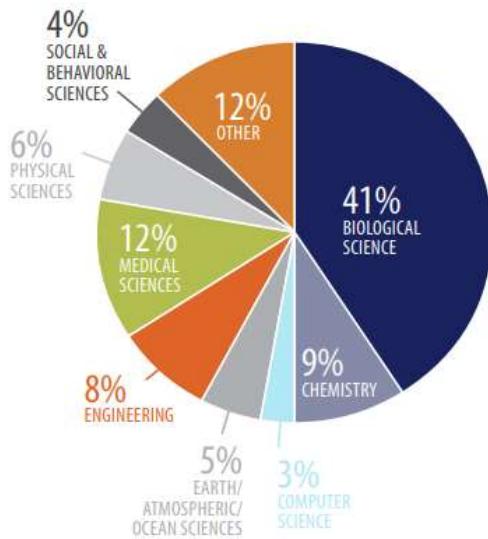


across STEM fields, career levels, and employment sectors. At the National level the organization works to advance research and policy efforts regarding equity, diversity, and inclusion in areas such as leadership and wage equity.

Demographics

AWIS champions the interests of women in STEM through:

- ▷ Advocacy and Public Policy
- ▷ Talent and Leadership Development
- ▷ Research and Publications



The National Association for Women in Science (AWIS) was founded in 1971 and currently has over 80 chapters across the US. AWIS is a global network that inspires bold leadership, research, and solutions that advance women in STEM, spark innovation, promote organizational success, and drive systemic change. The Association for women in Science is a national organization that advocates for women and equity

AWIS National Member Exclusive Resources

- **Online Member Portal:** engage in constructive conversation with members, allies, and thought leaders.
- **Membership Directory:** connect with AWIS members worldwide.
- **Washington Wire:** stay informed on trends, opportunities, and events with our twice monthly e-news digest.
- **AWIS Magazine:** follow the recognition and record of women's contributions to the STEM enterprise and their impact on society.
- **AWIS Webinars:** access free on-demand learning and development programs.
- **AWIS Event Calendar:** register for local and national events.
- **Fund Equity Advocacy Efforts:** your membership also funds research and policy efforts to address issues of equity, diversity, and inclusion in STEM.

TARGET AUDIENCE



AWIS MEMBERSHIP PRICING

Value Options AWIS Membership (* = Required)	National	San Diego Chapter	Total
Special Student Only: AWIS San Diego Chapter ONLY	\$ --	\$ 25 *	\$ 25
Student/Postdoc/Junior or Mid-Career	\$ 65 *	\$ 25 *	\$ 90
Professional	\$ 150 *	\$ 25 *	\$ 175

Visit the AWIS San Diego Chapter website to learn more. awissd.org

See AWIS National website for additional membership options to sustain research and policy efforts. awis.org