

VAMLIS Executive Board Slate of Officers

Annual Term: July 1, 2024-June 30, 2025

PRESIDENT-ELECT APPLICANT

Bridget Wagner, GISP - HDR



Bridget Wagner is HDR's East Regional Geospatial Coordinator and GIS Manager for the Mid-Atlantic Region (MD/DC/VA). She has over a decade of experience in the development and management of GIS solutions for transportation projects, with an emphasis on spatial analytics and the development of dashboards and web applications for project tracking and transparency. Bridget has

integrated cloud and web-based mapping solutions, as well as standardized database schemas, for project management, asset management, field work coordination, and equity and stakeholder engagement. In addition to her technical skills, Bridget is deeply involved with HDR's leadership team from both an operations and business development standpoint; she knows how to coordinate the right team to deliver the best work, while maintaining a proactive and transparent relation with potential and existing clients.

Outside of work, Bridget is heavily engaged with her alma mater's (University of Richmond) Geospatial program; she regularly meets with faculty and engages with undergraduate students to discuss GIS careers. In addition, Bridget serves as a part-time faculty member as part of the University of Richmond's School of Continuing and Professional Studies GIS Certificate Program. Bridget has also been a member of VAMLIS since 2014, annually serving on the conference

committee as well as serving on the executive board as Secretary from 2018 to 2020 and as Vice President for the 2023-2024 Fiscal Year.

VICE PRESIDENT APPLICANT

Jacob Thornton, GISP - Michael Baker International



Jacob Thornton is a GIS Specialist for Michael Baker with nearly 20 years of experience in cartography, analysis, data management, and graphic design. He has led the GIS efforts for the Michael Baker team on projects including bike/pedestrian, traffic engineering, and transit planning studies, electric vehicle planning projects, and NEPA studies since starting there in 2012.

Prior to his work at Michael Baker, Jacob was the GIS Coordinator at Vanderbilt University where he gave GIS instruction in classes and workshops, managed software and data, and created mapping projects for the university and medical center community. Jacob has also worked as an adjunct GIS professor at VCU, presented at VAMLIS and other conferences.

Jacob is serving his second year as the Map and Poster Gallery coordinator for this year's VAMLIS GeoCon conference.

TREASURER APPLICANT

Brian Kingery, GISP, PMP - Timmons Group



Brian is currently serving on the VAMLIS Executive Board as the Treasurer and looks forward to continuing serving in this role for the next term. Brian has served as VAMLIS Treasurer since 2019 in addition to being the Vice President position of the 2017 VAMLIS Executive Board.

Currently, Brian is a GIS Solutions Architect and Project Manager on

Timmons Group's Geospatial Services team providing expertise in GIS. works with numerous clients in both the public and private sector. His project experience ranges from performing mission-critical GIS tasks while serving in the military here and abroad, to assisting organizations of all sizes solve business problems using GIS technology.

Brian has helped to plan, attend, and present at multiple regional outreach events and VAMLIS conferences over the years. He recognizes the value these events offer to the GIS community in Virginia regarding networking and learning from GIS professionals from all over the Commonwealth. Brian is excited about this continued opportunity and looking forward to furthering GIS in Virginia over the next few years and beyond.