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Thomas H. Klever, M.A. – Project Manager

Mr. Klever is currently the Chairperson of Language Skills Dept. He holds a Bachelors Degree in Elementary Education and a Masters in Remedial Instruction. He possesses Administrative Certification as a principal for both elementary and high school in the State of Alaska. Additionally, he holds a Superintendent Endorsement issued by the University of Denver and approved by the State of Alaska. Mr. Klever has over 25 years of teaching and administrative experience having taught at all grade levels and serving as a building level administrator. He possesses pluralistic experience through his work with the Bureau of Indian Affairs, international schools, Department of Defense, state schools, and Alaskan and American Indian academic programs. He was founded the Alaska Distance Education Program.

Dr. Stanley Chase – Project Executive Oversight and Legislative Liaison

Dr. Chase is currently the Director of Education Initiatives at Michigan's 3rd largest community college, Lansing Community College (LCC). Dr. Chase joined LCC in 1997. During his tenure at LCC Dr. Chase has held many position such as; Director of Student Services-West; Assistant Dean; Director of Student Judicial Affairs etc. Prior to his employment with LCC, DR. Chase was a faculty member at Grand Valley State University, in Grand Rapids, Michigan, and performed independent consulting through his business, Chase Consulting Corporation. Other positions held by Dr. Chase include: K-12 superintendent (10 years), elementary principal and elementary teacher.

Dr Chase earned his Bachelors of Arts in Elementary Education from Bowie State University located in Maryland. He received a Masters of Arts in Educational Administration from Michigan State University. He also received his Ph.D. in Educational Administration at Michigan State University in 2004.

Nancy Fahner

Nancy M. Fahner is a consultant with Ingham Intermediate School District working primarily in the area of school improvement. In this position she works closely with schools in understanding and implementing national and state mandates related to reform. Nancy was also one of the contributing authors to the Michigan School Improvement Framework adopted by the SBOE in December of 2005 and is a member of the Advisory Board to the Office of School Improvement for the Michigan Department of Education.

Nancy has delivered extensive professional development in the areas of data-driven decision making, best practice instruction, effective parental involvement programs and school improvement processes. She has also facilitated numerous sessions related to leadership development and change initiatives.

Prior to this position, Nancy was a co-writer and curriculum coordinator for a school-to-work partnership which involved Ingham Intermediate School District, General Motors and the Center for Human Resources. Nancy also has over twenty years of classroom instruction experience in English Language Arts at the secondary level.

Nancy has a MA+30. She earned her undergraduate and master's degrees at Michigan State University.

Rebekah Starr Woods, J.D., Ph.D.

Ms. Woods started at Lansing Community College (LCC) in 2004 as the Director of Student Success under the direction of then Dean Judith Cardenas. Since Judith was named President of LCC February 2006, Rebekah has served as Interim Dean for Student and Academic Support Division, now with the added area of Strategic enrollment Management.

Prior to joining LCC Ms. Woods served as Assistant Dean for the School of Law and as Dean of Students at Regent University School of Law in Virginia Beach (2000-2004) and Director of Career and Alumni Services 1997-2000. Ms. Woods was an attorney for Peninsula Legal Aid Center, Inc., Hampton, VA (February 1995-June 1997) and Virginia Legal Aid Society, Suffolk, VA (October – December 1994). She has also been a law clerk, legal assistant, human resource consultant and communications supervisor/dispatcher.

Rebekah is a member of the Virginia State Bar. She received both her Ph.D. (top 10% of class) and J.D. at Regent University and her B.A. at Albion College in Albion, Michigan.

JaNice Marshall, M.A., CTACC

JaNice Marshall has spent over 20 years dedicated to the life, career, academic, and spiritual development of students and adults nationwide.

Currently, she is the Department Chair for the Environmental, Design & Building Technologies Department in the Technical Careers Division at Lansing Community College. Her administrative responsibilities include overseeing 9 academic and technical programs (Architectural Technology, Civil Technology, Fashion Technology, Geographic Information Systems, Horticulture, Interior Design, Landscape Architecture, Precision Agriculture, Residential Building) that address the undergraduate and secondary students' interests and career aspirations. She provides direct supervision and guidance in professional development, and teaching improvement activities to over 100 faculty members.

JaNice maintains research interests in areas involving education policy, career and professional development, partnership enhancements, grant and alternative issues in funding for K-16 public institutions, innovative high school dropout/drop-in initiatives, and student success for minorities, women, low-income and first generation students, and student athletes.

She has delivered innovative personal and leadership development activities to teachers, counselors, senior citizens, athletic and youth groups. JaNice is certified Coach specializing in life, career, and relationship coaching. She is also pursuing a PhD in Biblical Counseling: Global Crisis Issues Affecting Women and will complete coursework by December 2007.

She has consulted with several organizations across the State of Michigan, nationally and internationally on career related issues, products and programs geared at K-16 students, and workers either unemployed, under-employed or in mismatched industries.

Toni Hughes Glasscoe

Ms. Glasscoe is the Director of Career Preparation and K-12 Articulation at Lansing Community College (LCC). She graduated from Western Michigan University with Bachelors of Science Degree in Elementary Education, English, Communications Arts and Sciences. She received her Master of Arts in Education from Oral Roberts University in 2002 and is currently working on her doctorate.

Jim Lynch

Mr. Lynch is the Program Coordinator for Civil Technology and Geographic Information Systems for the Environmental, Design & Building Technologies Division at Lansing Community College (LCC). He graduated from Grand Valley State University with a Bachelors Degree in Planning Resource Management and attended Ball State University graduating with a Masters in Landscape Architecture. Mr. Lynch has over 17 years of teaching experience at LCC and played an instrumental role as an instructor at the STAR Institute.

Noah A Bradow

Noah was born on February 1, 1982 and raised in Lansing, Michigan. He attended Lansing Everett High School where he graduated in 2000. Noah also attended Lansing Community College where he participated in the STAR Program, eventually earning an associated degree before transferring to Michigan State University. While at Michigan State University, Noah was engaged in the university governance system and received a bachelor's degree in Political Science, graduating Magna Cum Laude in 2006.

Additionally, Noah has been working fulltime for the City of Lansing, Michigan since 2000 as an Internet Developer. He will be leaving the City to attend law school in the fall of 2007 where he will focus on public interest law. Deeply interested in politics and policy, Noah hopes employ his legal training in the area of public interest, social policy and public office.

Mary Kay Scullion

Ms. Scullion has a BA and MA from Northern Michigan University and has completed post graduate work at Michigan State University. She is also a graduate of Cooley Law School. She retired from the position of Clerk of the House of Representatives in 1998. Since then, she has been involved in a wide range of community volunteer efforts. She is also engaged in a limited private practice of law. She is an adjunct faculty member at LCC and at the MSU College of Law.

Mary Speiser

I have been employed at LCC for 15 years. I began my career at the college as a lab tech overseeing the Interactive Learning Center in the Old Central Building. The ILC was a combination of computer lab and testing center to support self-paced courses in the Business Careers Department. When the ILC was absorbed into the Assessment Center, I was offered the opportunity to become the program advisor for the Computer Information Technology program. As part of my CIT program duties, I became an advisory committee member for Star Institute. Most recently, I am program director for the Media, Art, and Information Technologies department. I work closely with the Business, Media, and Information Technology Division office to support all aspects of instruction.