

I am The ROCK

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Job: I am secretary to the dean of the College of Business, Information and Social Sciences.

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Background: I was born and raised in Ohio. My undergraduate education was at Johnson University where I received a bachelor of science degree. I have lived in Tennessee, Kentucky, Illinois and Pennsylvania, and have worked in academia for more than 20 years between my time at SRU and the University of Illinois. I love living in Pennsylvania; it is a beautiful state with so much to do and see.

Interests: I love being a mom to my daughter who is married to a wonderful man and being a grandmother to their two bright, beautiful children. Spending time with them and the rest of my family gives me the most joy. I enjoy scrapbooking and how it keeps a family history alive for future generations. Singing and shopping are also favorite things to do.

Person(s) to have dinner with: The cast of TV's 'The Big Bang Theory' and I would sit in Sheldon's (Jim Parson's) seat.

Why I work at The Rock: I love the energy of a university campus; it is invigorating. I find it interesting to meet students as they come in as freshmen and watch them mature and leave wiser, more mature – people ready to go out into the world with the knowledge and skills to succeed. I get a great deal of satisfaction from knowing I contribute to that process by the things I do in my job.

