

**Angela Karlin**  
**Statement of Candidacy**  
**Representative at Large**

I am excited and humbled to be nominated as a candidate for Representative at Large for NASFAA.

This is a time of unprecedented change in the aid community. Not only are we seeing the biggest changes in over 40 years to the FAFSA and the aid process, but we are also seeing the impact of retirements and the changing job market on our profession. As a 21-year aid professional, I am feeling a bit stressed and uncertain as we navigate the components of creating the new landscape of aid for both our students and our colleagues.

The feelings of stress and uncertainty are because we care. We care deeply about our students, our institutions and each other. We care that people can count on accurate aid and timely disbursements. We care that students can meet their educational goals while feeling secure and having their basic needs met. Helping others is a calling for us as an aid community. We work hard to eliminate the complexity of getting students to a place where they can reach their goals and realize their dreams.

We also help each other in the profession reach goals. We are at a crossroads due to retirements and the challenges of the job markets within higher education. Leadership development is critical to engaging young professionals to continue our service to students and the aid community. Our formal and informal networks promote the sharing of information, training, and advocacy for our profession. This is critical to building the next generation of aid professionals and retaining the folks already in the profession.

Thank you for this opportunity to be a candidate for Representative at Large. I am excited to work to advocate for our profession and the students we serve.

## REPRESENTATIVE-AT-LARGE RESUME

**NAME:** Angela Karlin

**REGION:** RMAFSA

**CURRENT POSITION:** Assistant Vice-Provost, Financial Aid and Scholarships  
From: June 2017 University of Kansas

**PREVIOUS POSITION:** Director of Financial Aid  
From: 2012-2017 University of Central Missouri

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From: 2007-2012 Rockhurst University, Missouri

**EDUCATION:** **Ed.D.**, Educational Leadership and Policy Analysis  
University Missouri  
Columbia, MO - May 2019

Master of Public Administration  
University of Kansas  
Lawrence, KS – December 2005

B.A., History  
Truman State University  
Kirksville, MO – May 1993

**TYPE OF INSTITUTION:** Public, 4-year

### **SUMMARY OF PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES:**

<b>NASFAA</b>	2022-20223	Board of Directors
	2023	Awards Committee
	2023	Underserved Institutions Task Force
	2022-present	Policy Rapid Response Network
	2019-2020	Leadership & Legislative Conference Task Force- Compliance
<b>RMAFSA</b>	2023	Chair, Conference Program Committee
	2022	President
	2018-2023	Presenter, Annual Conference
	2018-2020	Summer Institute Instructor
<b>KASFAA</b>	2022-2023	Presenter, Spring Conference
	2020	Program Committee
<b>MASFAP</b>	2016	President
	2015	Leadership Development Committee
	2014	Program Committee
	2012	Vice-President/Chair of Program Committee
	2011	Chair, Newcomer Committee

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2014-17 Site Coordinator, FAFSA Frenzy/College Goal Sunday  
2013-2014 Program Committee

### MASFAA

2015 Board Member  
2015-2017 State Liaison Committee Chair  
2013-2016 Conference Presenter