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

### 2025-2026

# ILASFAA EXECUTIVE BOARD ELECTION ELECTION BALLOT INFORMATION

Name of Candidate: Jenn Schultz

Candidate is running for the office of: VP of Community Colleges

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

- -Associate of Arts, Elementary Education, Sauk Valley Community College
- -Bachelor of Science, Behavioral Science, National Louis University
- -Masters of Science, Management and Leadership, Western Governors University
- -Leadership Chair Academy

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

Sauk Valley Community College: Director of Financial Aid 2014-present, Financial Aid Advisor 2007-2014, Financial Aid work study 2006-2007

# Candidate's PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES – years and activities:

Robust history of involvement across several financial aid and community organizations, showcasing dedication to professional development and service.

#### ILASFAA

Roles: Northern Regional Coordinator (2015/16-2017/18), Diversity Chair (2018/19), Registration Chair (2018/19–2023/24), Treasurer (2019/20-2020/21), Facilities Committee Member (2021/22-2023/24), Program Committee Co-Chair 2024/25)

#### FSA

Annual Conference attendee (2012–present)
Recognized by General Brown in 2020 for COVID-19 efforts

#### NASFAA

Leadership Symposium Attendee (2020-present), Annual Conference (2018)

# MASFAA

Summer Institute attendee (2013)

#### Community Involvement

Rotary: President-elect of Rock Falls Rotary United Way: Board Member, President LIFE

#### As a Candidate what you would like the membership to know about you:

As a candidate, I'd like the membership to know that my commitment to financial aid and student support is both professional and deeply personal. Having spent over a decade in various leadership roles within ILASFAA and other organizations, I am passionate about enhancing access, equity, and

efficiency in financial aid processes. My experience has taught me the importance of collaboration, empathy, and adaptability, qualities I bring to every interaction.

I am driven by the belief that financial aid professionals play a crucial role in shaping students' futures, and I am committed to advancing our field through advocacy, innovation, and continuous learning. My active engagement with Rotary and United Way shows my dedication to service, not only within our profession but also in our broader communities.

If given the opportunity, I am excited to work alongside all of you to support our shared goals and make a meaningful impact on the students and families we serve.

PLEASE RETURN this form to Elyse Weller, ILASFAA Past President by November 6, 2024 to:elyse.weller@siu.edu

THANK YOU FOR AGREEING TO RUN FOR AN ILASFAA OFFICE!