

We are pleased to announce the following individuals were recently appointed or elected to serve on the TALE Board:

- Malene Golding, M.S. - Malene will serve as TALE's Vice-President during the 2017-2018 fiscal year.**
- Kamshia Childs, Ed.D. - Kamishia will serve as a TALE Board member for a three-year term.**
- Julie Teel-Borders, Ph.D. - Julie will serve as a TALE Board member for a three-year term.**
- Codi Freeman, M.Ed. - Codi was appointed as TALE's treasurer for a two-year term.**

We are excited to welcome our new Board members! We also welcome the following TALE Executive Committee members into their new roles:

- Laurie A. Sharp, Ed.D. - Laurie served as TALE's President-Elect during the 2016-2017 fiscal year. She will now succeed into the office of President.**
- Brad Womack - Brad served as TALE's Vice-President during the 2016-2017 fiscal year. He will now succeed into the office of President-Elect.**
- Robin D. Johnson, Ed.D. - Robin served as TALE's President during the 2016-2017 fiscal year. She will now succeed into the office of Past-President.**

We extend our deepest appreciation to the following Board members for their phenomenal service during their appointed and elected terms:

- Mary LaFleur, M.Ed. - Mary has served as a TALE Board member since 2014. She also served as the Director of TALE's Community Involvement Committee.**
- L. Karen Estes-Sykes, Ed.D. - Karen has served as a TALE Board member since 2014. She also maintained TALE's Facebook and Twitter social media accounts.**

- Teddi Martin, Ph.D. - Teddi served as TALE's treasurer during part of the 2016-2017 fiscal year.
- Roberta D. Raymond, Ed.D. - Robbie has served as TALE's Past-President during the 2016-2017 fiscal year. She has been a part of TALE's Board for the past four years and served in each of the following Executive Committee positions:
 - Vice-President (2013-2014)
 - President-Elect (2014-2015)
 - President (2015-2016)

Finally, we would like to express our appreciation to Sandra Murillo-Sutterby, Ph.D. for stepping in as TALE's treasurer during the 2016-2017 fiscal year. Sandra will continue to serve as TALE's Past-Treasurer during the 2017-2018 fiscal year.