



# **Donna Scott Tilley**

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**IAFN NOMINATING COMMITTEE  
CANDIDATE BIO**

**My name is Donna Scott Tilley. I am a candidate for a position on the Nominating Committee of IAFN. I am a Professor and Associate Dean for Research and Clinical Scholarship in the College of Nursing at Texas Woman's University. I am also a Sexual Assault Nurse Examiner for Forensic Nurse Staffing of West Texas. I feel very lucky to have a job that leverages one of my strengths - I am a connector! I am good at connecting people with the right resources and the right collaborators. I envision service on the Nominating Committee to involve finding the right people to serve on the IAFN Board and Commission for Forensic Nursing Certification.**

**I recently completed a four year term of office with the Southern Nursing Research Society, two years as President Elect and two years as President. I am well acquainted with the sometimes difficult elements of serving as a board member for a large organization and believe that I am good at finding common ground when there is conflict and creative solutions to move the organization forward.**

**As a practicing forensic nurse, I appreciate the value that IAFN brings to the specialty of Forensic nursing and I want to be part of keeping the specialty strong and evidence based.**