

Greetings, regional aid professionals! It has been a pleasure and privilege serving as EASFAA Treasurer in recent years. I now ask for your consideration of my candidacy for President-Elect of the Association.

My career as a financial aid administrator (which I'm not ashamed to admit spans most of my life) includes 15 years of active participation in state and regional associations. With experience in public relations, finance, governance, and strategic planning, I can proudly represent this region at the national and state levels, as well as collaborate with the executive council to effectively perform its duties, in a manner consistent with EASFAA's mission and core values.

If elected, I will commit to EASFAA by inspiring the leadership to: diversify our membership, expand training and professional development opportunities, engage novice members at association events, support charitable organizations, and perform other duties as assigned (a concept with which we're all familiar). We will think outside of the box while adhering to existing policies and being fiscally responsible, in the execution of our collaborative efforts.

Thank you for this chance to pay it forward.