

CBFA Board Personal Fact Sheet

Your name has been submitted as a potential candidate for an elected board position on the CBFA Board of Directors. If you are interested in serving the membership in this capacity, please respond to the following questions and send us a copy of your CV. Your answers to these questions and your CV will be reviewed by the CBFA Nominating Committee.

Please send this completed sheet and your CV to the Chair of the Nominating Committee.

1) Are you willing to serve and, as far as you know, are you able to serve for the next three years? (If your answer to this question is "No", it is not necessary to complete the rest of the questionnaire).

Yes.

2) Is your academic institution willing to support you serving on the CBFA Board of Directors? If elected, you will be expected to attend both the Fall Board of Directors Meeting, which begins one day before the CBFA Annual Conference, and the Spring Board of Directors Meeting. Hotel rooms and meals during these board meetings are covered by the CBFA, but transportation costs for these meetings must be covered by the board members or their institutions.

Yes.

3) How long have you been a member of the CBFA?

2012

4) What has been your involvement with and contribution to the CBFA in the past?

Historically my involvement with CBFA has been through its publications. I have served on the Board of Review for the CBAR since Spring 2017.

5) What has been the primary value of the CBFA to you during these years?

I have found immense value in CBFA to help new faculty members learn about and grow in their faith integration with their discipline. As someone who was new to higher education and new to being a faculty member I found the JBIB and CBAR to be key resources to help me understanding and how to approach faith integration. Now in my role as Dean, I point new faculty members to these same journals to help them in their own journey to understand and pursue faith integration in the classroom.

6) What other business or academic organizations are you a member of? What offices have you held?

Financial Education Association

7) Please tell us about your involvement in your community and church.

My family has always been engaged in our local church. In the past, I have served in the benevolence ministry; however, most recently at our church we have served in the NextGen Youth ministry. Additionally, I have served the local community through coaching basketball and baseball.

8) What roles of leadership have you held at your academic institution?

While at the University of Saint Francis, I have served as the Undergraduate Program Director for the business school. Additionally, I served as the Faculty Senate Chair at the University of Saint Francis.

At my current institution, Anderson University, I currently serve as Dean of the Falls School of Business.

9) What are your teaching, research, and/or consulting interests?

My teaching interests surround the field of Finance. I specifically enjoy teaching investment analysis. My research interest has primarily focused on behavioral finance and teaching finance.

10) What particular skills and experience would you bring to this elected board position?

I believe I could best support the board through my skillset related to planning and implementing, financial expertise, and continuous improvement.

11) Have there been other faculty members from your institution who have served on the CBFA Board of Directors?

At this time, no current faculty member at Anderson University serves on the CBFA Board of Directors. In the past, Melanie Peddicord and Terry Truitt have served on the CBFA Board from Anderson University.

12) Do you have a vision for the CBFA? If so, please elaborate.

My goals and vision for CBFA are for CBFA to continue to support Christian business faculty. I believe the vision that the CBFA has articulated provides a pathway to the continued success of the organization to reach the next generation of Christian business faculty.

13) What changes or improvements would you like to see in the CBFA?

Every organization has room for improvement; however, before improvements can be made it is critical that the organization's processes are understood. This ensures that any proposed changes serve the CBFA membership and its Board. I believe that it is important as a new board member to spend time listening and learning about the organization to better understand potential ways to implement improvements.