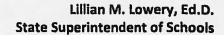
MARYLAND STATE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION PERSONNEL APPROVALS FOR THE June 27, 2014 BOARD MEETING

1. Appointments Grade 19 and above:

		SALARY		DATE OF
NAME	POSITION	GRADE	DIVISION/OFFICE	APPOINTMENT
Haack, Jeremy A.	Education Program Specialist I, Secondary Biology Specialist	21	Curriculum, Assessment and Accountability	TBD
Hersl, Christopher C.	Education Program Specialist I, Health and Physical Education	21	Curriculum, Assessment and Accountability	ТВД
Hollis, Luke P.	Education Program Specialist I, Education Accountability Specialist	21	Curriculum, Assessment and Accountability	ТВД
Meadows, Kelly E.	Education Program Specialist II, Nonpublic School Approval Specialist	22	Educator Effectiveness	ТВД
Miller, Candy M.	Education Program Specialist I, EC-CAS Coordinator	21	Early Childhood Development	TBD
Moore, Danita	Child Care Licensing Regional Manager	19	Early Childhood Development, Office of Child Care	TBD
Nelson, Deborah D.	Education Program Specialist II, School Psychological Services & Team Leader for School Safety and Climate	22	Student, Family, and School Support	TBD
welson, Jacqueline L.	Principal, Baltimore Juvenile Justice Center	IEPP	Career and College Readiness, Juvenile Services Education	TBD
II. Appointments Grade 18 and below:	and below:			
NAIME	POSITION	SALARY	DIVISION/OFFICE	DATE OF APPOINTMENT
Ajayi, Adebola	Agency Project Engineer	16	Rehabilitation Services, Workforce and Technology Center	05/28/14

07/23/14	07/23/14	06/11/14	07/23/14	06/11/14	07/23/14	07/23/14	07/09/14	07/09/14	07/23/14	07/23/14	07/09/14
Rehabilitation Services, Disability Determination Services	Rehabilitation Services, Disability Determination Services	Rehabilitation Services, Workforce and Technology Center	Rehabilitation Services, Disability Determination Services	Rehabilitation Services, Workforce and Technology Center	Rehabilitation Services, Disability Determination Services	Rehabilitation Services, Disability Determination Services	Office of Information Technology	Rehabilitation Services, Workforce and Technology Center	Rehabilitation Services, Disability Determination Services	Rehabilitation Services, Disability Determination Services	Rehabilitation Services, Office of Blind and Vision Services
12	13	13	12	13	13	13	17	16	12	13	16
Vocational Rehabilitation Specialist I	Vocational Rehabilitation Specialist II	Vocational Rehabilitation Specialist II	Vocational Rehabilitation Specialist I	Vocational Rehabilitation Specialist II	Vocational Rehabilitation Specialist II	Vocational Rehabilitation Specialist II	Computer Network Specialist II	Registered Nurse	Vocational Rehabilitation Specialist I	Vocational Rehabilitation Specialist II	Staif Specialist II
Brown, Alexis	Bunjno, Sarah	Curti-Sell, Bianca	Dupree, Timothy	Haynes, Tiffany	Metzger, Tracey	Miller, Jamie	Neitzey, Kevin	Plaisance, Michele	Powers, Daniel	Quidley, Elizabeth	Smith, William

07/09/14	07/23/14	07/23/14	07/23/14	07/23/14	07/23/14	07/09/14	06/11/14	DATE OF APPOINTMENT
Career and College Readiness, Juvenile Services Education	Rehabilitation Services, Disability Determination Services	Rehabilitation Services, Workforce and Technology Center	Rehabilitation Services, Region I	DIVISION/OFFICE				
IEPP	13	12	12	13	13	17	15	SALARY
Teacher, School Guidance Counselor	Vocational Rehabilitation Specialist II	Vocational Rehabilitation Specialist I	Vocational Rehabilitation Specialist I	Vocational Rehabilitation Specialist II	Vocational Rehabilitation Specialist II	Vocational Rehabilitation Specialist Il	Staff Specialist I	POSITION
Snyder, Samuel M.	Spencer, Ashley	Sterling, Christi	Stewart, Kelly	Summerville, Ella	Wilson, James	Zapinski, Shira	Meara	None None





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BOARD LIST

The following professional appointment is submitted for approval by the State Board of Education:

Name: -

Jeremy A. Haack

Position:

Education Program Specialist I,

Secondary Biology Specialist

Division:

Curriculum, Assessment and Accountability

Salary Grade:

State Salary Grade 21

Annual Salary Range: \$59,355 - \$95,297

Effective Date:

TBD

JOB REQUIREMENTS:

EDUCATION: Master's Degree or equivalent 36 credit hours of post-baccalaureate course work in Education, Educational Administration/Supervision, Secondary Biology, or a related field. Maryland certification in Biology is preferred.

