

**Candidate Name:** Jennifer Bennett

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**CAI Member Type:** Community Manager

**Have you been officially sanctioned or otherwise censured by CAI relative to a CAI designation held by the member?** No

**Have you been convicted of a crime of a fiduciary nature of any degree?** No

**1) What are your goals as a chapter member?**

Improve outreach to all members especially now that we are in a hybrid world. I believe we have lost the personal connections and interactions with all of our members. We need to be inclusive and not exclusive which will result in growth in membership numbers and growth in revenue. Would also like to have a manager mentor program to bring new individuals into the community management field.

**2) In your view, what are the biggest challenges facing Washington Metropolitan Chapter?**

I believe we have lost the personal connections and interactions with a vast majority of our members. We need outreach efforts to established and new members rather than relying on the same core group of the membership as speakers and event planners.

**3) What unique skills & abilities do you possess that could contribute to Chapter growth & advancement?**

I possess great organizational skills and the ability to foster a sense of belonging. I have served on numerous chapter committees over the last 10 years. I have served on the WMCCAI board previously and received various awards for my contributions to the chapter.

**Biographical Statement: Provide a biographical statement which includes the following: A. Educational Background; B. Career History; C. Involvement in other Professional Activities (including membership in other organizations); D. Involvement in CAI - both national and chapter level activities; E. Other Leadership Activities (such as community service) and F. Professional Awards/Recognition Received.**

I have been a community manager for over 16 years. I hold my CMCA, AMS and PCAM. Prior chapter involvement includes Conference/Expo Committee co-chair, Education Counsel Chair and Communication Counsel Chair.