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**Candidate** Martha Bedard

I accept the nomination to serve as a candidate for: Board of Directors

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EDUCATION (LIST MOST RECENT FIRST)	
Degree	Institution
M.S. Library Science	Simmons Graduate School of Library Science, Boston MA
B.A. English	Fitchburg State College, Fitchburg MA
POSITIONS (LIST MOST RECENT FIRST)	
Position	Institution
Dean of University Libraries	University of New Mexico
Associate Dean University Libraries	Texas A & M University College Station
Associate Director Library Services	University of North Carolina HSL
Head, Reference and Access Services	Chapel Hill, NC
Director, Medical Library & Education Support Services	Wake Medical Center, Raleigh NC
Director of Library Services	Medical Center of Central MA, Worcester, MA
Hospital Library Director	Lowell General Hospital, Lowell, MA
Adult Services Librarian	Fitchburg Public Library, Fitchburg MA
HONORS, AWARDS, PRIZES, MEDALS, CITATIONS	
Fitchburg State College, 2007 Alumni Achievement Award	
Association of Research Libraries, Research Library Leadership Fellow 2004 – 2006	
Medical Library Association Academy of Health Information Professionals, Distinguished Member, 1997– 2002; 2002 – 2007	
Texas A & M University, Lila B. King Endowed Professorship 2001 – 2007	
Medical Library Association Best Research Paper 1998	
MEMBERSHIP AND ACTIVITIES IN STATE, REGIONAL, AND NATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS	
<b>Association of Research Libraries:</b> Transforming Research Libraries, 2013 – present; Federal Depository Libraries Working Group, 2011 – present; E-Science Working Group, 2010 – 2012; Scholarly Communication Steering Committee, 2008 – 2010 <b>Greater Western Library Association:</b> Chair, 2011 – 2012; Board of Directors, 2009 – present; Government Documents Steering Committee, 2011 – ; Present; Finance Committee, 2012 – present <b>National Institutes of Health, National Library of Medicine:</b> PubMed Central Advisory Committee, 2012 – present <b>National Science Foundation DataOne:</b> Sustainability and Governance Committee, 2012 – present <b>New Mexico Consortium of Academic Libraries:</b> President, 2010 – 2011; Legislative Committee, 2007 – present; Chair, Funding Enhancement Task Force: Cost of Libraries, 2007-2008 <b>University of North Texas College of Information (formerly SLIS):</b> Board of Advisors 2005 – present <b>Medical Library Association:</b> Continuing Education Committee, 2001 – 2005, Chair-elect 2003 – 2004, Chair 2004 – 2005; MLA Leadership and Management Section, 2001 – 2006; Task Force on the Professional Development for Current and Aspiring Middle Manager 2004 – present; National Program Committee, 1999 – 2001; Hospital Library Section, 1986 – 2000; Program Committee 1994 – 1995; Consumer & Patient Health Information Section, 1996 – 2007; Public Services Section, 1997 – 2007 <b>Association of Academic Health Sciences Libraries / AAMC:</b> Task Force on Scenario Building, Chair 2005 – 2007; Program Committee, 2002 – 2005, Chair 2004 – 2005 <b>South Central Academic Medical Libraries Consortium:</b> Chair, 2003 –2005; Chair Elect, 2001 – 2003; Board of Directors, 2000 – 2007	

## MEMBERSHIP AND ACTIVITIES IN STATE, REGIONAL, AND NATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS (CONT'D)

**South Central Chapter / MLA:** Program Committee, 2001 – 2002, Co-chair, 2005 – 2007

**Mid-Atlantic Chapter / MLA:** Program Committee, 1996 – 1997; Publications Committee, 1997 – 2000; Chair 1999 – 2000; AHIP advisor, 1998 – 2000

**North Atlantic Health Sciences Librarians / MLA Chapter:** Executive Board, 1991 – 1992, 1994 – 1995; Archives Chair, 1994 – 1995; Registration Chair for annual meeting, 1992 – 1994; Program Committee, 1992 – 1994

## PUBLICATIONS

**Bedard M**, Hendrickson D, Lubas R. van Reenen, J. Library Information Technology Collaborations at the University of New Mexico. Journal of Library Administration. 2012, 52 (2): 203-216.

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**Bedard M**. "Hospital Libraries are your Electronic Gateway to Better Patient Care." Worcester Medicine 1993 Winter; 59(1) 23-6.

## STATEMENT OF CONCERN

It would be an honor to serve the Amigos member institutions if elected to the Board of Directors. For over thirty years I have had the privilege of holding positions as a librarian in a variety of libraries- public, medical and academic. I have a long history of coming together with other library professionals through active participation in local, regional, and national associations. During this time I have come to appreciate the power of working collaboratively across many states and with many types of libraries. It is only through such cooperation can we hope to meet the needs of our diverse users in an efficient, effective, and meaningful way.

Libraries continue to transform to adapt to changing and challenging environments, striving to stay relevant and innovative not only as providers of resources and vibrant places, but as educators and unique sources of cultural history. As a Board member I would strive to listen, respond, and use my energy and experiences to find creative solutions to the problems we all face during this time of reduced resources and heightened expectations for services.

Martha Bedard

Signature

March 12, 2013

Date