EXPERIENCE: Four years of professional work experience in teaching and administration, or supervision within an education setting. Experience in a secondary biology education program preferred.

<u>DESCRIPTION:</u> This is a professional position responsible for providing support and technical assistance in high school biology and related secondary science programs.

Education:

College of Notre Dame of Maryland (Baltimore, Maryland) 2001 – Master's Degree in Educational Leadership.

St. Mary's College of Maryland (St. Mary's City, Maryland) 1993 - Bachelor's Degree in Biology.

McDaniel College (Westminster, Maryland) 1994 - Teacher Certification.

University of Maryland (Baltimore, Maryland) 2008 - Physical Science Certification.

Experience:

Baltimore County Public Schools (Towson, Maryland)

2010 - Present: Supervisor of Secondary Science, Office of Science

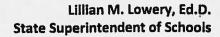
2007 – 2010: Science Resource Teacher K-12, Office of Science

1995 – 2007: Science Department Chair, Kenwood High School

McDaniel College (Westminster, Maryland)

1995 – 2002: Assistant Director of Conference Services

EMPLOYMENT STATUS:





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BOARD LIST

The following professional appointment is submitted for approval by the State Board of Education:

Name:

Christopher C. Hersl

Position:

Education Program Specialist I,

Health and Physical Education

Division:

Curriculum, Assessment and Accountability

Salary Grade:

State Salary Grade 21

Annual Salary Range: \$59,355 - \$95,297

Effective Date:

TBD

JOB REQUIREMENTS:

EDUCATION: Master's Degree or equivalent 36 credit hours of post-baccalaureate course work in Education, Educational Administration/Supervision, Physical Education, Comprehensive Health Education, or a related field. Maryland certification in Physical Education or Health Education is preferred.

EXPERIENCE: Four years of professional work experience in teaching and administration, or supervision within an education setting. Experience in a physical education and/or health education program preferred.

<u>DESCRIPTION:</u> This is a professional position responsible for providing leadership, technical assistance, and coordination in the implementation of Health and Physical Education programs in the public schools in Maryland.

Education:

Goucher College (Towson, Maryland) 2005 - Master's Degree in Educational Leadership.

University of Maryland (College Park, Maryland) 1996 - Bachelor's Degree in Physical Education.

Maryland State Department of Education (Baltimore, Maryland) 2010 - Advanced Professional Certificate, Administrator I, Health and Physical Education PreK-12.

Experience:

Cecil County Public Schools (Elkton, Maryland)

Instructional Coordinator Physical Education, Health and Athletics 2010 - Present:

Assistant Principal, Rising Sun High School 2009 - 2010:

Safe and Drug Free School Coordinator and Resource Teacher for Health 2005 - 2008:

and Physical Education

Cecil Alternative Program (Fair Hill, Maryland)

Local Support Teacher 2008 - 2009:

Baltimore County Public Schools (Towson, Maryland)

Physical Education Teacher 1997 - 2005:

EMPLOYMENT STATUS:



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BOARD LIST

The following professional appointment is submitted for approval by the State Board of Education:

Name:

Luke P. Hollis

Position:

Education Program Specialist I,

Education Accountability Specialist

Division:

Curriculum, Assessment and Accountability

Salary Grade:

State Salary Grade 21

Annual Salary Range: \$59,355 - \$95,297

Effective Date:

TBD

JOB REQUIREMENTS:

EDUCATION: Master's Degree or equivalent 36 credit hours of post-baccalaureate course work from an accredited college or university.

EXPERIENCE: Four years of administrative or teaching experience in or affiliated with an education program; this experience to include coordinating or administering an education research program or education research related area. Experience in statistical analysis, applications development and research, or data management preferred; Statistical Analysis Software experience desired.

<u>DESCRIPTION:</u> This is a professional position responsible for providing program support and technical assistance for conducting research related to the accountability program within the Accountability Branch of the Division of Curriculum, Assessment, and Accountability.

Education:

University of Maryland Baltimore County (Catonsville, Maryland) 2012 – Master's Degree in Public Policy – Evaluation and Analytical Methods.

Grand Valley State University (Allendale, Michigan) 2008 – Bachelor's Degree in Education (Movement Science).

