

**REGIONAL ORGANIZATION FOR AAUW NC AFFILIATES
AAUW NC BOARD MEETING
JULY 21, 2017**

Rationale for organizing the 17 state branches into 5 geographic regions:

1. Ease of communication for workshops and meetings,
2. Support from AAUW for *Work Smart & Start Smart* workshops,
3. Cluster for college and University Partner activities,
4. Planning for regional STEM and tech opportunities,
5. Sharing strategies for branch management: recruitment, fundraising, etc., and
6. Increasing communication within state for all AAUW affiliates.

TRIANGLE

Orange, Durham & Chatham counties (45)
Raleigh/Wake County (33)
Sandhills/Southern Pines (16)

Total member in area = 94

TRIAD

Greensboro (79)
Winston-Salem (19)

Total in area = 98

EASTERN

Jacksonville Regional (11)
Twin Rivers (13)
Wilmington (73)

Total in area = 97

SOUTHERN

Charlotte (24)
Gaston Regional (28)
Salisbury (26)

Total in area = 78

WESTERN

Asheville (184)
Brevard (171)
Bryson City (8)
Hendersonville (84)
Tryon (47)

Total in area = 494

VIRTUAL BRANCH

Tar Heel (96)

C/U STUDENT AFFILIATE

UNC Pembroke

*** Member statistics are taken from the FY'17 February 1st Count provided by AAUW.*