



Candidate for Vice-President / President-Elect

Anthony James Baltiero

**Electronic Resources Librarian
Blue Ridge Community College**



Education:

MLIS – Kent State University, 2018
Master of Arts in TESOL – University of San Francisco, 2015
Bachelor of Arts in ELL Studies – Ashford University, 2012

Employment Background:

Anthony has previously worked in the Jacksonville Public Library System (Jacksonville, FL), most recently as an Assistant Library Supervisor in charge of the library system's Central Information Services Department. Additionally, Anthony has held the positions of Librarian II – Assistant Branch Manager and Librarian I – Adult & Youth Services. During his tenure working with the City of Jacksonville, Anthony had the opportunity to work as a Research Assistant for the City's Office of City Council – Research Division where he served for two years before returning to the library. Outside of the library, Anthony has worked as an academic advisor and adjunct professor at multiple colleges and universities.

Why do you wish to serve in this position and what do you envision achieving during your term in support of NCCCLA's mission?

I believe that my varied background across library services and education gives me a unique perspective into the needs of traditional and non-traditional community college students. I bring this well-rounded perspective into my work within the library and it allows me to create an effective academic library environment for our students. I would bring this same passion to my duties as VP/P-E for the NCCCLA. I have been on many organizing and management committees at multiple levels, including the public library system, local organizations, and ALA organizations. If elected, I will continue the wonderful work of the NCCCLA by helping to create and implement high quality professional development and networking opportunities for our members.