

The Vancouver International Writers Festival Society (the "VWF") Motion to Elect New Board Members

MOVED that the following be re-elected as a Director of the VWF, to serve a three-year term:

Julie lannacone

Biographical Information:

Julie lannacone (she/her)

Julie is an adjunct professor in the Master of Library and Information Studies program at the UBC School of Information. She is also self-employed as a leadership coach and consultant, focusing on ethical leadership, collaborative communication, and conflict management. She has over 30 years of experience in the public library sector, most recently as Director of Neighbourhood & Youth Services at Vancouver Public Library, where she led services for children and teens, branch-based neighbourhood services, accessible services, and facilities development projects. She believes that public libraries are champions for equity, intellectual freedom, and access and that they connect people with books, ideas, and each other. She is pleased to have served on the Board of the Vancouver Writers Fest with its aligned Vision of "A world in which the transformative power of books and ideas is the foundation of an empathetic, inspired and just society."

Julie holds a Master of Library Science from the University of British Columbia. She is committed to lifelong learning and is excited about opportunities to promote diverse voices including those of x^wməθk^wəy'əm (Musqueam), Skwxwú7mesh (Squamish), and səlilwətał (Tsleil-Waututh) Nations and Urban Indigenous Peoples.