



Angela Rossi Zurowski, Executive Director

Angela Rossi Zurowski has been Executive Director of the International Institute of Connecticut since December 2010. As Executive Director, Ms. Zurowski is actively focused on increasing access to affordable immigration assistance, assisting individuals to reunite with family members, and designing and implementing quality programs to promote self-sufficiency and integration among immigrant and refugee families throughout the State of Connecticut.

Ms. Zurowski first joined the IIC in 2005 and has held positions including Director of Refugee Services, Immigration Specialist, and Director of Program & Development. In those roles, she achieved such organizational milestones as initiating the Matching Grant program in 2006, establishing IIC's Derby office in 2010, and launching the agency's new brand and website in 2011. Prior to joining IIC, Ms. Zurowski worked with the Connecticut General Assembly as a Legislative Assistant and with the Connecticut Democrats as a Campaign Coordinator.

Ms. Zurowski completed graduate work on an MA in International Relations, with a focus on Forced Migration Movements, from Southern Connecticut State University and earned a BS in Political Science from Western Connecticut State University. She currently serves on the Board of Directors of the Bridgeport Neighborhood Trust and has conducted numerous trainings throughout the state for organizations including Literacy Volunteers of America, Casey Family Services, and the Connecticut Children's Trust.

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