Experience:

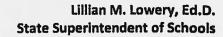
Baltimore City Public Schools (Baltimore, Maryland)

2008 - Present: Teacher, Roland Park Elementary/Middle School

2011: CEO Graduate Fellow, Office of School Turnaround

2010: Teacher Fellowship, Achievement and Accountability

EMPLOYMENT STATUS:





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BOARD LIST

The following professional appointment is submitted for approval by the State Board of Education:

Name:

Kelly E. Meadows

Position:

Education Program Specialist II,

Nonpublic School Approval Specialist

Division:

Educator Effectiveness

Salary Grade:

State Salary Grade 22

Annual Salary Range: \$63,341 - \$101,708

Effective Date:

TBD

JOB REQUIREMENTS:

EDUCATION: Master's Degree or equivalent 36 post-baccalaureate credit hours of course work in Education, Special Education or a related field.

EXPERIENCE: Five years of professional experience in education that must include experience in the application of regulations. Administration and/or supervisory experience in a special education setting desirable.

DESCRIPTION: This is a professional position serving as the lead technical specialist responsible for providing leadership, technical and legal expertise in all aspects of the approval of nonpublic educational programs for students with disabilities who are unable to be educated in public schools.

Education:

The Johns Hopkins University (Baltimore, Maryland) 2007 – Master's Degree in Early Childhood/ Special Education.

University of Baltimore (Baltimore, Maryland) 2001 - Bachelor's Degree in Psychology.

Experience:

Kennedy Krieger Schools (Baltimore, Maryland)

2009 - Present: Coordinato

Coordinator of Educational and Assistive Technology

2006 – 2009:

Assistive Technology Coordinator

2003 - 2006:

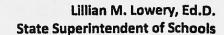
Special Education Teacher

Trellis Services, Inc. (Hunt Valley, Maryland)

2008 - Present:

Case Manager, Autism Waiver Services

EMPLOYMENT STATUS:





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BOARD LIST

The following professional appointment is submitted for approval by the State Board of Education:

Name:

Candy M. Miller

Position:

Education Program Specialist I,

Early Childhood Comprehensive Assessment System Coordinator

Division:

Early Childhood Development

Salary Grade:

State Salary Grade 21

Annual Salary Range: \$59,355 - \$95,297

Effective Date:

TBD

JOB REQUIREMENTS:

EDUCATION: A Master's Degree or equivalent 36 credit hours of post baccalaureate course work in Education, Educational Administration/Supervision or a related field.

EXPERIENCE: Four years of professional experience in coordinating or administering an education program or service directly related to Early Learning.

DESCRIPTION: This is a professional position responsible for assuring compliance with the provisions requested by the General Assembly to implement State Approved early childhood assessment for Start Strong: Maryland's Early Childhood Comprehensive Assessment System (EC-CAS), replacing the Maryland Model for School Readiness (MMSR) Kindergarten Assessment in 2014.

Qualifications:

Education:

Harvard University (Cambridge, Massachusetts) 1998 – Master's Degree in Human Development and Psychology (Research Methods and Statistics).

West Virginia University (Morgantown, West Virginia) 1994 - Bachelor's Degree in Social Work.

Experience:

Maryland State Department of Education (Baltimore, Maryland)

2012 - Present: Education Program Specialist, Early Childhood Assessment

Independent Consultant (Baltimore, Maryland)

2000 - Present: Consultant, Statistics and Methodology

Education Development Center, Inc. (Newton, Massachusetts)

2000 – 2002: Research Associate (Part-Time)

1999 – 2000: Research-Development Assistant/Senior Research Assistant

1998 – 1999: Research Assistant

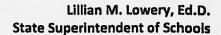
Harvard University (Cambridge, Massachusetts)

1997 – 1998: Research Assistant

Clarke County Department of Social Services (Berryville, Virginia)

1995 – 1997: Foster Care and Adoptions Social Worker

Employment Status





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BOARD LIST

The following professional appointment is submitted for approval by the State Board of Education:

Name:

Danita Moore

Position:

Child Care Licensing Regional Manager

Division:

Early Childhood Development,

Office of Child Care

Salary Grade:

State Salary Grade 19

Annual Salary Range: \$52,150 - \$83,726

Effective Date:

TBD

JOB REQUIREMENTS:

EDUCATION: Bachelor's Degree in Child Development, Education, Social Work or Psychology from an accredited four-year college or university.

EXPERIENCE: Five years of experience inspecting, licensing and monitoring child care centers, family day care homes, and non-public nursery schools.

