

A portrait of Karen Busi, a woman with short, wavy brown hair and blue eyes, smiling warmly. She is wearing a black top and a pearl necklace. The background is a blurred office setting with wooden paneling and a computer monitor.

I am The **ROCK**

Karen Busi

Job: Secretary in Dean's Office for the College of Business, Information and Social Sciences.

Joined University: July 1969.

Background: Graduated from Slippery Rock High School in June 1969 and started working at SRU a month later. I have worked as a department secretary in many different offices throughout my years at SRU, including student teaching, academic support services, physical education, special education, sports information and computer science.

Interests: I love photography, painting pictures, animals, gardening, camping, taking rides on back roads with my husband, Pete, and enjoying nature.

Last book read: 'Dewey, the Small-Town Library Cat Who Touched the World' by Vicki Myron.

Why I work at The Rock: I love working at The Rock. I feel very fortunate to be an employee at SRU. In the more than 39 years that I have worked here, I have met so many wonderful people and have had such great experiences working with everyone. I love working with the students – they are our future. I feel very fortunate in having the opportunity to work with them and help them while they are here at SRU working on their degrees. And I am proud to say that my two sons, Rich and Tim, will both receive degrees from SRU.