

PERSONAL STATEMENT

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I have had the privilege and honor of working in the Office of Undergraduate Admissions and Orientation at UMBC (University of Maryland, Baltimore County) since 1999. Having previously been employed at a community college, I was initially hired as the Assistant Director of Transfer. During my time at UMBC, I assumed progressively more experience to today where I serve as the Assistant Vice Provost of Undergraduate Admissions, Orientation, and School Partnerships. In this role, I am fortunate to work with my colleagues on both sides of the desk and understand the various issues; in particular, as I serve on the Board of Trustees at Roland Park Country School (RPCS) where I chair the Education Committee. I have previously been a member of the College Board's Middle States Regional Council and I have been active in both NACAC and PCACAC. Specifically, I served as a College Delegate for six year; have been a member of various committees, and taught on the faculty of the Summer Institute. I am also currently the chair of the Admission Practice (AP) committee and hope to continue my work in this area, especially with the recent approval of the new Statement of Principles of Good Practice: Code of Ethics and Professional Practices (SPGP: CEEB). Educating our members and making sure the ethics of our profession are embedded in all that we do are critical as we move forward both at our respective institutions as well as an organization.