



**NATIONAL COUNCIL OF TEACHERS OF ENGLISH
TWO-YEAR COLLEGE ENGLISH ASSOCIATION—2015 ELECTIONS**

Once every three years, the Two-Year College English Association (TYCA) elects an associate chair to serve one year as associate chair, two years as chair, and one year as immediate past chair. The TYCA candidates are nominated by a committee composed of the seven regional representatives to the TYCA Executive Committee and the immediate past chair.

Names on the ballot are presented in random order. The biographical information concerning the nominees' experience and service to TYCA was supplied by individual nominees. The Committee's nominations were printed in the March issue of *Teaching English in the Two-Year College* and posted on the NCTE website.

Please vote on the enclosed ballot and return it to reach NCTE, P.O. Box 3097, Champaign, IL 61826-3097, no later than June 1, 2015. Please use the enclosed return envelope.

**NATIONAL TYCA ASSOCIATE CHAIR
Term to expire in November 2016**

(Vote for one of two.)

MARGARET BARROW



Associate professor, deputy chair, English department, Borough of Manhattan Community College; chair, Faculty-Student Disciplinary Committee; CEA, Diversity Committee Chair; co-creator/co-coordinator Transitions and Transactions Community College Conferences, (BMCC); **Formerly:** Undergraduate initiative coordinator/English department. **Membership(s):** NCTE, CEA, MLA, AFT, NYSUT, TAA. **Award(s):** Vice Chancellor

Scholars Award (2012, 2014), CUNY-STEP program. **Publication(s):** *People and Places: The English 088 Reader*; *Basic Writing: A Classroom Text for College Students*; article in *Teaching Literature in Community College Classrooms: Traversing Practices*, also co-editor. **Program Contribution(s):** TYCA-NE, NJCEA, NYCEA, CCCC.

Position Statement: My vision for the TYCA community includes strengthening relationships between policymakers and teachers. Also, in light of the new Common Core Standards, we can benefit from greater collaboration among teachers so that transitioning from high school to college is more seamless and less a shock for our students and the teachers who teach them.

JEFF ANDELORA



Chair, English department, Mesa Community College, Arizona; chair, TYCA West; chair, Diana Hacker TYCA Outstanding Program Awards Committee. **Formerly:** CWPA EC, NCTE/WPA Assessment Task Force, Maricopa Community College District Dual Enrollment Task Force. **Membership(s):** NCTE, CCCC, TYCA, WPA. **Award(s):** MCC Faculty Excellence Award. **Publication(s):** Articles in *TETYC*. **Program Contribution(s):** CCCC, TYCA–West.

Position Statement: Two-year college English faculty have one of the most important jobs in education: teaching a diverse student population many of whom are first generation college students—the literacy skills to succeed in college and beyond. TYCA's role, to support two-year college faculty and their students, is crucial to student success, especially in this time of budget cuts and challenges to developmental education. TYCA's leaders must collaborate with others, both in the field and without, to shape the conversations about, and advocate for, our students, our programs, and our institutions.