DESCRIPTION: This is a professional position responsible for the overall management of a Child Care Regional Office, including the supervision of Child Care Licensing Supervisors and staff responsible for inspecting, licensing and monitoring child care facilities, family day care homes and non-public nursery schools.

Education:

Bowie State College (Bowie, Maryland) 1985 - Bachelor's Degree in Social Work.

Experience:

Maryland State Department of Education - Office of Child Care (Baltimore, Maryland)

2014 - Present:

Acting Regional Manager

2008 - Present:

Child Care Licensing Specialist Supervisor - Landover, Maryland

2008:

Child Care Licensing Specialist Lead

1998 - 2008:

Child Care Licensing Specialist

Young's Memorial Day Care Learning Center (Washington, D.C.)

1991 - 1998:

Director

Cole Garden Child Development Center (Washington, D.C.)

1985 - 1991:

Director

District of Columbia Superior Court (Washington, D.C.)

1983 – 1985:

Juvenile Intake Representative

EMPLOYMENT STATUS:

Promotion



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BOARD LIST

The following professional appointment is submitted for approval by the State Board of Education:

Name:

Deborah D. Nelson

Position:

Education Program Specialist II,

School Psychological Services and Team Leader for School Safety and

Climate

Division:

Student, Family, and School Support

Salary Grade:

State Salary Grade 22

Annual Salary Range: \$63,341 - \$101,708

Effective Date:

TBD

JOB REQUIREMENTS:

EDUCATION: Master's, Advanced Graduate Specialist's, or Doctoral Degree in either Psychology, Education, or Human Development from an Institution of Higher Education (IHE) and have completed 60 semester hours of graduate courses at an IHE (30 of which must be from one institution) to include course work in areas of study and defined in COMAR; or an advanced graduate specialist's, or Doctorate Degree in School Psychology from a National Association of School Psychologists, National Council for Accreditation of Teachers, American Psychological Association, or State Department of Education approved program and satisfies qualifying scores on the State-Approved Test for School Psychologists; or a valid Nationally Certified School Psychologist certificate issued by the National School Psychology Certification Board.

EXPERIENCE: Five years of administrative experience in or affiliated with, school psychological services, including two years of experience coordinating or administering a school psychological services program. Professional experience interpreting, implementing and communicating education policies and procedures including emergency preparedness/response is desirable.

<u>DESCRIPTION</u>: This is a professional position providing assistance to develop and implement the program of School systems aligned with coordinated student services to suppostudents of Maryland.

adership, consultation, and technical achelogical Services in local school acrowed learning outcomes for the

Education:

University of Maryland College Park (College Park, Maryland) 2003 – Doctorate Degree (Ph.D.) in School Psychology.

Howard University (Washington, D.C.) 1991 – Master's Degree in School Psychology; 1987 Bachelor's Degree in Journalism Education.

Experience:

Maryland State Department of Education (Baltimore, Maryland)

2014 - Present: Race to the Top Student Behavioral Specialist

Bowie State University (Bowie, Maryland)

2012 – 2014: Assistant Professor

ICAT Resources (Clearwater Beach, Florida)

2008 – 2013: Director of Trainer Certification

University of Maryland College Park (College Park, Maryland)

2009 – 2011: Adjunct Faculty

2004 – 2009: Research Associate

District of Columbia Public Schools (Washington, D.C.)

2003 – 2004: Coordinator of Psychological Services

1991 – 1993: School Psychologist

Howard University (Washington, D.C.)

2003 – 2006: Instructor

Howard County Public Schools (Ellicott City, Maryland)

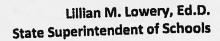
1999 – 2003: Psychologist for Instructional Intervention Teams

1997 – 1999: School Psychologist

Baltimore City Public Schools (Baltimore, Maryland)

1995 – 1997: Consulting Psychologist

EMPLOYMENT STATUS:





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BOARD LIST

The following professional appointment is submitted for approval by the State Board of Education:

Name:

Jacqueline L. Nelson

Position:

Principal, Baltimore City Juvenile Justice Center

Division:

Career and College Readiness, Juvenile Services Education

Salary Grade:

IEPP (\$87,773 - \$103,731)

Effective Date:

TBD

JOB REQUIREMENTS:

EDUCATION: Master's Degree in School Administration and Supervision or Master's Degree with 18 graduate credits in School Administration and Supervision and eligible for a Maryland Administrator II or Principal Certificate.

EXPERIENCE: Five years of satisfactory teaching experience. Principal experience is preferred; previous juvenile services/alternative education experience desired.

