

## The Illinois Association of Student Financial Aid Administrators, Inc.

## **ILASAFAA CANDIDATE ACCEPTANCE**

Name of Candidate: Dawn Kamphaus

Candidate is running for the office of: Vice President of Community Colleges

Candidate's EDUCATION background -- degree, institution, year (year is optional):

MA of Arts, Eastern Illinois University, 2022 BA of Arts, Eastern Illinois University, 2014

Candidate's PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE (please list current position first):

Executive Vice President, 2019
VP for Community Colleges, 2017-2018
Southern Regional Coordinator, 2015
Facilities Co-Chair, 2013
Program Co-Chair, 2012
Training and Professional Development Co-Chair, 2011

Candidate's PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES – years and activities:

**ILASFAA Meritorious Service Award: 2020** 

ILASFAA Committee of the Year Award-Training & Professional Development: 2017, 2011

ILASFAA New Professional Award: 2011 ILASFAA Leadership Retreat: 2010

What contribution do you envision ILASFAA making to the profession?

ILASFAA sets itself up as an integral part of the financial aid profession by providing training and professional development as well as networking opportunities to those in the profession. I envision ILASFAA continuing to provide these very important facets to those in the profession.

How would you support financial aid professionals as we move into the future for ILASFAA?

I believe the future of ILASFAA is to continue to fulfill our mission to provide quality training, professional development, networking opportunities, and effective communication for our membership. As we have learned these last couple years, the format in which we meet our mission may need to change and we need to continue to be

flexible. I believe in-person trainings and networking are essential to the success of our profession, but I also understand the need to continue to provide these services if in-person is not an option.

## You are the Future of ILASFAA! THANK YOU FOR YOUR PARTICIPATION IN OUR ILASFAA ELECTIONS!

PLEASE RETURN your Candidate Acceptance to Karen LeVeque at kleveque@depaul.edu.