

September 16, 2018

Dear STANYS Member:

This year's election for Directors at Large (DALs), Secretary, and Vice President will be on an electronic balloting platform. The DALs and Secretary are elected for a three-year term and the Vice President shall automatically succeed to the office of President-elect.

This year's candidates are:

Vice President	Shelly Hinchliffe, Northwestern Section
Secretary	Karin Cyganovich, Northwestern Section
DAL Biology	Caitlin Ullock, Central Western Section Samuel Washington, Westchester Section
DAL Chemistry	Stephanie O'Brien, Suffolk Section
DAL College	Angela Pagano, Southern Section

The Election Brochure is a downloadable pdf on the STANYS website accessed at the link below. Please review the Election Brochure to read each candidate's vitae and position statement.

https://drive.google.com/file/d/1I2qugfvXPEhOGINHeTA2xeF_vuBDcsTm/view

The Election will be on a secure electronic voting platform, Simply Voting, this year. You will receive an invitation to vote on October 1st at the email address you identified on your membership form. There will be a link to the Election Information Fall 2018 brochure and a direct link to the ballot in the invitation to vote. Your vote is anonymous and cannot be traced to your email. Emails that "bounce back" are identified and efforts will be made to send the ballot to an alternative email if we have one on file. The election will conclude at the Annual Meeting, November 3, 2018.

If you have questions regarding the election procedures, email me at:

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STANYS Elections Chair 2018

