

2012 Board Nominees



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PRESIDENT-ELECT CANDIDATE

Amy Floreen, RD, LD

Education:	Oregon State University, BS, Food & Nutrition
Internship:	Mid-Willamette Dietetic Internship, Salem Oregon
Employment:	Director of Dietary Services, Pinnacle Healthcare Inc. April 2004-present Director of Nutrition Services, Clinical Dietitian, Riverpark Nursing and Rehabilitation Center Oct 1999-April 2004 Sacred Heart Home Infusion, IV pharmacy tech., Nutritional support/supplies contact
Professional Activities:	ODA Membership Chair 2010-present Willamette Dietetic Association Active Member, Past President 2010, President 2008-9, President Elect 2007-8, Secretary 2006-7 Oregon/National Dietitians in Healthcare facilities member ADA member
Awards	Outstanding Dietetic Student 1997 Recognized Young Dietitian of the Year 2009
Professional Statement:	I strive to expand the opportunities for myself and others in the field of Dietetics. Enhancing the experiences we have professionally and personally enables us to enhance the lives of those we touch.

DELEGATE

Kimra Hawk, RD, LD

Education:	Oregon State University, BS, Food & Nutrition, Corvallis, OR
Internship:	University of Nebraska, Lincoln Nebraska
Employment:	Outpatient Dietitian , Providence St. Vincent Medical Center, Portland, Oregon; 1990-Present Outpatient Dietitian , Eugene Clinic, Eugene, Oregon; 1989-1990 Clinical Dietitian , ARA Services, Inc., Lincoln, Nebraska, 1987-1989 Wellness Dietitian , Saint Elizabeth Wellness Center, Lincoln, Nebraska, 1987-1989 Clinical Dietitian , Columbus Community Hospital, Columbus, Nebraska, 1984-1987 Consulting Dietitian , Boone County Community Hospital, Albion, Nebraska, 1985-1986
Professional Activities:	<u>Oregon Dietetic Association.</u> ODA Delegate 2009-2012 Past President, 2004/2005, 2007-2008 President/Acting President Jan 2003-2004, July 2005-May 07 President Elect 2002 Treasurer 1999-2001 Awards co-chair, 2008 Annual Meeting Program Chair, 1996/97 ODA Cookbook committee 1993-1995
Awards	Award of Merit, Oregon, 2004 Recognized Young Dietitian of the Year, Oregon, 1996
Professional Statement:	I have been honored to have served as the Oregon Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics delegate over the past term. Being a delegate has a definite learning curve and I feel I will be able to build upon my knowledge and experience in the next term. Being a table facilitator at 3 House of Delegate meetings has been a fun experience, a bit of a challenge and increased my HOD relationships. This last year I have offered webinars to Oregon Academy members to share information about HOD issues and to seek member input have used electronic surveys. My goal is to continue to represent the Oregon Academy to the House of Delegates and help move our profession forward.

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SECRETARY CANDIDATE

Lizette DuBay, RD, LD

Education:	Oregon State University, BS, Food & Nutrition, Corvallis, OR
Internship	Mid-Willamette Valley Dietetic Internship, Capitol Manor, Salem, OR
Employment:	General Inpatient and Outpatient Clinical Dietitian, Salem Hospital, Salem, OR 2010-present Contracting Registered Dietitian, Fred Meyer/Kroger, Salem and Corvallis, OR 2010-present Private Practice Registered Dietitian and Wellness Coach, Silverton, OR 2010-present
Professional Activities:	Oregon Dietetic Association, Convention Co-chair 2012, 2011-present American Dietetic Association, member, 2007-present Oregon Dietetic Association, member, 2007-present
Awards	2009 American Dietetic Association Foundation, Dora E. Colver Award and Scholarship 2009 Student Leader Award, Oregon Association of Family and Consumer Sciences 2009 Oregon Dietetic Association, Award of Achievement and Scholarship 2009 Oregon State University, College of Health and Human Sciences, Dean's Scholar Award 2008 Awarded Irene R. Thompson Scholarship 2008 Oregon Dietetic Association, Outstanding Dietetic Student Award
Professional Statement:	While working in health clinics in my earlier career, I served as formal as well as informal secretary for numerous employers, groups and organizations. While pursuing my nutrition degree at Oregon State, I served as secretary of the Lambda Chapter of the Kappa Omicron Nu National Honor Society. My service with KONu earned me the 2009 Student Leader Award from the Oregon Association of Family and Consumer Sciences. Since then I have been called upon at various times to provide meeting notes. I have been repeatedly recognized for clear, thorough and timely minutes. In addition, I am dependable in attending meetings and I strive to exceed expectations. Goals if elected to the position include to faithfully provide the skills and services required of the office of secretary, to personally attend all the required meetings, to learn all I can about the workings of a professional board, to contribute fresh and useful ideas for enhancement of the ODA and the profession, and to network and build lasting relationships with others in the profession and beyond.

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DIRECTOR, LEGISLATIVE ISSUES

Leah Brandis, RD, CSG, LD

Education:	Oregon State University, Honors BS, Corvallis, OR
Internship:	OHSU, Portland, OR
Employment:	Dietary Manager; Marquis Forest Grove Post Acute Rehab;
Professional Activities:	Oregon Dietetic Association Newsletter editor 2007-present American Dietetic Association member, 2002-present Oregon Dietetic Association member, 2002-present Portland Dietetic Association member, 2003-present Dietitians in Health Care Communities member, 2004-present
Awards	Graduate Programs in Human Nutrition Preceptor Award of Appreciation- 2009 Selected to attend ADA Public Policy Workshop in Washington DC 2012
Professional Statement:	I have attended the past 3 RD Day events in Salem and have been inspired each time. It is easy to think you and I don't know enough to speak up about legislative issues. However, I've come to realize that the people we elect to represent us are experts navigating the legislative system NOT in nutrition. They rely of their constituents to inform them how to vote. That is YOU and ME! If we don't speak up then who do you think will? WE are the experts in nutrition and the best advocates for preventive public health legislation! I have been selected to attend the Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics Public Policy Workshop in Washington DC this spring. My goal is to inspire Oregon Dietitians and Dietetic Technicians Registered to take action however large or small across all levels of government whether it be your neighborhood, city, state or national level.

