



Congress of Connecticut Community Colleges
Candidate Biography – Officer Elections 2019

To have your photo and information included with the ballot and other voting materials, please return this form to the 4Cs office by **Wednesday, March 20. Email Photo and Responses to ellen@the4cs.org**

PHOTOS: Please submit a headshot photo (jpg or gif) 150 px wide x 200 px high. **VIDEOS:** You may create a short (2 minute or less) video for the 4Cs website.

Name: Lisa 'Elle' Van Dermark
Office sought: President

College: Asnuntuck Community College
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Statement: (no more than 100 words. Longer statements will be cut at 100th word.)

I believe the 4Cs should be leading the fight against consolidation. This is a fight for the heart of community colleges. It must be waged by those who understand the discrepancies between claims made by the system office and the reality of what consolidation means on each campus.

Every person who sees the problems with consolidation must be a part of this movement. If you want to see a change in leadership, mission, and the way the 4Cs represents you – then you have to be involved. I cannot do this without you. Facebook: Elle Van Dermark for 4Cs President

Education:

AA History, Grossmont Community College, San Diego, CA – May 2005

AA IGETC, Grossmont Community College, San Diego, CA – May 2005

BA Women's Studies, San Diego State University – May 2007

Minor – Linguistics

MA History, San Diego State University – May 2009

Professional Experience and Activities:

Campus Representative elected to Steering Committee, 2013

Elected Campus Representative, FIRC 2018-Present

Campus Representative, Learning Management System Committee 2018-Present

Campus Representative, Assessment Council 2017-Present

Campus Representative, Transform 2020

Faculty Council Chair, Asnuntuck 2012-2014

Chair, Curriculum & Standards, 2011-2013

Department Representative, Curriculum & Standards, 2014-Present

Chair, General Education Committee 2014, 2017

Department Representative, General Education Committee 2015-16,

Faculty Coordinator of Assessment, 2015 – Present

Faculty Representative, College Council, 2015

Campus Representative, TAP History

Campus Representative, TAP Political Science

Faculty Representative, 10-Year Master Planning Committee 2017-18

Chair, Sabbatical Leave and Professional Development Committee 2016-2017

4C's Activities:

Member, 4Cs 2010 – Present

Faculty Representative 2018-2019