

Louisiana Department of Education

IDEA Supported Staff as of October 2014

District Support

The Office of District Support seeks to ensure districts have the information and supports they need to achieve college and career readiness for all students. This division is the primary communications and support structure for all local education agencies, including city and parish school districts and charter schools in the state.

Academic Content

The Office of Academic Content is responsible for supporting educators in delivering excellent instruction to all students across Louisiana's classrooms. Staff in this office identify and develop resources for educators across all standards, subjects, and grade levels, assist districts in reviewing evaluating curricula and instructional materials, and regularly partner with educators and content experts around the state to build the capacity of educators statewide and increase the quality of teaching for all students. This office coordinates the Teacher Leaders initiative, manages and regularly updates the Classroom Support Toolbox, and produces state assessment guides for educators.

LAST	FIRST	JOB TITLE	% IDEA	ANNUAL RATE
KNOX	YAMAI	FELLOW	20%	\$ 99,999.90
KOCKLER	REBECCA	ASST SUPERINTENDENT	10%	\$ 110,000.02
WITKOWSKI	ALICJA	CHIEF OF STAFF	50%	\$ 95,000.10
BECK	JAMIE	ED PROGRAM CONSULTANT 3	10%	\$ 62,649.60
CLINTON	DANNA	ED PROGRAM CONSULTANT 3	10%	\$ 68,161.60
STRANGE	LELA	ED PROGRAM CONSULTANT 3	15%	\$ 30,128.80
FARMER	ANDREA	ED PROGRAM CONSULTANT 3	25%	\$ 74,630.40
JOHNSON	MARIAN	ED PROGRAM CONSULTANT 2	25%	\$ 68,993.60
WILSON	ANN	ED PROGRAM CONSULTANT 2	25%	\$ 63,336.00

Academic Policy

The Office of Academic Policy is responsible for the development and administration of all statewide assessment programs, and the development and administration of the statewide school and district accountability system. Staff in this office produce and administer quality assessments aligned to state standards and report valid student assessment results required for state and district accountability, educator feedback, and parental notification of student progress. In addition, the office is responsible for the development of accountability policy, programming, reporting and auditing along with publishing quality, actionable accountability results that inform parents about school performance and direct school improvement.

LAST	FIRST	JOB TITLE	% IDEA	ANNUAL RATE
FREDERICK	REBECCA	EDUC RESEARCH ANALYST 3	50%	\$ 70,491.20
HOPKINS	DAVID	EDUC RESEARCH ANALYST 3	20%	\$ 70,491.20
ZHANG	MEIQIN	EDUC RESEARCH ANALYST 3	70%	\$ 68,036.80

LACAZE	DEBORAH	ED PROGRAM CONSULTANT 3	25%	\$	67,787.20
LANCELIN	DAVITA	ED PROGRAM CONSULTANT 3	30%	\$	76,960.00
LASTER	KERRY	LIAISON OFFICER	30%	\$	155,000.04
LAVESPERE	REBECCA	ED PROGRAM CONSULTANT 3	15%	\$	50,840.40
MAPLE	MARTHA	ED PROGRAM CONSULTANT 3	25%	\$	73,798.40
MARINO	STACY	ED PROGRAM CONSULTANT 3	50%	\$	70,491.20
MAYEUX	MELANIE	ED PROGRAM CONSULTANT 2	50%	\$	70,470.40
MCCLARY	SANDRA	ED PROGRAM CONSULTANT 3	30%	\$	39,520.00
MCKINNEY	ELLYN	ED PROGRAM CONSULTANT 5-A	30%	\$	90,417.60
MENDOZA	PATRICIA	ED PROGRAM CONSULTANT 5-A	30%	\$	90,417.60
MYERS	GWENDOLYN	ED PROGRAM CONSULTANT 3	25%	\$	81,681.60
OLIVIER	NANETTE	ED PROGRAM CONSULTANT 3	30%	\$	81,515.20
ROBERTS	TERI	ED PROGRAM CONSULTANT 5-A	25%	\$	90,417.60
RODRIGUEZ	GABRIEL	ED PROGRAM CONSULTANT 3	25%	\$	68,640.00
SAUCIER	PATRICE	ED PROGRAM CONSULTANT 5-A	30%	\$	90,417.60
SHARP	SARA	ED PROGRAM CONSULTANT 3	75%	\$	65,520.00
SIMMONS	DAVID	ED PROGRAM CONSULTANT 5-A	75%	\$	98,800.00
SLOAN	GAYLE	LIAISON OFFICER	30%	\$	160,000.10
SMITH	ANN	ED PROGRAM CONSULTANT 3	20%	\$	73,798.40
SOILEAU	KIRK	ED PROGRAM CONSULTANT 3	30%	\$	70,964.40
ST ROMAIN	CATHERINE	ED PROGRAM CONSULTANT 3	25%	\$	70,491.20
STILLEY	MELISSA	LIAISON OFFICER	30%	\$	135,000.06
STRAUSS	ELAINE	ED PROGRAM CONSULTANT 3	25%	\$	68,993.60
TALLEY	DANA	ED PROGRAM CONSULTANT 5-A	35%	\$	90,417.60
THERIOT	GREGORY	ED PROGRAM CONSULTANT 5-A	30%	\$	98,800.00
THIBODEAUX	RALPH	ED PROGRAM CONSULTANT 5-A	30%	\$	100,068.80
TOUCHET	FRANCIS	LIAISON OFFICER	30%	\$	130,000.00
TOUPS	DEBORAH	ED PROGRAM CONSULTANT 3	30%	\$	70,491.20
TRAHAN	CARLA	ED PROGRAM CONSULTANT 3	30%	\$	70,491.20
WEBB	SHENOA	ED PROGRAM CONSULTANT 5-A	25%	\$	90,417.60
WHITE-STEIN	TESSIE	ED PROGRAM CONSULTANT 3	25%	\$	76,960.00
WILLIS	AMY	ED PROGRAM CONSULTANT 3	70%	\$	65,000.00
HANDY	MICHELLE	ED PROGRAM CONSULTANT 4	15%	\$	89,980.80

