Sarah Ratliff:

I’m currently an RD on a specialized team responsible for placing all of the small-bore feeding tubes for UK Chandler, Kentucky Children’s, & Good Samaritan Hospitals. Prior to that, I had the privilege of working as a renal RD in the dialysis setting. The relationships, knowledge, & confidence gained during my time at Fresenius Kidney Care made it difficult to leave. However, prior to completing my dietetic internship, I was a DTR at UK on the same feeding tube placement team & grew immensely passionate about this unique team. Therefore, when a full time RD position became vacant on the team, I could not pass it up.

Throughout my dietetics career, BGAND has been a staple provider of relevant extracurricular activities & continuing education. In an effort to give back, as well as continue pushing myself to step out of my comfort zone, I ran for the Treasurer position on the board. I have now been serving in this role for the past 2 years & would be honored to have your vote to continue as Treasurer for another 2-year term. During my time in this position, I have had the opportunity to pursue another passion of mine through managing the budget & financial accounts for the organization. I am seeking to extend my time in the role because not only is it beneficial to my personal career growth (as I would like to continue to improve at networking & finance management), but I could also ensure a smooth transition as changes are made with BGAND remaining a district under KAND’s financial leadership.