

ARSC 2023 ELECTION BIOGRAPHIES AND VISION STATEMENTS

ARSC BLUE RIBBONS AWARDS COMMITTEE

Judge with expertise in Recorded Classical Music

DIANE NAPERT

BIOGRAPHY

Diane Napert has a Bachelor of Arts in Music and Spanish from Trinity College, Hartford a Master's in Business Administration from the University of Connecticut and a Master's in Library Science from Southern Connecticut State University. Diane joined ARSC 16 years ago when she worked on a project to catalog 78s for Yale's Historical Sound Recordings collection. In addition to the Music Library, she has worked in the Divinity and Sterling libraries at Yale. She is currently the Director of the Monographic Processing Services Unit within the centralized Technical Services area. Diane serves on the ARSC Finance Committee, Co-Chairs the Cataloging Committee and serves as ARSC's liaison to the Committee on Cataloging: Description Access (CC:DA), among other professional activities.

VISION STATEMENT

The ARSC Awards for Excellence are a unique opportunity for ARSC to showcase newer research on recorded sound and its importance to cultural heritage. I would be pleased to contribute to this valuable endeavor.

DENNIS ROONEY

BIOGRAPHY

Dennis D. Rooney joined ARSC in 1996, has served on its Technical Committee, and currently serves on the Awards Committee as Classical Music judge. His reviews of books and recordings regularly appear in the ARSC JOURNAL and he is a regular presenter at its annual conferences. He was the Classical Music Judge on the Awards Committee from 2009 to 2014. A professional career embracing journalism, classical record production, broadcasting and narration has been accompanied by over six decades as a record collector. Discs from his collection are frequently used in CD historical reissues.

VISION STATEMENT

ARSC's Book Awards are highly regarded by authors and publishers because of the exacting standards employed in assessing them. My previous experience as a judge and a desire to maintain those high standards leads me to offer to serve for another term.