Early Childhood

The Office of Early Childhood is responsible for enacting Act 3 of the 2012 Regular Session which established a comprehensive and integrated delivery system for early childhood care and education in order to ensure that every child enters kindergarten healthy and ready to learn. This office is responsible for developing policy to recruit, certify, train, support and oversee all childcare facilities in the state of Louisiana. The transition has begun with the Childcare Licensing activities being moved to the agency on October 1, 2014.

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DIETSCH	HANNAH	ASST SUPERINTENDENT	20%	\$ 130,000.00
STEPHENSON	JULIE	FELLOW	50%	\$ 95,000.10

Administrative Support

Superintendent's Office

The Superintendent's Office oversees the day-to-day administrative functions of the executive office and includes key programs and initiatives that are critical to the success of the state's education priorities.

LAST	FIRST	JOB TITLE	% IDEA	ANNUAL RATE
JOHNSON	SANDRA	ADMIN ASSISTANT 4	20%	\$ 44,366.40
LAIRD	ELIZABETH	FELLOW	20%	\$ 97,999.98
MAYERS	CHRISTINE	ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT	20%	\$ 58,219.20
NARECHANIA	KUNJAN	CHIEF OF STAFF	20%	\$ 145,000.18
WONG	JAMIE	FELLOW	100%	\$ 95,000.10
COOK	BERNELL	DIRECTOR	50%	\$ 90,000.04
FRUGE	JANICE	ED PROGRAM CONSULTANT 3	100%	\$ 81,640.00
WILLIAMS	SHIRLEY	ED PROGRAM CONSULTANT 2	60%	\$ 70,491.20
HICKS	NANCY	ED PROGRAM CONSULTANT 5-A	100%	\$ 91,228.80
WESTERHOLD	KATHERINE	FELLOW	50%	\$ 90,000.04
RONE WILSON	KEITA	ED PROGRAM CONSULTANT 3	100%	\$ 70,470.40
WALSH	PATRICK	FELLOW	30%	\$ 98,999.94
RICHARDSON	JUDITH	ED PROGRAM CONSULTANT 2	34%	\$ 67,766.40
STEELE	RENE'	ED PROGRAM CONSULTANT 3	50%	\$ 73,798.40
TINDALL	LINDA	ED PROGRAM CONSULTANT 5-A	33%	\$ 93,308.80
ANDERS	MELISSA	ED PROGRAM CONSULTANT 2	100%	\$ 70,470.40
JONES	IRIS	ED PROGRAM CONSULTANT 3	100%	\$ 67,766.40
RANDALL	ANGELA	ED PROGRAM CONSULTANT 5-A	100%	\$ 77,292.80
SPEARS	JENNIFER	ED PROGRAM CONSULTANT 3	100%	\$ 67,766.40
BUTLER	PHYLLIS	ED PROGRAM CONSULTANT 3	100%	\$ 71,156.80

Legal

The Office of the Executive Counsel is responsible for providing legal counsel to the State Superintendent of Education on all administrative and legal matters, representing the agency in any litigation, and addresses formal special education complaints. The office prepares and reviews all documents with potential legal impact to the Department.

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DAVIS	MARSHALL	PARALEGAL 2	80%	\$ 41,870.40
GOLMON	MARGIE	ADMIN PROG SPEC B	60%	\$ 48,713.60
HUMPHREY	TROY	ATTORNEY 4	35%	\$ 82,160.00
MANIERI	TYRELL	ED PROGRAM CONSULTANT 4	100%	\$ 77,480.00