



CITY COUNCIL TRANSMITTAL



Rachel Otto, Chief of Staff

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TO: Salt Lake City Council
Darin Mano, Chair

DATE 8/14/2023

FROM: Rachel Otto, Chief of Staff
Office of the Mayor

SUBJECT: Board Appointment Recommendation: Library Board

STAFF CONTACT: April Patterson
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DOCUMENT TYPE: Board Appointment Recommendation: Library Board Board

RECOMMENDATION: The Administration recommends the Council consider the recommendation in the attached letter from the Mayor and appoint Sariah Toronto member of the Library Board.



August 14, 2023

Salt Lake City Council
451 S State Street Room 304
PO Box 145476
Salt Lake City, UT 84114

Dear Council Member Mano,

Listed below is my recommendation for the membership appointment for: Library Board.

Sariah Toronto to be appointed for a three year term starting from date of City Council advice and consent and ending on Tuesday, June 30, 2026.

I respectfully ask for your consideration and support for this appointment.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Erin Mendenhall', with a long vertical line extending from the bottom of the signature.

Erin Mendenhall, Mayor

cc: file



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BCA-00376

BC Boards and Commissions Application Name	BCA-00376	Outcome	
Board Applied For	Library Board	Case	00072464
Second Choice		Owner	SLCCRM
Third Choice		Stage	New
Profession	COO, Morgan Stanley Salt Lake	Previous contact with board or members	No
		Previous Contact Details	
		How Heard	Other

Applicant

Applicant	Sariah Toronto	Applicant City Council District	
Applicant Email	torontosariah@gmail.com	Contact	Sariah Toronto
Applicant Phone		Contact Email	torontosariah@gmail.com
Applicant Address	1465 Princeton Avenue South Salt Lake City, UT 84105		

Questionnaire

Reason for interest in this board	The Salt Lake City Public Library is an incredible component of the fabric of our city. I am continually impressed by how the library supports and enriches the community. I am an avid reader, and thus often frequent my local branch library, as well as the Main library. I am passionate about the library's mission, and would be so honored to contribute to that mission in a board capacity.	Civic/Professional Org Memberships	
Community Service activ. past/present	I have served on the boards of the Bachauer International Piano Foundation and American Cancer Society - Utah. In the course of my work, I have also engaged closely with many community organizations, including Women Tech Council, Girls Who Code, House of Hope, Utah Food Bank, The Period Project, Boys & Girls Clubs of Greater Salt Lake, Utah Black Chamber, Salt Lake Chamber of Commerce, and others. I also co-authored a study of philanthropy in Utah, The Giving State: A Report on Utah's Philanthropic Landscape (2017).	Other Information	

References

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Reference 1 Name	Andrea	Reference 3 Name	Diane
Reference 1 Last Name	Verkic	Reference 3 Last Name	Liu
Reference 1 Phone	801-783-9334	Reference 3 Phone	801-368-7378
Reference 2 Name	Stefanie		
Reference 2 Last Name	Condie		
Reference 2 Phone	646-221-0364		

Demographics

Ethnic Group	White/Caucasian/Anglo	Gender Identity	Female
Disabled		Veteran	
Languages	English, Spanish, Russian, French	Housing	
ID as LGBTQ		Education Level	Masters Degree
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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

MORGAN STANLEY SALT LAKE
Chief Operating Officer

Salt Lake City, 2021 - present

GOLDMAN SACHS
Chief of Staff, Engineering

Salt Lake City, 2018 - 2021

CLARITAS LLC
Founder and Principal, Philanthropic Consultancy

Salt Lake City, 2016 - 2018

Conceived of/co-authored The Giving State 2017: A Report on Utah's Philanthropic Landscape

BILL & MELINDA GATES FOUNDATION

Seattle, 2012 - 2016

Senior Program Officer, Media Grant Portfolio/Measurement, Learning & Evaluation

Chief of Staff, Communications Division

Senior Communications Officer, Strategy, Planning and Management

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF NEW YORK

New York, 2001—2002, 2008—2012
(via Comforce 2008-2009)

Senior Trader/Analyst and Secretariat, Treasury Market Practices Group (TMPG)

Senior Business Analyst, Central Bank and International Account Services

CITIBANK

Assistant Vice President, Promotions Management, Citi f/i

New York, 2000

Global Management Associate, Citibank Global Technology Infrastructure

Various, 1998—2000

BOARD SERVICE

GINA BACHAUER INTERNATIONAL PIANO FOUNDATION

AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY—UTAH CHAPTER

EDUCATION

INSEAD WOMEN'S LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME

AMEC INTERNATIONAL CERTIFICATE IN MEASUREMENT AND EVALUATION

INTERNATIONAL MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

University of South Carolina, Russian track

BA, INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS, SPANISH (*cum laude*)

Brigham Young University