



Diane M. Butler

2011 Candidate for Director Position
AILA Board of Governors

As an AILA member, I promote the idea that sharing information gives us strength, enables us to better serve our clients, helps us develop rewarding bonds among ourselves, and enhances our ability to bring about positive change.

Key AILA Involvement:

- CBP: National CBP Liaison Committee Chair, 2005 – 2007; ongoing mentorship and guidance for AILA members on border and other CBP operations
- FOIA: National FOIA Committee member, 2009 – 2011
- Consumer Protection, Professionalism: Washington Chapter Committee Chair 2009 - 2010 – worked with the State Attorney General to draft legislation to crack down on unauthorized practice of law (UPL) violators in Washington
- Advocacy: participant in several National Days of Action; author of letters to the press; speaker at community action events
- Consular Processing: Washington Chapter Consular Committee Chair, 2010 - 2011
- Member of Canada and Rome Chapters
- Gay and Lesbian Interest Group member
- Frequent speaker and planning committee member for AILA National conferences, Regional and Chapter Conferences and Chapter meetings
- Author of publications and practice advisories

I welcome your questions and viewpoints. For more information about my background, see <http://www.lanepowell.com/2033/diane-m-butler/>, visit me on Facebook, call me at (206) 223-7715 or email: butlerd@lanepowell.com

Please cast your ballot for the candidates of your choice. Voting begins Friday, May 6th online, paper ballots are available by request, and a voting booth will be available at the AILA Annual Conference in San Diego, up to Thursday, June 16, 2011.

Thank you for your interest!

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