

All Triad Academy faculty, regardless of teaching responsibility has completed Associate level training in the Orton Gillingham approach. More than fifty percent of our faculty has earned membership in the Academy of Orton Gillingham Practitioners and Educators (AOGPE). Fifty-five percent of our faculty members have earned master's degrees. Teachers have certification in specific learning disabilities, other exceptionalities, reading, elementary education, or in the content area in which they teach.

**Carrie Malloy - Director/Certified, Fellow-In-Training, AOGPE**

Carrie holds a bachelor's in psychology and an MBA from Wake Forest University. She originally completed Orton-Gillingham training and received certification in Learning Disabilities, K-12 through the Orton Reading Center of Salem College. Since then, she has completed Associate, Certified I, and Certified II level AOGPE training and is a certified member of the Academy and a Fellow-in-Training. Carrie has twenty years of experience as an LD teacher in local public and private schools and served as the school's admissions and curriculum director prior to her appointment as director in 2003. Carrie joined the faculty at Triad in 2000.

**Misty Brown - Assistant Director and Director of Tutoring Services**

Misty received a bachelor's in English from the University of North Carolina at Greensboro with a concentration in British literature and holds A level certification in secondary English education. She completed her master's degree in educational leadership at High Point University in 2011. She has completed the AOGPE Associate level coursework and is completing her Associate level practicum for certification through AOGPE. Prior to assuming the position of assistant director, Misty taught high school English and language tutorial at Triad Academy. She joined Triad Academy in 2005.

**Brandi Blaylock - Upper School Science Teacher**

Brandi holds a B.S. in Science with a concentration in Biology and a minor in Chemistry from Abilene Christian University. She also has completed coursework towards her PhD at Wake Forest University School of Medicine in the Department of Physiology and Pharmacology. Brandi has completed Associate level training in Orton-Gillingham. She joined the faculty in 2013.

**Rachel Brewbaker - Upper School Math Specialist**

Rachel received a bachelor's in psychology from Western Carolina University and has specialized math multisensory training. Prior to joining the Triad Academy faculty, Rachel served as the academic director at SOAR, an experiential education program for students diagnosed with LD or ADHD based in western North Carolina. As director, her teaching responsibilities included designing curriculum and coursework for students in grades 7-12. She has completed associate level Orton-Gillingham training and is currently pursuing her Associate level practicum. Rachel joined the faculty at Triad Academy in 2009.

**Lisa Buschek- Upper School Language Arts and Language Tutorial /Associate/AOGPE**

Lisa received a bachelor's of science in psychology from California Coast University in Santa Ana, Calif. and has completed associate and certified (level 1) Orton-Gillingham training through the Michigan Dyslexia Institute. She has been an associate level member of the Academy since 2011 and is currently working on completing the certified Level. As part of the Triad team, she has taught language tutorial, language arts and math classes. Previously, Lisa was the program coordinator and an Orton-Gillingham instructor for the KIND Foundation, a non-profit organization that provides tutoring services for dyslexic students. She joined the Triad Academy faculty in 2011.

**Andrea Clauset - Lower School Language Tutorial**

Andrea received a bachelor's and Master's in Education from Harding University. She joined Summit in 2008 as a first grade teacher and then was a Lower School Resource Specialist. Andrea has completed the Associate level training and joined the Triad Academy faculty in 2013.

**Cathy Coles – Lower and Upper School Language Tutorial**

Cathy has a bachelor's in psychology from Wake Forest University and is certified in teaching Specific Learning Disabilities, K-12 from the Orton Reading Center at Salem College. She has taught children with learning differences in the Wake and Davidson County schools and most recently taught using the Orton-Gillingham approach as a Language Tutorial and Language Arts teacher at Triad Academy from 2004-2007 and re-joined the Triad Academy faculty in 2013.

**Sharon Copper - Lower and Upper School Language Tutorial/ CERTIFIED/AOGPE**

Sharon has a bachelor's degree in nursing from the University of Virginia. She has worked part time in the General Surgery Clinic at Wake Forest Baptist Health. Sharon is a certified member of the Academy of Orton-Gillingham Practitioners and Educators. Most recently Sharon has been an Orton-Gillingham language teacher for elementary and middle school students. She joined the Triad Academy faculty in 2012.

**Emily Craig – Upper School Language Tutorial/CERTIFIED/FIT AOGPE**

Emily received a bachelor's in English, cum laude, from Agnes Scott College and an M.A.T. in English from Indiana University. She has completed both Associate and Certified Level Orton-Gillingham training. Emily has been a certified member of the academy since 2008 and is currently a Fellow-in-Training. She has been on the faculty at Triad Academy since 2009.

