ALA Executive Board Election 2018

Candidate: Maria Taesil Hudson McCauley

Current Position: Director of Libraries, Cambridge Public Library

449 Broadway, Cambridge, MA 02138

Education: University of Pittsburgh, MLIS, 1999 (4.0 GPA)

Ohio Wesleyan University, BA, 1995 (cum laude)

Simmons College, PhD, 2017

ALA: Member, 2001-present

At-Large Councilor, 2017-2019; 2013-2016

- Council Representative to the Planning and Budget Assembly, 2017-2019
- Committee on Committees, 2015-2016
- Diversity Councilor, 2013-present
- Development Task Force, 2016-2017
- Roberta Stevens' Presidential Frontline Fundraising Task Force, 2010-2012
- Jim Rettig's Presidential Initiatives Advisory Committee, 2008-2009
- Spectrum Scholar Interest Group, Chair, 2006-2007
- Spectrum Scholar Forum, 2004-2006
- Spectrum Institute Planning Committee, 2004-2006
- Committee on Research and Statistics, Intern, 2001-2003
- Spectrum Scholar, 1999-2000

ALA-APA: Fundraising and Promotion Committee, Chair, 2008-2010

PLA: Member, 2009-present

ACRL: Member, 2002-2009

- ACRL Racial and Ethnic Diversity Committee, 2006-2009
- Co-Chair & Facilitator, program on Cultural Competencies, 2009
- Spectrum Scholars Mentors Committee, 2003-2005

APALA:

- Mentor Committee, 2015-2016
- Marketing Committee, 2008

Honors & Awards:

- Phi Beta Delta, Honor Society for International Scholars, inducted April 2006
- Jay Daily Award for the outstanding contribution to the MLIS program, U. of Pittsburgh, April 2001

Statement of Professional Concerns

I am passionate about library service and learning opportunities for all! I am excited about the possibilities for the American Library Association's future because we have important, inspired work to do. I am a reflective, experienced ALA member and library leader. I very much would like to deepen my service to ALA by serving on the ALA Executive Board. I respectfully ask for your vote.