



NCPTA CANDIDATE BIOGRAPHICAL DATA FORM

Please complete the following information

E-mail form as an attachment to nomcom@ncpt.org

Deadline: August 13, 2018

CANDIDATE NAME: LaTanis Dickens, PT, DPT, NCS

NCPTA Position: Nominating Committee member

Previous NCPTA/APTA Involvement and Relevant Experiences:

2012 House of Delegates Student Page

NCPTA Triad District Secretary September 2015-January 2016

NCPTA Triad District Chair January 2016-September 2017, September 2018-present

Reason(s) for Pursuing This Position (100 words or less):

Since acting as a Student Page during HOD in 2012, I have continued to grow an interest in all that is involved in our profession beyond patient care. As part of the nominating committee, I hope to be a part of allowing well deserving PT professionals in our association the opportunity to lead and foster their interest to make NC a great state to be a PT. Being a young professional, I also hope to encourage other young professionals and help them to identify their strengths that could be great additions to the growth of our association.

What Contributions to the Position Will You Make (200 words or less):

I hope to bring a perspective of the young professional to the committee. I wish to learn as much as I can from the current members of the committee and build on their experience with a modern viewpoint. My willingness to learn will allow me to be a great support to the committee chair in that I am willing to do the work in an interest of personal growth and promotion of the association. I am task oriented and work well in a collaborative group.

I think I will be a good representative for young professionals in the state, as well, to encourage them to become more involved as I am active in my district which includes

several PT and PTA programs. Because we have so many PT/PTA programs in our state, I think it is important to have relatable individuals present to encourage the students and new graduates that they can grow their clinical skills and knowledge while developing their leadership skills and shaping their profession by being active in ways they may not have been aware. I hope to be an example of that to encourage more participation from this group of PTs in all areas of the association.

Thank you for your interest.

NCPTA Nominating Committee