**Paul Dresel – Upper School Language Tutorial and Language Arts**

Paul received a bachelor's in English from the University of North Carolina at Greensboro and an M.A.T. from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. He holds M level certification in secondary English and has experience teaching high school English in the Raleigh and Benson public schools and served as a technical writer for several technology companies in the research triangle area. Paul also has served as a private English and math tutor for students with specific learning disabilities and is completing his associate level practicum through the AOGPE. He has completed Associate and Certified I Level Orton-Gillingham training. Paul joined the Triad Academy faculty in 2008.

**Beth Haskell - Lower School Language Tutorial and Language Arts**

Beth has a bachelor's degree in elementary education with a reading endorsement from Pacific Lutheran University and a fifth year from University of Washington. She is completing her practicum at the Associate level of certification by AOGPE. Beth taught Fourth and Fifth Grade small reading groups at Summit School and was a teacher at Schaeffer Academy in Rochester, Minn. and Kent Public Schools in Washington. Beth joined the Triad Academy faculty in 2012.

**Alyssa Hubbard - Second Grade Lead Teacher**

Alyssa received a bachelor's in elementary education from UNC-CH. She taught second grade in the public school system and has been a first and second grade assistant in the Lower School. Alyssa has completed Wilson training through the Augustine program and Associate level Orton-Gillingham training at Triad Academy. She joined the Triad Academy faculty in 2013.

**Mary Katherine Lautemann - Third Grade Lead Teacher**

Mary Katherine received a BA from NC State University and a MA from UNC Greensboro. Mary Katherine has completed the Associate level training. She joined the Triad Academy faculty in 2012.

**Amy Lawrence - Upper School Language Tutorial and Training Fellow /Fellow, AOGPE**

Amy received a bachelor's in psychology from Ferrum College and a certification in Learning Disabilities, K-12 from Fayetteville State University. She has more than twenty years of experience as an Orton-Gillingham tutor, working in private schools, camps, and clinics for students with specific learning disabilities. Amy has been a Fellow in the academy of Orton-Gillingham Practitioners and Educators since 1997. She currently serves as president of the North Carolina Branch of the International Dyslexia Association and is secretary of the Winston-Salem Augustine Project. Amy joined the Triad Academy faculty in 2009.

**Kathy Linville – Upper School Language Arts**

Kathy received a bachelor's in English with a minor in history and certification in secondary English from the University of North Carolina at Greensboro. She has taught American, world and English literature and composition in the Winston-Salem Forsyth County School system and at Forsyth Technical Community College and has tutored students in English and written language at Forsyth Country Day School. Kathy has completed training in the Neuhaus Education's Developing Metacognitive Skills program and also Associate level Orton-Gillingham coursework. She joined the faculty at Triad Academy in 2008.

**Susanne McWilliams – Upper School Language Tutorial and Language Arts/Certified, Fellow-In-Training, AOGPE**

Susanne received a B.S. in special education from the University of Tennessee at Knoxville and an M.Ed. in special education from the University of NC at Charlotte. She has been an exceptional children's teacher in the Charlotte and Durham city schools and the School for the Deaf in the Morganton and Greensboro. Susanne was a student support services teacher in Charlotte and Knoxville and taught language tutorial at Fletcher and Dore Academy in Charlotte. Susanne is a certified member of the Academy of Orton-Gillingham Practitioners and Educators and is currently a Fellow-in-Training. She joined the faculty at Triad Academy in 2010.

**Sam Merrick- Upper School History Teacher**

Sam holds a BA in History and Education from Syracuse University and an MBA from Loyola. For the past seventeen years, Sam has worked at the Jemicy School in Baltimore, MD, where he taught middle school history and technology, coached lacrosse and served as the director of Jemicy's summer program. Sam has completed Associate level training in Orton-Gillingham. He joined the faculty at Triad Academy in 2013.

**Leane Peddycord - Fifth Grade Lead Teacher**

Leane received a bachelor's and a M.Ed. with a concentration in Learning Disabilities from Furman University. She joined the Triad faculty in 2012 as a second grade teacher and eighth grade Language Arts teacher. Leane has completed the Associate level training. She joined the faculty in Triad Academy in 2012.

**Louisa Petersen – Lower School Language Tutorial**

Louisa received a bachelor's and a master's from the University of Texas-Austin. Last year, Louisa was a kindergarten assistant at Summit. Louisa has completed the Associate level training in Orton-Gillingham. She joined the Triad Academy faculty in 2013.

