



Candidate Position Statement and Biographical Information

Position: Nominations Committee

1. Candidate Information

Name of Nominee:

Danielle Watson, MSN, RN

Education (Highest Degree Held and School):

Dual Master's Degrees

Position Statement:

Danielle Watson is a nursing educator and healthcare leader committed to advancing excellence in nursing practice and education throughout New Jersey. She began her career as a Licensed Practical Nurse at age 19 and has progressed through every level of nursing, earning her Registered Nurse licensure, Bachelor of Science in Nursing, and dual Master's degrees. Her professional journey reflects a sustained commitment to lifelong learning and advancement within the discipline.

With a clinical foundation in acute care, Danielle was recognized as a Core Value Award recipient at Newark Beth Israel Medical Center for her dedication to exceptional patient care and consistently positive patient and family feedback. This experience strengthened her understanding of quality, accountability, and professional integrity.

Danielle currently serves in leadership at Universal Training Institute in Perth Amboy, New Jersey, where she oversees admissions strategy and student development within the Licensed Practical Nursing program. Having experienced nursing education across multiple scopes of practice, she brings a comprehensive and balanced perspective to evaluating professional excellence.

She is honored to contribute her experience and judgment in service to the New Jersey League for Nursing.

2. Major Positions Held During the Past 10 Years

Date	Title of Position	Employer
Present	Licensed Practical Nursing Program Leadership	Universal Training Institute

3. NJLN Activities During the Past 10 Years

Date	Activity
Current	NJLN Member