

# AAUWMI Student Advisory Council Application Now Open! Deadline to apply is May 1!

#### Students are encouraged to apply to be a part of our Student Advisory Council (SAC)!

The SAC is a state coalition of student leaders that will advise the American Association of University Women of Michigan (AAUWMI) on strategies for the future of young women and girls, make program recommendations, write for the AAUWMI newsletter and blog, develop student workshops and introduce speakers at the AAUWMI Fall Leadership Conference and the State Annual Meeting & Convention.

#### An Amazing Leadership Opportunity for Students-

Serving on the AAUWMI SAC will provide college women with many opportunities to represent the voices of students, develop as leaders, network, and gain valuable, résumébuilding experience. SAC members gain mentors and learn how to mentor others. They learn how to apply their strengths toward individual and team projects. They learn about gender issues and network with state and community leaders at the AAUWMI Fall Leadership Conference and the AAUWMI Annual Meeting & Convention. Through these experiences, they will gain leadership skills and find a community within AAUW.

# Spread the Word to Branches, Colleges, and Students You Know!

Applications are currently open and will close May 1, 2017. Each year up to 10 students will be selected to serve on the AAUWMI SAC and become AAUW ambassadors on their campuses. Members will serve a one year term beginning July 1, 2017 and ending June 30, 2018. Students participate in monthly electronic meetings and attend our 2017 Fall Leadership Conference and the 2018 Annual Meeting & Convention in the spring. New SAC members will also be encouraged to attend this year's Annual Meeting & Convention June 2-3 in Port Huron. AAUWMI will pay for SAC members' registrations to these events.

# Application and instructions can be found on the AAUW MI website:

### http://aauwmi.org/apply-for-student-advisory-council/

Students must complete the application form as well as include a brief resume, a recommendation letter from a staff or faculty member at their college/university or a member of their local AAUW branch, and a maximum 600 word essay. The essay needs to include their reason(s) for applying to become part of the AAUWMI SAC, the skills and qualities possessed that make them an excellent candidate for the position, a time they exhibited leadership (in school or elsewhere), the gender issue(s) that they are most passionate about and why, and what they hope to gain from serving on the SAC.

Become a Change Agent with the AAUWMI SAC!