



COURAGEOUS CONVERSATIONS CATALYZING CHANGE

Recognizing Our Collective Cultural Identity: *Teaching and Leading with Truth and Tolerance*

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Dr. Paul Miller

Principal and CEO, Green Tech High Charter School

Dr. Miller is an expert in urban education who specializes in school reform and redesign, counseling school officials and administrators on effective strategies to increase student performance and establish a culture of success.

Paul has committed his life to educating and empowering low-income, urban youth with the hope of creating change and undoing the trend of underachievement that plagues inner-city, minority males. His greatest pride is in students who wake up to become productive, and then choose to help others become productive as well.



Dr. Marck Abraham

CEO, MEA Consulting; Principal, Buffalo Public Schools

A leader with a wealth of experience in urban education, Marck is committed to providing a world-class educational experience that ensures all students achieve their goals of post-secondary college and fulfilling careers. Dr. Abraham

successfully oversees the daily workings of the largest CTE schools in Buffalo, the second largest urban school district in NY. Marck's mission has been to create environments that assist students to reach their maximum potential in life. He strongly believes that "When wishing won't, work will," and his favorite Nelson Mandela quote is: "Education is the most powerful weapon we can use to change the world."



Michelle Campbell

CEO, Diverse Talent

As COO of Campbell Litigation, an employment and labor defense firm and CEO of Diverse-Talent, a professional search firm connecting candidates to careers, Ms. Campbell is committed to local, state, and national

efforts to support entrepreneurs in expanding from small businesses to global operations. She has written, facilitated, and advised on various corporate organization transformations with her expertise in diversity and inclusion. Michelle is a thoughtful advisor that brings structure, organization, and practicality to an organization's challenging situation.



Amy Valentine

CEO and Education Evangelist, Future of School

Future of School is an education intermediary organization mobilizing change in American K-12 education from the one-size-fits-all system to one that ensures all students reach their unbounded potential no matter where their

learning takes place. Prior to guiding Future of School, Amy managed a portfolio of Colorado schools where she led academic and operational turnaround strategy. She also served as executive director for a network of Nobel Learning Communities schools in California.



Dr. Anthony Johnson

Provost/Chief Academic Officer, Univ. of the Potomac

At UOTP, Dr. Johnson is responsible for the academic leadership of all undergraduate, graduate, professional learning and online education programs. Previously, he served as Dean at the University of the District of Colum-

bia. Dr. Johnson has supported public education policy advocacy in the areas of early childhood, K-12, at-promise youth, workforce programs and higher education. His primary areas of interest include urban school-turnaround strategies, African-American male achievement, support of first-generation college students, and urban school fiscal stewardship and capacity.



Dr. Quinten Lee

Principal, Educator, Public Speaker, Childersburg High School

With 14 years of service in the Talladega County School system, Dr. Lee prides himself on establishing positive student relationships and empowering teachers to make

connections with students and communities. Dr. Lee has been a panelist for Google for Education, Ted Talk, Kahoot, and Flipgrid. Quentin started "Kicking It With Dr. Lee" which is an empowerment session for all that attend. He has gone viral several times as an educator, and his most recent videos "Can't Touch This" and "Germ-busters" have garnered over 9 million views collectively.

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