

**Jenny Cun**  
**Statement of Candidacy**  
**FASFAA Secretary**

My name is Jenny Cun and I am honored to accept the nomination for FASFAA Secretary. I am motivated to continue to serve FASFAA and the financial aid community in achieving the association purpose to facilitate communication through an exchange of ideas, information and experience.

I have worked in higher education for over 8 years. In 2012, I began my career in financial aid and since then I have worked at institutions that span a spectrum including state universities, for-profit, and private institutions. My present position is a Financial Aid Advisor for the University of South Florida Health Office of Financial Aid.

In my personal life, I am actively involved in my sorority, alpha Kappa Delta Phi International Sorority, Inc., a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization. I served for five years as an elected officer on the National Alumnae Board, including the position of Recording Secretary. In this role, I served as the administrative support for the National Alumnae Board. I recorded and distributed meeting minutes from all meetings and kept a historic record of all activities. These duties directly correlate with the position of FASFAA Secretary.

I was introduced to the FASFAA community in 2016 when I was recommended by my mentors to serve on the FASFAA Conference Committee as the Charity Chair. Throughout the year, we raised over \$5,000 in monetary donations for the local charity, as well as sponsored a School Supplies Drive. That experience has ignited my interest in volunteering and servant leadership. I was also honored to receive the FASFAA President's Recognition Award during the conference.

Ever since that remarkable year, I have gained cherished experience, countless memories, and lifelong friendships with members throughout the state. FASFAA has been instrumental in my growth as a financial aid administrator. Because of this, I am eager to give back and serve the association that has provided me with so much professionally and personally.

I am currently the 2018-2019 FASFAA Membership Chair and once again serving as the Charity Chair on the 2019 Conference Committee. Regionally, I served as the Florida State Representative on the Southern Association of Student Financial Aid Administrators (SASFAA) 2019 Conference Committee.

I humbly accept the nomination for FASFAA Secretary. This past year working alongside the Executive Board members has provided me valuable insight on how our association operates. If given the opportunity to serve, my wish is to make a larger impact as a voting member of the FASFAA Executive Board.

## **JENNY CUN**

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<b>Current Position</b>	<b>Financial Aid Advisor</b> University of South Florida Health, Tampa, FL	<i>2015 – Present</i>
<b>Past Relevant Experience</b>	<b>Financial Aid Counselor</b> Seton Hall University, South Orange, NJ	<i>2014 – 2015</i>
	<b>Financial Aid Assistant</b> University of South Florida, Tampa, FL	<i>2013 – 2014</i>
	<b>Student Finance Planner</b> Everest University Online, Tampa, FL	<i>2013</i>
	<b>Student Finance Specialist</b> Virginia College Online, Tampa, FL	<i>2012 – 2013</i>
<b>Education</b>	<b>Master of Business Administration</b> University of South Florida, Tampa, FL	Expected: May 2020
	<b>Bachelor of Arts in Marketing and Bachelor of Science in Management, Minor in International Business</b> University of South Florida, Tampa, FL	December 2011
<b>Professional Activities</b>	<b>Florida Association of Student Financial Aid Administrators</b> 2019 Conference Committee, Charity Chair 2018 – 2019 Membership Chair 2017 Conference Committee, Charity Chair	
	<b>Southern Association of Student Financial Aid Administrators</b> 2019 Conference Committee, Florida State Representative 2017 Conference Presenter	
<b>Awards</b>	<b>Alpha Kappa Delta Phi International Sorority Inc. National Alumnae Board</b> Vice-President/Associate Director, Business Operations Events Manager Treasurer Recording Secretary Southeast Regional Coordinator	
	<b><i>Five Years of National Officer Service Award</i></b> Alpha Kappa Delta Phi International Sorority Inc., May 2018	
	<b><i>FASFAA President’s Recognition Award</i></b> Florida Association of Student Financial Aid Administrators, June 2017	
	<b><i>EAGLE Award</i></b> Best New Employee in Student Finance for Quarter 3 Virginia College, 2012	
	<b><i>Employee of the Month</i></b> Virginia College, September 2012	

