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Jannie Davis Evans Board Member Bio

Jannie Davis Evans is a native of Andrews, South Carolina. She graduated from Andrews High School in 1977 and from South Carolina State University in 1981 with a Bachelor's degree in Education. She is also a 1981 graduate of Atlanta University (now Clark Atlanta University) with a Masters of Library and Information Science degree. Ms. Evans has also enhanced her management/leadership skills by taking courses at the Army Management Staff College, Fort Belvoir, Virginia. She retired as an Executive Officer in 2016 with thirty-four years of federal government service from Defense Contract Management Agency (DCMA), Fort Lee, Virginia. Ms. Evans retired as a part-time reference librarian at Hampton University, Harvey Library, Hampton, Virginia with twenty–three years of service.

She has been a board member since 2019. She volunteered for this organization from 2010 to 2019. Ms. Evans is currently an online adjunct professor at the University of Maryland Global Campus, Largo, Maryland. Her career has steered her in several locations such as Georgia, Alabama, Italy, Germany and Virginia. Ms. Evans is a member of First Baptist Church, Hampton, Virginia, American Library Association, Special Libraries Association, Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority Incorporated, Project 1619, Old Point Comfort Toastmasters Club 8413, and Fort Eustis, Virginia. She enjoys traveling, theater, gardening, reading, interior decorating and volunteering in the community.