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# **ANNALISE HIMMEL**

**CANDIDATE FOR REGION 9 EXECUTIVE BOARD**

## **EDUCATION**

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Bachelor of Science in Sports  
Medicine- Nicholls State University  
2013

Member of Phi Mu Fraternity-  
served on executive committee as  
Risk Management Chair

Master of Science in Sport  
Management- Texas A&M  
University 2016

## **CAREER EXPERIENCE**

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Manager of a 24-hour fitness center  
(Snap Fitness) in Thibodaux, La from  
2009 – 2013

Outreach Athletic Trainer for the  
Sports Medicine Center of  
Thibodaux Regional 2013- present

Management Committee for Sports  
Medicine Coverage of Manning  
Passing Academy Football camp  
2014- present

Planning Committee for Louisiana  
Athletic Trainers Association  
Summer Convention 2019

## **MEMBERSHIPS, LEADERSHIP, & AWARDS**

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AHA/USEF Member since 1998  
LAHYA member and officer throughout youth career  
Delegate to AHYA Convention 1998-2008  
Region 9 Youth Director 2006-2008  
AHYA Board Member 2006-2009  
AHYA President 2008-2009  
AHYA Past President 2009-2010  
Youth Liaison to Youth Nationals Show Commission 2008-2009  
Region 9 Youth Foundation Scholarship Recipient  
Lois Finch Essay Contest winner  
AHYA Youth of the Year Runner Up  
2018 Region 9 Volunteer of the Year Award Recipient

## **CURRENT CONTRIBUTIONS**

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LAHA Board Member 2010-present  
Magnolia Classic Show Committee 2016- present  
Region 9 Youth Co-Coordinator 2010- present  
Region 9 Youth Foundation Board Member – 2018 - present  
Region 9 Website & Communications Coordinator  
AHA Equitation Committee (and subcommittee responsible for the new equitation  
manuals)  
AHA Youth Committee & Amateur Committee  
Vice Chair on an appointed task force by AHA President, Nancy Harvey, to bridge the gap  
between outgoing youth exhibitors and amateur exhibitors – trying to keep the youth  
involved through college  
R9 Championship Horse Show- Patrons co-coordinator 2018 & 2019  
R9 Championship Horse Show- Exhibitor's party co-coordinator 2018 & 2019



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My mom and dad, owners and operators of Plantation Arabians, have been involved with the Arabian Horse Industry since long before my time. I was born in November of 1990 and rode my first lead line class on Mother's Day in 1994. I haven't stopped showing and loving the Arabian Horse since that first lead line class. Fast forward a bit, to my first Youth Nationals (1998) when I began my leadership and philanthropic endeavors by helping the "big kids" sell the iconic R9 Youth Cookbooks. I also attended my very first AHYA Convention at this YNL. I learned how to conduct meetings and work on committees at a very young age and eventually served many officer positions within my local club, Region 9 Youth, and AHYA. I'm one of the proud few that continued this pattern, and now I serve all of the above as an adult. I work as a breed ambassador at USN and CNL by participating with my horses in the "meet an Arabian" portion of TAIL tours. I have helped out and handled horses for the AHA National Judging Contest every year from 2011-present. I actively promote the Arabian through marketing interviews for AHA at National Events. Most recently, I did an interview at CNL with my horse, Flasher, for the Brandon, MB news station.

Together with my mom, dad, and husband, John, we breed and show Arabians and Half Arabians at the local, regional, and national levels. I am proud to call Region 9 home and would love to continue to serve you as the Louisiana representative. Thank you for your time.