



2019 SRS Board of Directors Candidate

Amy R. Wolfson, PhD



It would be an honor to have the opportunity to serve on the SRS Board of Directors as a Director-at-Large. I've been actively engaged as a sleep researcher since graduate school in the 1980s and a member of SRS since the early 1990s, founding co-chair of the Women in Sleep and Rhythms Research group (WiSRR), and serving on both the trainee education advisory committee and the government affairs task force. Over the last decade, I've served in various higher education leadership-administration positions, returning full-time to my teaching and research in the last two years. At this time, it has become clear to me that I would bring

energy, higher education leadership experience, and perspective as a member of the SRS Board of Directors.

I am currently a Professor of Psychology at Loyola University Maryland after 22 years as a member of the Psychology Department at the College of the Holy Cross. I have been engaged in child and adolescent sleep research since graduate school at Washington University, where I studied under the late, nationally recognized clinical psychologist/sleep researcher, Patricia Lacks, Ph.D. As an experienced academic, administrator, engaged college-university community member, editor and reviewer, and non-profit board member, I would bring experience to the SRS Board of Directors. For example, I have a strong record of accomplishment in shared governance, community engagement, faculty development, and establishment of effective student mentoring structures.

I look forward to the opportunity to join the SRS Board of Directors, where I believe I can help continue to lead, guide, and collaborate on new initiatives for the SRS and the field more broadly. Many thanks for considering me as a candidate to serve on the SRS Board of Directors as a Director-at-Large. I look forward to hearing from you. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.