



QUFA Executive Election 2022

CANDIDATES' STATEMENT

Nominee for Treasurer (Two-Year Term)

Valerie Bartlett

Adjunct Professor

Smith School of Business

Candidate's Statement

My name is Valerie Bartlett and I am pleased to be nominated for the position of Treasurer with QUFA. I have been a Term Adjunct Instructor in the Smith School of Business at Queen's since the Fall of 2015. Prior to this I worked in administration at Queen's full-time in a variety of areas/departments before going back to school for my MBA and switching the trajectory of my career into teaching. I have also been a Partial Load Instructor at St. Lawrence College and Lambton College in their Schools of Business over the last 8 years. I have been serving on the Adjunct Advisory Committee at QUFA since the Fall of 2021 and have enjoyed the collegiality and opportunity to give back. I am excited to further give back through the role of Treasurer.

My prior experience of managing a departmental budget, working in accounting and serving on the Finance Committee of a local not-for-profit have set me up well to be able to contribute in the role of Treasurer. In addition to my MBA I hold an Honours Bachelor of Commerce Degree which included many courses in accounting and financial management. I am excited for this opportunity to deepen my understanding of QUFA and the important role that it plays in the life of Queen's University. I believe that through sound financial planning and budgeting we can position ourselves well for whatever lies ahead.