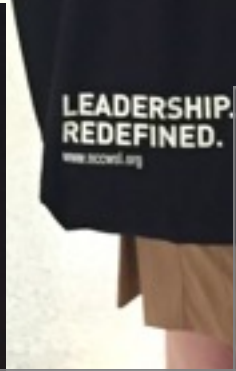
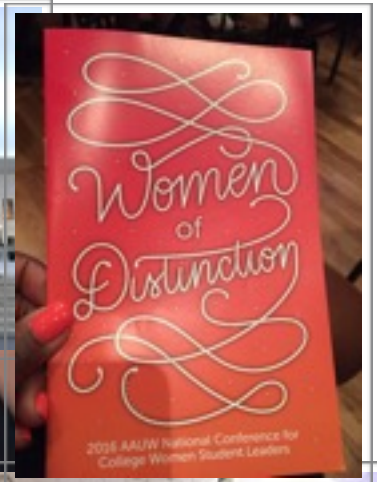
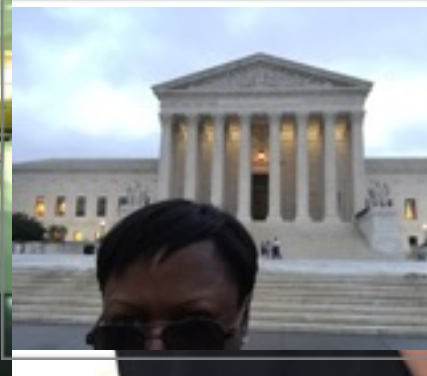
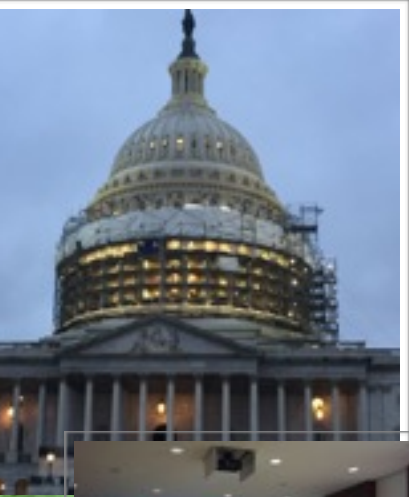


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”The women I was looking for was the women I decided to become!”

-Antoinette Debose 2016

What did you like/learn at NCCWSL? I have been transformed! NCCWSL provided me with the opportunity to connect and network with more than 1000 amazing women in higher education. The educational workshops were enriching and empowering. The leadership skills and increased confidence I acquired as a result of this conference gave me the boost that I needed to start a mentoring organization for women of color in higher education. The goal of this new organization “WiHired” is to provide mentoring, socialization and career development support that can positively influence career success for women of color. I look forward to working with AAUW A2 in the future!

What would you change? I would have liked to participate a day earlier to attend the pre-conference events that included a visit to the US Capitol Hill. As an older student, a 12 hour bus ride was not the best choice for me. I would suggest having the option to drive even as a scholarship winner.

Would you recommend NCCWSL to friends? It was so refreshing to get away for personal and professional development. NCCWSL is the premier event for women in higher education. I recommend every women in college attend this event. I would love to attend in 2017!

Thank you AAUW A2 for your support!

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