**Anna Roberge – Third Grade Lead Teacher**

Anna Roberge received a B.A. from UNC-Chapel Hill and an M.A. in education with a concentration in special education, magna cum laude from George Washington University. She has training in the Hill Center methodology and has completed prerequisite training in speech-language pathology and associate level Orton-Gillingham training through the University of Colorado at Boulder. Anna spent two summers as an OG tutor at the Rocky Mountain Camp for Dyslexic Children in Indian Hills Colorado, and has over ten years of experience as a private OG tutor and Exceptional Children's teacher in the public schools of Lakewood, CO, Durham, NC and Washington, D.C.

**Susan Schambach – Lower School Science Specialist**

Susan received a bachelor's in biology and studio art from Smith College and holds A level certification in science and art and an endorsement in computer technology. She has completed Associate level Orton-Gillingham training. Prior to joining the Triad Academy faculty, Susan taught at Summit School and Forsyth Technical Community College. She is a recipient of "The Power of Arts" Award given by the Lab School of Washington, D.C. and the Robert Rauschenberg Foundation for the innovative use of art in the teaching of students with learning disabilities. Susan taught at Summit from 1977-1982 and joined the Triad Academy faculty in 2002.

**Dack Stackhouse – Upper School Language Tutorial and Language Arts**

Dack earned a bachelor's from Davidson College and a MEd from Wake Forest University. Dack has completed the Associate level training in Orton-Gillingham. He has taught at Summit from 1995-98 and since 2005. Dack joined the Triad Academy faculty in 2013.

**David Stoeri - Fifth Grade Lead Teacher**

David received a bachelor's from Western Michigan University. He has been a third and fourth grade lead teacher in the Lower School since 2001. David has completed the Associate level training. He joined the Triad Academy faculty in 2013.

**Amy Smith - Fourth Grade Lead Teacher**

Amy received a bachelor's degree from UNC Chapel Hill and a master's degree in teaching from Salem College. She holds M level certification in both K-6 education as well as language arts for the middle grades. She has completed the Associate level Orton-Gillingham training and is working on her practicum at the Associate level. Previously, Amy taught Language Tutorial and Language Arts classes at Triad, and she also worked in the kindergarten at Summit School. Amy joined the Triad Academy faculty in 2012.

**Parker Tegeler - Fourth Grade Lead Teacher /Associate, AOGPE**

Parker holds a bachelor's in education from Wake Forest University and an A level certification in elementary education, K-6. She has a Masters in educational leadership degree from High Point University and has completed both the Associate and Certified I level Orton-Gillingham training and has been an Associate member of the Academy since 2011. Parker joined the Triad Academy faculty in 2008.

**Kelly Timberlake - Second Grade Lead Teacher**

Kelly is a graduate of Wake Forest University with a bachelor's in psychology and certification in specific learning disabilities, K-12 through the Orton Reading Center at Salem College. She completed her M. Ed. in special education at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill and has completed the Associate level Orton-Gillingham coursework. She is completing her Associate level practicum. Kelly has taught special education at The Hill Center in Durham, NC, served as a reading tutor at Summit School and taught first grade at St. Christopher's School in Richmond, Va. Prior to joining the Triad Academy faculty, Kelly was a first grade teacher at St. Catherine's School in Richmond for ten years. She joined the Triad Academy faculty in 2010.

**Rhonda Timberlake – Third Grade Teaching Assistant**

Rhonda received a bachelor's in business administration from UNC-CH. Rhonda has completed the Associate level training. She joined the Triad Academy faculty in 2013.

**Ginger Thomas – Lower School Language Tutorial/Associate, AOGPE**

Ginger received a bachelor's in Business Economics from Meredith College and has completed graduate level coursework through the learning disabilities master's program at Salem College. She has completed Associate level Orton-Gillingham training and has been an associate level member of the Academy since 2011. Ginger joined the Triad Academy faculty in 2003.

**Marea Van Tilburg – Lower School Language Tutorial and Language Arts**

Marea holds a Bachelor of Science in Education, focusing on early childhood from Wright State University in Dayton, Ohio. She received an Ohio certification for pre-k through third grade and has completed 140 hours of Associate level course work through the Academy of Orton-Gillingham Practitioners and Educators at the Kildonan School in Amenia, New York. Marea joined the faculty at Triad Academy faculty in 2013.

**Kelly Williams – Lower School Language Tutorial /Associate, AOGPE**

Kelly received a bachelor's in psychology from NC State University and an MAT in Special Education, K-12 from UNC-Charlotte. She completed Associate and Certified I level Orton-Gillingham training and has been an Associate Level member of the academy since 2011. Kelly was a reading specialist and primary grades teacher at Dore Academy in Charlotte. She is a board member of the NC branch of the International Dyslexia Association. Kelly joined the Triad Academy faculty in 2011.