

Election Information Form
Candidates for MLA Nominating Committee

Halyna Liszczynskyj
Name

Director of Library Services
Current Position

Director of Library Services
Title

Medical Library
Library

St. Elizabeth Medical Center
Institution

2209 Genesee St.
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15 at SEMC
Years of Employment

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Consent to serve:

I am willing to serve on the 2019 MLA Nominating Committee, if elected, and understand that I must attend the 2019 Annual Meeting to do so. I have not served on the Nominating Committee as a voting member during the past five years, as stipulated in the Bylaws, nor am I an elected or candidate for an elected office. (Medical Library Association Bylaws, Article V, Section 2.D).

 3/16/18
Signed Date

A form is attached for information on your **MLA official activities**. List your most recent activities first. Please print or type.

Nominating Committee

Name: Halyna Liszczynskyj

MLA Official Activities:

- **National:**

List offices, committee memberships held within last 15 years, most recent positions first. Include the following information for each activity: office/committee name, position, term.

- **Section:**

2003 Chair – Cancer Librarians Section

- **Chapter**

2017 UNYOC Annual Meeting Planning Committee, Exhibitor Committee

Education: degree, university, date of degree

1981 Master of Library Science. (ALA accredited). School of Library and Information Science, State University of New York, College of Geneseo, Geneseo, NY 14454.

1980 Bachelors of Science degree in Speech Pathology and Audiology. State University of New York, College at Geneseo, Geneseo, NY, 14454.

Academy of Health Information Professionals: Yes_ No_X_ Level: _

Professional Work Experience (Last Fifteen Years):

April 2003 -- Director of Library Services. St. Elizabeth Medical Center, 2209 Genesee Street, Utica, NY 13501.

Manage all aspects of library services including reference, electronic resources, interlibrary loan, technical services, collection development, budget.

Successfully planned and executed a library move, down-sizing and conversion of the collection to virtual library. Negotiated health-system wide database contracts. Wrote several successful technology grants: updated computers, bought iPads for the librarian and other staff to use, a shared online catalog system (Cybertoolsforlibraries) for the Medical Center and the College of Nursing. Most recent grant (\$10,000) for the Medical Library and Residency Library purchased laptops and computers for both libraries. Networked electronic resources throughout the hospital and clinics including ClinicalKey, UpToDate, and full-text journals. Experienced in the use of Pubmed, CINAHL, Science Direct, Cochrane, ClinicalKey and other databases, DOCLINE, OCLC, QuickDoc,. Responsible for all library orientation and database training. Work closely with the Family Medicine Residency Program to provide support for Journal Club, Grand Rounds, Morning Report, Daily Rounding Meetings, Research Projects Also responsible for the Family Medicine Residency Library at the SRVFM Clinic and their electronic resources. Create educational and library resources. Support the College of Nursing faculty and students as reference back-up. Active on many hospitals committees such as: Graduate Medical Education Committee, IRB Committee, Root Cause Analysis, Leadership Meeting. Safety First Rounding. Provide weekly Library orientation and training. Experienced supervising staff and volunteers.

N.B. Please list ONLY MLA activities – no state or other association activities please.