

## **Nadine Bailey Candidacy Statement**

I am excited and humbled to accept the nomination for the FASFAA VP of Training. I am passionate about the work that FASFAA does in our financial aid community and I am eager to continue to be a part of this wonderful association. I am fully committed to serving FASFAA, and promoting continuous training for all financial aid administrators.

I have been a part of the FASFAA community for over 10 years and I have always enjoyed attending the annual conferences. Over time, I began to get more involved and started to volunteer during the conferences and then I decided to run for the Region Representative for Region IV. The first time, I did not win, but I was not deterred. I continued to serve FASFAA. I presented at a Region workshop, I moderated during the conference and then presented at another annual conference. The next time the nominations were open for Region Rep. I ran and two years later, I feel that I have served Region IV well.

I have had the pleasure of moderating and presenting at the region, state and national levels through FASFAA and NASFAA and continue to look for opportunities to do so. I have looked to the financial aid community as a resource in my day to day administration of financial aid in my office and have created, what I believe to be, lifelong connections through this amazing job we get to do every day helping students figure out their future. I am a strong advocate for an informed borrower, through financial literacy and for our staff to help our students, they need the resources and tools that ongoing training provides. That is where I will fit in with this role.

I plan to continue my ongoing relationship within the financial aid community including servicers, trainers, ED and any other resource that will bring us the information and training we all crave. I thank you for your consideration.



**Current Work Experience:**

2017-present Vice President, Student Finance, Ultimate Medical Academy

**Previous Work Experience:**

2013-2017 Senior Director, Student Finance, Ultimate Medical Academy

2011-2013 Director, Student Finance, Ultimate Medical Academy

2010-2011 Manager, Student Finance, Ultimate Medical Academy

2007-2010 Director, Financial Aid, International Academy of Design & Technology

2006-2007 Director, Financial Aid, Le Cordon Bleu

2004-2006 Associate Director, Financial Aid, International Academy of Design & Technology

2002-2004 Advisor, Financial Aid, International Academy of Design & Technology

**Activities:**

2015-present Presenter - FASFAA, Region IV Workshops

2014 Presenter - FASFAA Conference

2016 Moderator at NASFAA Conference

2003-present Member, FASFAA, SASFAA and NASFAA