

Nominee for Member-At-Large

Allison Galassie

North Carolina State Crime Lab

Education:

- BS in Chemistry – Eastern Kentucky University
- BS in Forensic Science – Eastern Kentucky University
- PhD Analytical Chemistry – Vanderbilt University

Employment History:

- North Carolina State Crime Lab: 2021 - Present
 - Forensic Scientist III
 - Technical Leader 2023 – Present
- Georgia Bureau of Investigation: 2017 – 2021
 - Crime Lab Scientist series (Drug Chemistry)

Past SAFS Participation:

- President-Elect 2022 – 2023
- President 2023 – 2024
- Program Co-Chair for the 2024 Annual Meeting (Chattanooga)
- Immediate Past President 2024 – 2025
- Program Chair for the 2026 Annual Meeting (Greenville)

Additional Memberships/Certifications:

- American Board of Criminalistics (ABC-DA) certification since 2018
- Clan Lab Response certification since 2025
- Clandestine Laboratory Investigating Chemists (CLIC) member
- ASTM member

Why do you want to serve on the SAFS Board of Directors?

Ever since my first SAFS meeting in 2018, I have been working to encourage my peers to become members and attend our Annual Meetings. Serving on the Board for the past three years has been a wonderful experience that I would love to continue. In my tenure, we have made strides to place more value in SAFS membership and I would love to continue serving on the Board in order to follow these goals through.

