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I would like to serve as the graduate student coordinator/advisor coordinator for NACADA Region 9. I have 15 years of experience working with graduate students as a staff advisor, faculty advisor, and as an advising administrator. I have been a member of NACADA throughout that time. I have served on the research committee; reviewed conference proposals for national and regional conferences; participated on awards review committees; chaired the faculty advising commission; presented at the regional and national conferences; and in 2013, served as the keynote for the Region 9 conference at USC.

In my roles, as a faculty member and administrator, I have developed a number of policies and collaborated with my colleagues to create a strong advising culture for graduate students and advisors. I take my responsibility as a faculty advisor seriously and keep in touch with many of my students far beyond graduation. I will bring that experience and attitude to advocate for graduate students, if selected.