NOMINATING COMMITTEE CANDIDATE

Patty Case, MS, RD

Education:	University of California Davis, CA, BS, Dietetics; MS, Human Nutrition & Food Sciences, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, NE
Internship	<i>Dietetic Internship, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, NE</i>
Employment:	<i>Associate Professor, Oregon State University Extension Service Family and Community Health, Klamath Falls, OR (2000-present)</i> <i>Dietitian and Diabetes Educator, Merle West Medical Center, Klamath Falls, OR (1991-2000)</i> <i>Dietary Director and Dietitian, Siskiyou General Hospital, Yreka, CA (1987-1991)</i>
Professional Activities	Oregon Diabetes Coalition Steering Committee, Member at Large (2002-2004) Journal of Nutrition Education & Behavior, Ad Hoc Reviewer (2008-present) Editorial Board ACSM's Health & Fitness Journal, Editorial Board (2009-present) Society for Nutrition Education & Behavior Pre-Conference Planning Committee, Member (2010-present)
Awards & Honors:	O.S.U. Extension Association Newer Faculty Achievement Award (2003) James and Mildred Oldfield/E.R. Jackman Team Award (2004) OSU College of Health and Human Science Excellence in Outreach Award (2008) Klamath Family Head Start Community Award (2009)
Professional Statement:	I have been committed to the dietetic profession for over 20 years and hold a strong conviction in the value of human nutrition. My skill set is diverse and reflective of employment in rural communities. Through my current position with OSU Extension Service I have learned to work with multiple partners across the state to improve the health of Oregonians. I welcome the opportunity to serve ODA and to increase participation in the organization from non-metro regions of the state.

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DIRECTOR, MEMBER SERVICES

Lori Brizee, MS, RD, LD, CSP

Education:	University of California at Davis, BS Dietetics University of Washington, Seattle, MS Nutritional Sciences
Internship:	University of Washington, Center for Human Development and Disability (formerly Child Development and Mental Retardation Center); individualized internship
Employment:	Part time nutrition instructor Central Oregon Community college (spring and fall quarters 2011) Private Practice: Central Oregon Nutrition Consultants 8/2006 to present Analyst for ADA Evidence Analysis Library, 2007 to present Clinical Dietitian, Seattle Children’s Hospital and Medical Center: 06/1986 to 07/2006 Nutrition consultant Washington State Services for Children with Special Health Care Needs 3/85-6/86 (did needs assessment of children with special health care needs throughout WA State) Dietitian for WIC and community clinic: International District Community Health Clinic; 11/1983-02/1985
Professional Activities:	Member Media Team, Oregon Dietetic Association 2009 to present Kids@Heart, and organization working toward improving physical activity and nutrition in children; Steering Committee member since 2009 Healthy Active Central Oregon, member from 2006-2009 (when group became a part of Kids@Heart) Washington State Renal Dietitians, Chair 1993-1994
Professional Statement:	<p>I have been a member of the Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics since 1983. Although I have not held many organization positions, I have been very active throughout my career in promoting nutrition, especially in the area of pediatrics. While at Seattle Children’s, I had the privilege of mentoring dietetic interns, lecturing in nutrition classes for nurses and nutrition graduate students at University of Washington, and being a part of the development of the Washington state Pediatric Nutrition Network. I was on the steering committee for development of a joint University of Washington, Center on Human Development and Disability and Seattle Children’s Hospital nutrition education program entitled: Assuring Pediatric Nutrition Care in the Community. (This started out as a grant funded workshop for three years in a row, and has been a self sustaining educational offering every June for the past 10 years).</p> <p>Academy involvement: I have had the privilege of writing for Academy publications—lead author on the chapter on Nutrition Management of Transplantation in the Academy Pediatric Manual of Clinical Dietetics , second Ed, 2003, and author of the original Online Pediatric Nutrition Guidelines chapters on Chronic Renal Failure, Renal Transplant and Nephrotic Syndrome (writing 2009, published 2010). Since leaving hospital nutrition and starting private practice, I have become an analyst for the Academy Evidence Analysis Library; this opportunity has increased my respect for the Academy’s dedication to quality in nutrition services.</p> <p>Since moving to Bend Oregon, and starting my private practice, I have become involved in local community efforts to improve the health of children, first joining “Healthy Active Central Oregon” and later becoming a member of the steering committee for “Kids@ Heart”. I also volunteer with “Healthy Beginnings” (an organization that provides health, behavior and developmental screening for children 0 to 5 years of age)—I have developed their nutrition screening protocols, have trained others to do the nutrition station at HB screenings, and do the nutrition station myself at several screenings every year.</p> <p>I think my background as a clinical dietitian, dedicated to providing high quality, evidence based clinical nutrition services, as well as promoting nutritional health in the community, my long term membership in the Academy and my state affiliate give me a unique perspective in working to bring members of this profession together under Oregon. If I become Director of Member Services for the Oregon Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics, my goal would be to help RD’s see the value of the national and state Academies, whether or not they are directly involved in association activities. Our members can make a difference in nutrition care, from clinical practice to broader public health practices—having the Academy and Oregon Academy behind us gives us the credibility to make a difference!</p>