<u>DESCRIPTION:</u> This is a professional position serving as Principal of the Baltimore City Juvenile Justice Center, responsible for supervising and providing leadership to professional teaching staff of the education program for residents of a juvenile facility.

Education:

Virginia State University (Petersburg, Virginia) 1990 – Master's Degree in Educational Administration and Supervision.

Virginia Commonwealth University (Richmond, Virginia) 1978 – Bachelor's Degree in Elementary Education.

University of Virginia (Charlottesville, Virginia) 1997 - Special Education Certificate.

Commonwealth of Virginia (Richmond, Virginia) 2012 - Principal Certification.

Experience:

Chesterfield County Public Schools (Midlothian, Virginia)

1997 – Present: Co-Principal (Part-Time)

Virginia Department of Juvenile Justice (Richmond, Virginia)

2012 – 2013: Superintendent, Division of Education

Virginia Department of Correctional Education (Richmond, Virginia)

2010 – 2012: Deputy Superintendent for Academic Programs

2001 – 2010: Assistant Superintendent for Accountability

1997 – 2001: Principal, Joseph T. Mastin High School Annex

1995 – 1997: Assistant Principal, Joseph T. Mastin High School

1994 – 1995: GED Instructor, Addison-Perkins High School

1987 – 1992: GED Instructor, Joseph T. Mastin High School

1984 – 1987: Math Instructor, Paul Blandford High School

1982 – 1984: Sub itute Teacher, Paul Blandford High School

Goochland County Public Schools (Goochland, Virginia)

1992 – 1994: Sixth Grade Teacher, Goochland Middle Schools

Powhatan-Goochland Community Agency (Powhatan, Virginia)

1980 – 1982: Adult Basic Education/GED Teacher

Powhatan County Public Schools (Powhatan, Virginia)

1978 – 1980: Sixth Grade Teacher

EMPLOYMENT STATUS:

MARYLAND STATE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

PERSONNEL APPROVALS FOR THE June 27, 2014 BOARD MEETING

1. Appointments Grade 19 and above:

DIVISION/OFFICE GRADE SALARY **IEPP** Principal, Cheltenham Youth Facility **POSITION** Prakash, Anthony NAME

Career and College Readiness, Juvenile

TBD

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II. Appointments Grade 18 and below:

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III. Other Actions:

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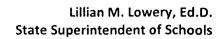
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SALARY GRADE

DIVISION/OFFICE

<u>APPOINTMENT</u> DATE OF

None





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BOARD LIST

The following professional appointment is submitted for approval by the State Board of Education:

Name: Anthony Prakash

Position: Principal, Cheltenham Youth Facility

Division: Career and College Readiness,

Juvenile Services Education

Salary Grade: IEPP (\$87,773 - \$103,731)

Effective Date: TBD

JOB REQUIREMENTS:

EDUCATION: Master's Degree in School Administration and Supervision or Master's Degree with 18 graduate credits in School Administration and Supervision and eligible for a Maryland Administrator II or Principal Certificate.

EXPERIENCE: Five years of satisfactory teaching experience. Principal experience is preferred; previous juvenile services/alternative education experience desired.

<u>DESCRIPTION</u>: This is a professional position serving as Principal of the Cheltenham Youth Facility, responsible for supervising and providing leadership to professional teaching staff of the education program for residents of a juvenile facility.

Education:

Mahatma Gandhi University (Kerala, India) 2002 – Master's Degree in History; 1999 – Master's Degree in English Literature; 2000 – Bachelor's Degree in Education; 1997 – Bachelor's Degree in English Literature.

Maryland State Department of Education (Baltimore, Maryland) 2013 – Advanced Professional Certificate, Administrator I/II.

Experience:

Maryland State Department of Education (Baltimore, Maryland)

2013 – Present:

Teacher Supervisor

2011 – 2013:

Lead Teacher – Special Education

2008 - 2011:

Special Education Teacher

Spring Independent School District (Houston, Texas)

2006 - 2008:

Special Education Teacher and Principal Intern

Houston Heights Learning Academy (Houston, Texas)

2005 - 2006:

Teacher, English and Social Studies

California Department of Corrections (San Diego, California)

2005:

Academic Teacher, GED

San Ysidro School District (San Ysidro, California)

2004 - 2005:

Substitute Teacher

Ebenezer International School (Kerala, India)

2002 - 2003:

Teacher

Thomas Porukara School (Kerala, India)

2000 - 2002:

Teacher

EMPLOYMENT STATUS:

Promotion