




City of Seattle Boards & Commissions Notice of Appointment

Appointee Name: <i>Whitney Nakamura</i>		
Board/Commission Name: <i>Seattle Women's Commission</i>		Position Title: <i>Commission Member</i>
<input type="checkbox"/> Appointment OR <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Reappointment		City Council Confirmation required? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Appointing Authority: <input type="checkbox"/> City Council <input type="checkbox"/> Mayor <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other: <i>Commission</i>		Term of Position: * 7/2/2022 to 7/1/2024 <input type="checkbox"/> <i>Serving remaining term of a vacant position</i>
Residential Neighborhood: <i>District 4 – University District</i>	Zip Code: 98105	Contact Phone No.:
Background: <i>Whitney has an extensive background and deep commitment to supporting women and girls. Most of her paid and volunteer roles have been in social service settings supporting students, people with low-incomes, and young people and families experiencing poverty and homelessness. Eager to grow her voice, advocacy and engagement with issues affecting her life, her community and those she works to support, Whitney joined the Seattle Women's Commission right before the pandemic. She appreciates how the Commission has been realistic and empathetic in understanding our current situation and how women are being impacted. She remains committed to the Commission, eager to continue learning and growing her involvement, and appreciative of this opportunity to promote the interests, needs and brilliance of local women. Whitney is currently on the Outreach Committee and the Events and Communications Subcommittee. She values this opportunity to bring her perspective and experience to support and advance the work of the Commission and our City.</i>		
Authorizing Signature (original signature): 		Appointing Signatory: <i>Sarah Liu, co-chair, Seattle Women's Commission</i>
Date Signed (appointed): 5/13/2023		

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Whitney Nakamura

TINY TREES, SEATTLE, WA | NOV. 2019–PRESENT

Admissions and Family Services Manager

Manage Family Services team and department; Support enrolled families; Contribute to organizational goals, community engagement and completion of contract deliverables

OPEN ARMS PERINATAL SERVICES, SEATTLE, WA | APRIL 2018–NOV. 2019

Birth Doula Services (BDS) Program Manager | MAY 2019–NOV. 2019

Managed program operations, including enrollment, budget, reporting requirements and other contract deliverables; Supervised and supported program staff, interns and doulas

Birth Doula Services (BDS) Program Coordinator | APRIL 2018–APRIL 2019

Processed incoming interest and referrals; Completed screening and client enrollment; Managed a client caseload and provided community referrals, resources and baby supplies

SWEDISH MEDICAL CENTER (FIRST HILL), SEATTLE, WA | SEPT. 2016–JUNE 2017

Women and Children's Case Management Intern

Provided a range of social work services to support patients and their families (in Antepartum, Labor and Delivery, and Postpartum departments); Coordinated care and hospital discharge

THE SERVICE BOARD (TSB), SEATTLE, WA | NOV. 2015–AUG. 2016

Social Work Intern

Supported participants (ages 14-18) to promote healthy development and increase program engagement; Contributed to the development of a new program for young adults (ages 18-22)

Seattle Volunteer Experience and Affiliations

Seeking Equity and Educational Diversity (SEED) Cohort, Southeast Seattle Education Coalition (2020)

Youth Leadership Program, One World Now (2020)

Healthy Outcomes, Prevention and Education (HOPE) Network, City of Seattle (2019)

Project LEAD (Leadership Effectiveness and Diversity) Graduate, United Way of King County (2018)

Health Equity Circle, University of Washington (2017)

Board of Directors, ROOTS Young Adult Shelter (2016–Present)

Vice President and Executive Committee (2020–Present)

Secretary and Executive Committee (2018, 2019)

Risk Management Committee, the Service Board (2016–Present)

Perinatal Loss Committee, Swedish Medical Center (2016–2017)

Anti-Oppression/Change Team, ROOTS Young Adult Shelter (2015–2017)

University District Racial Equity Project (2015–2016)

YouthCAN, Wing Luke Museum of the Asian Pacific American Experience (2014–2015)

After School Program, SafeFutures Youth Center (2014–2015)

University District Service Providers Alliance (2011–2012, 2015–2016)

Street Talk Outreach Program (STOP), Teen Feed (2011–2012)

Jubilee Women's Center (2010–2012, 2014–Present)

Seattle Women's Commission

March 2023

21 Members: Pursuant to SMC 3.14.920, all members subject to City Council confirmation, 2-year terms:

- 8 City Council-appointed
- 9 Mayor-appointed -plus one Get Engaged.
- 4 Other Appointing Authority-appointed: Commission-appointed

*D	**G	RD	Position No.	Position Title	Name	Term Begin Date	Term End Date	Term #	Appointed By
2			1.	Member	Marcia Wright-Soika	7/02/21	7/01/23	1	Mayor
			2.	Member	Abriel Johnny	7/02/22	7/01/24	2	Mayor
			3.	Member	VACANT	7/02/22	7/01/24	1	Mayor
			4.	Member	VACANT	7/02/20	7/01/22		Mayor
			5.	Member	VACANT	7/02/21	7/01/23		Mayor
			6.	Member	VACANT	7/02/21	7/01/23		Mayor
6			7.	Member	Rebecca Bryant	7/02/22	7/01/24	2	Mayor
3		4	8.	Member	Krystal Guerrero	7/02/22	7/01/24	1	Commission
			9.	Member	VACANT	7/02/21	7/01/23		Mayor
9			10.	Member	Kyla Evans	7/02/22	7/01/24	1	City Council
			11.	Member	VACANT	7/02/21	7/01/23		City Council
2	F	N/A	12.	Member	Jamilah Williams	7/02/21	7/01/23	3	City Council
1			13.	Member	Vinati Mamidala	7/01/22	7/02/24	1	City Council
1	F		14.	Member	Sarah Liu	7/02/22	7/01/24	1	City Council
			15.	Member	VACANT	7/02/21	7/01/23		City Council
6			16.	Member	Jema Turk	7/02/21	7/01/23	1	City Council
6			17.	Member	Rachel Morowitz	7/02/22	7/01/24	1	Commission
6			18.	Member	VACANT	7/02/20	7/01/22		City Council
1	F		19.	Member	Whitney Nakamura	7/02/22	7/01/24	2	Commission
6			20.	Member	VACANT	7/02/21	7/01/23		Commission
			21.	Get Engaged	Theresa Faltesek-Gibbons	9/01/22	8/31/23	1	Mayor

SELF-IDENTIFIED DIVERSITY CHART

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	Men	Women	Transgender	Unknown	Asian	Black/African American	Hispanic/Latino	American Indian/Alaska Native	Other	Caucasian/Non-Hispanic	Pacific Islander	Middle Eastern	Multiracial
Mayor	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Council	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Comm	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	0			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Key:

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***D** List the corresponding *Diversity Chart* number (1 through 9)

****G** List *gender*, **M** = Male, **F**= Female, **T**= Transgender, **U**= Unknown

RD Residential Council District number 1 through 7 or N/A
Diversity information is self-identified and is voluntary.

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