###### Election Information Form

**Candidates for MLA Nominating Committee**

Susan Lessick, AHIP, FMLA

Name

UCI - Retired; Project Director, MLA Research Training Institute (RTI)

Current Position

UCI Librarian Emerita/Project Director, MLA Research Training Institute (RTI)

Title

UCI Libraries

Library

University of California, Irvine

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Anaheim, CA 92808

City, State Zip Code

27 years (UCI)/3 years to present (MLA RTI)

Years of Employment

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Consent to serve:

I am willing to serve on the 2022 MLA Nominating Committee, if elected, and understand that while attending the 2022 Annual Meeting is encouraged, it is no longer required. 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).

*Susan Lessick*

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: Susan Lessick**

**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.*

MLA Archives Task Force, Member, 2021-2024.

MLA President’s Award, 2018 and 2020.

*Journal of the Medical Library Association*, Section Editor, Virtual Projects, 2013-2020

MLA Research Imperative Task Force, Chair, 2015-2018.

MLA Task Force to Review MLA’s Competencies for Lifelong Learning and Professional Success, Member, 2015-2017.

Research Task Force, Member, 2013-2014.

MLA Fellowship, 2012

*Journal of the Medical Library Association*, Editorial Board, 1996-1999 and 2010-2013.

MLA Section Council, Vice Chair, 2010-2011.

MLA Section Council. Section Council Composition Review Task Force, Member, 2007-2008.

MLA Program Committee, Member, 1996-1999 and 2005-2007.

NLM/MLA Collaboration Task Force, Chair, 1992-1996.

* **Section**:

MLA Research Section Representative to Section Council, 2010.

MLA Medical Informatics Section, Top Technology Trends, Program Planning Committee, Member, 2006-2009.

MLA Research Section, Strategic Planning Committee, Chair, 2009-2013.

MLA Research Section, Chair, Past Chair, Chair-Elect/Program Chair, 2008-2010.

MLA Medical Informatics Section Representative to Section Council, 2007-2008.

MLA Research Section, Treasurer/Secretary, 2005-2007.

MLA Hospital Library Section, Chair, Immediate Past Chair, Chair-Election/Program Chair, 1992-1994.

* **Chapter**:

MLGSCA, 2009 Technology Symposium Planning Committee, Member, 2009.

MLGSCA, Research Committee, Member, 2008-2009.

MLGSCA, Representative to MLA Western Chapters 2006 Annual Meeting (Seattle), 2005-2006.

MLGSCA, CE Committee, Chair, 2003-2005.

MLGSCA/NCNMLG ’05 Joint Meeting, CE Course Coordinator, Long Beach, CA, Feb 2-5, 2005.

MLGSCA, President, Immediate Past President, President-Elect/Program Chair, 1986-1988.

MLGSCA Legislative Committee, Chair, 1984-1985.

**Education:** degree, university, date of degree

MLS, University of California, Berkeley, Master of Library Science, 1977.

MA, History, University of California, Los Angeles, 1977.

BA, History, San Jose State University, 1973.

**Academy of Health Information Professionals**: Yes\_\_x\_\_ No\_\_\_\_ Level: Distinguished Member, 1995-present

**Professional Work Experience (Last Fifteen Years):**

Project Director, MLA Research Training Institute for Health Sciences Librarians, 2018-present.

Head, Grunigen Medical Library, University of California, Irvine, 2003-2009.

Serials and Electronic Collections Librarian for the Health Sciences, University of California, Irvine, 2003-2009.

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