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## Florida Court Clerks & Comptrollers Bolsters Communications Efforts

TALLAHASSEE, Fla. — Florida Court Clerks & Comptrollers (FCCC) announced today the addition of two communications professionals: Samadhi Jones, communications manager, and Matthew Forrest, digital communications strategist.

"These professionals will allow FCCC to further amplify the important role of Florida's court clerks and comptrollers in our state," commented Chief Communications Officer Molly Kellogg-Schmauch. "It is more important than ever to provide timely and accurate information to the public and we are positioning ourselves to do just that."

Communications Manager Samadhi Jones has more than a decade of communications experience in state government, non-profit and the public sector. While serving in state government, Jones assisted in raising awareness for legislation relating to school zero tolerance policies, juvenile civil citations, and the human trafficking of youths, among other efforts. Her most recent public sector work focused on the state's efforts to modernize Florida's vehicle registration and driver license systems. She earned her bachelor's degree in English from Bethune-Cookman University, and holds professional certification as a project manager. She serves on the board of the Tallahassee chapter of the American Advertising Federation.

Digital Communications Strategist Matthew Forrest originally joined FCCC in April 2017 as the digital media specialist and earned an associate degree in Graphics Design from Tallahassee Community College.

Matthew Forrest's photograph Samadhi Jones' photograph

Established in 1969, the Florida Court Clerks & Comptrollers (FCCC) is a statewide, nonprofit member association comprised of the Florida Clerks of the Circuit Court and Comptrollers. FCCC provides local government support services, technical assistance and accreditation opportunities for all members of the association. For more information, visit <a href="https://www.flclerks.com">www.flclerks.com</a>.

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