

Mary Ann Christensen

ASEA Board Member



Mary Ann Christensen My career in the title and escrow business began over 37 years ago. Having started as an assistant I found that the title and escrow business was my niche. Through the years I have been involved with many transactions ranging from vacant land to the high liability commercial transaction. I have always enjoyed a challenge and have had many over the years, allowing me to hone my skills in the business. Creating long lasting relationships within the industry have benefitted both my professional life and personal life. I have never met a stranger and have always welcomed another friend. As my career progressed I became quite astute at conveying ideas and concepts and taught many classes to title, escrow and real estate professionals. I especially enjoy speaking to those who find that they may want to embark on a career in the industry.

Whether their direction is to become a real estate agent or an escrow officer, I believe that my enthusiasm for the industry has been conveyed with each encounter I have.

As the statewide escrow administrator, I am involved with all facets of the business. Working with each branch manager to assist with the implementation of policies and procedures is rewarding especially when I see their success both personally and as a branch. My organizational skills allow me to assist each branch in creating the best work flow to maximize the production of the staff as well as the profit of each unit. I get real enjoyment when I see the success each individual and the unit has had through the use of the systems that I have devised and implemented. Knowing that each branch is unique I tend to size up the situation and then return with a plan of action. Never lacking follow through everyone knows me as being thorough and detailed oriented. I enjoy seeing the successes of others and will follow through to see how the systems and work flow are being implemented. I have found that with the right systems and tools as well as sales training each branch can be a success and I am happy to be a contributor to the success of others.

I am the former president of the Southern Arizona Escrow Association, former vice president of the Arizona State Escrow Association and former chairman of the ways and means committee of the American Escrow Association. I am involved with Homicide Survivors of Tucson as well as the Victim Witness Association of Tucson.

I consider myself to be a native Arizonan having lived here since 1968! Spending time with family and friends is one of my most precious pastimes. My husband Peter and I have been married for 35 years and have two beautiful daughters, one of whom has recently blessed me with a granddaughter. While my daughters were young, I was president of both the Tucson Bobby Sox Softball Association and Junior Olympics of Tucson. My guilty pleasure is shopping, anyone who knows me knows that I am always up for shopping.

