

## 2020 Virtual Federal Student Aid Training Conference

### Speaker Bio

Session: BO6. Common Origination and Disbursement (COD) Update



**PRESENTER NAME:** Marie Fitzpatrick

**PRESENTER TITLE:** Management and Program Analyst

**PRESENTER BUSINESS UNIT:** Grants and Campus Based Partner Division

**PRESENTER BIO:** A Federal Student Aid veteran of 23 years, Marie currently works on developing grant operations. Her work includes tracking policy issues for system implications, overseeing grant changes in the Common Origination & Disbursement (COD) System, communicating system changes, system testing, and researching complicated issues. Marie has been a key analyst on the implementation of such projects as Academic Competitiveness and National SMART Grants, Two Pell's in an Award Year, Pell Lifetime Eligibility Used, Iraq Afghanistan Service Grant, Year-round Pell, Pell Eligibility Restoration for Students that Attended Closed Schools, and Children of Fallen Heroes.

Prior to coming to FSA, she worked in the financial aid office at her alma mater, Loyola University of Chicago, for over a decade. She is a native Chicagoan, a sports fan, and the first in her large family to graduate from college.