

## **Biography of Michelle Cosby**

Michelle Cosby is president of the American Association of Law Libraries (AALL). She has been involved with AALL for 16 years and has served as chair of several AALL committees. Cosby is also a former president of the Southeastern Association of Law Libraries, former chair of the Black Caucus of the American Association of Law Libraries, and a member of the Academic Law Libraries Special Interest Section.

Cosby is currently the director of the law library at Temple University, where she leads the Law Library in the support of research for law faculty and students. She also oversees the daily operations including teaching, personnel, budget, and administrative activities for the library.

Prior to becoming Temple University's director of the law library in June 2019, Cosby was associate director and an associate professor at the University of Tennessee. Earlier in her career, she served as senior reference and instructional services librarian at the North Carolina Central University School of Law Library and as a reference librarian at the law libraries of the universities of Kentucky and Miami.

Cosby received her B.A. in Sociology from Butler University. At Indiana University Bloomington, Cosby earned a dual master of library science (MLS) degree and juris doctorate degree. She is an admitted member of the Indiana Bar.

### **About AALL**

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