

### Candidate for NCCCLA Vice-President / President-Elect

# Shannon L Paul Librarian Richmond Community College

#### **Education:**

- AB, Art History, University of Chicago,
- MLS, University of Illinois



#### **Employment Background:**

Over the course of my career I have been the Fine Arts librarian at an urban public library, the Architecture librarian at a large public university, the Librarian for a national membership organization, and finally a community college librarian.

## Why do you wish to serve in this position and what do you envision achieving during your term in support of NCCCLA's mission?

I became a member of NCCCLA during my first year as a community college librarian in North Carolina. I joined because professional associations (National or State) are the best way to not only learn more about the profession but to share experiences and knowledge. My hope is that as President of NCCCLA I can build upon past efforts to advance the profession, expand our communal knowledge, encourage consortial efforts, and inspire more community college library staff to join and share their knowledge and expertise. I also firmly support the Oxford comma.