

# 2019 EPADEL Elections

DeSales University, November 9, 2019

## Candidate for Chair

**Ellen Panofsky** attended her first EPaDel meeting when she was an undergraduate student at Millersville University. After completing her Ph.D. from Lehigh University in 2008, she began teaching at Cabrini University. It was during this time that Dr. Panofsky became an active member of EPaDel by taking on the role of Student Chapters Coordinator. She put together the Student Chapters Newsletter which was published once a semester and featured activities of the various math clubs from EPaDel area colleges and universities. She was elected as an EPaDel member at large in 2011 and again in 2014 and vice chair in 2017 and 2018. In 2011, Dr. Panofsky became Assistant Instructional Professor at Temple University and was promoted to Associate Instructional Professor in 2018. During her time with EPaDel, she has written a RUMC grant for EPaDel in 2013 to increase student conference attendance, coordinated two EPaDel career conferences (2013 at Drexel University and 2015 at Temple University), was on the committee which is coordinated the spring 2018 meeting at Temple University, and help plan the speakers and schedule for the EPaDel meetings in 2018 and 2019.

## Candidate for Vice Chair

**Sean Droms** has been an active participant in the EPaDel section since arriving in the area in 2013. He's served as member at large of the Executive Board in 2015-2018, and as webmaster since 2016. Sean is Associate Professor of Mathematical Sciences at Lebanon Valley College, where he teaches courses in mathematics and actuarial science.

## Candidate for Treasurer

**Kathleen Ryan** is an Associate Professor of Mathematics at DeSales University. She is currently the newsletter coordinator for EPaDel and one of the local coordinators for the fall 2019 meeting at DeSales. Because Kathleen has served EPaDel as an at-large member of the executive board since 2013, she has also had a chance to help out in a variety of other ways as well. This includes co-organizing student activities, drafting guidelines for new awards, and planning events with the Centennial Celebration Committee. Somehow along the way, she even sung a few lines on stage for "EPaDel The Musical." (However, voters should be warned that if the position of treasurer heavily involves singing, then Kathleen admits that you may wish to vote for anyone but this tone deaf gal...)

## Candidate for Executive Committee Member At Large

**Baoling Ma** is Assistant Professor of Mathematics at Millersville University. Baoling has been serving as the coordinator of the Silent Auction since fall 2015. She served as a committee organizer for the 2017 Careers in Math Conference at Millersville University. She moderated one session at the 2019 Careers in Math Conference at Kutztown University. Baoling has given research presentations during the fall 2015, 2016, and 2018 EPaDel meetings, and has submitted an abstract for presentation at the fall 2019 EPaDel meeting. She has mentored two students, who presented at the fall EPaDel meetings of 2016 and 2017. Her student has submitted an abstract for the fall 2019 meeting. Baoling has also helped with the recruitment of math majors from Millersville University for attending EPaDel meetings and Careers in Math Conferences since fall 2015.