

# Meeting Book - Foundation Academies May 15, 2018 Board Meeting

## Foundation Academies Board Meeting

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### I. Opening Items

#### A. Call The Meeting to Order

Allan Kehrt called a meeting of the board of trustees of Foundation Academy Charter School to order on Tuesday ,May 15. 2018 at 6:35 PM in Room G35 (Basement) of 363 West State Street, Trenton, NJ 08618. Present- Dr. Todd Kent, Ms. Grecia Montero, Mr. Paris McLean, Ms. Jacqui Griffith, Mr. Patrick Hall, Mr. Allan Kehrt, Mr. Stephen Silverman. Absent - Ms. Jessica Gamble.

Presented  
by: Mr.  
Allan Kehrt

#### B. Pledge Of Allegiance

Presented  
by: Mr.  
Allan Kehrt

#### C. Record Attendance and Guests

Staff present: Graig Weiss, Lorraine Sroka, Erica Silva, Lolade Onashile, and Rachael Binz, in the capacity of secretary to the board. Public present: None

#### D. Sunshine Law

In accordance with the New Jersey Open Public Meetings Act, notice of this meeting of the Foundation Academy Charter School Board of Trustees has been noticed by having the date, time and place thereof posted in the Trenton Times and Trentonian newspapers. Formal action may take place at this meeting.

Presented  
by: Mr.  
Allan Kehrt

#### E. Public Participation

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### II. Consent Agenda Items

#### A. Accept Resignations

Accept the resignations of the following staff as presented and attached:

Lolade  
Onashile

1. Accept the resignation of Victoria Alvarez, Teacher, effective June 25, 2018.

a. A. Alvarez - Resignation.pdf

2. Accept the resignation of Abigail Povell, Teacher, effective June 30, 2018.

a. A. Povell - Resignation.pdf

3. Accept the resignation of Corrinna John, Teacher, effective June 30, 2018.

a. C. John - Resignation.pdf

4. Accept the resignation of Lauren Haynes, Teacher, effective June 25, 2018.

a. L. Haynes - Resignation.pdf

5. Accept the resignation of Myra Bellamy, Teacher, effective June 25, 2018.

a. M. Bellamy - Resignation.pdf

6. Accept the resignation of Nicole Odom,  
Instructional Dean, effective June 30, 2018.

a. N. Odom - Resignation.pdf

7. Accept the resignation of Bonnie Phillips,  
Teacher, effective June 30, 2018.

a. B. Phillips - resignation.pdf

8. Accept the resignation of Hans-Ethan Hibbard,  
Teacher, effective June 25, 2018.

a. H. Hibbard - Resignation.pdf

**B. Approve Non-Renewals**

Non-renew the employment contracts of the following staff as  
presented and attached:

Lolade  
Onashile

1. Amir Fralin from the position of Alumni Advisor

2. Tyler Parenzan from the position of Teacher

3. Greta Carlton from the position of Part-Time  
Teacher

**C. Approve Employment Renewals - Salaried Staff**

Renew the employment contracts of the following salaried staff as  
presented and attached:

1. May talent items

2. Nicole Amen-Ra as Novice Teacher

3. Vianney Anzures as Career Teacher

4. Ashleigh Ayres as Novice Teacher

5. Catherine Bannister as Career Teacher

6. David A. Barrera as Custodial Manager

7. David G. Barrera as Bus Driver and Facilities  
Associate

8. Amalia Batista as Custodian

9. Denise Bembry as Teacher Fellow

10. Allison Beres as Career Teacher

11. Rachael Binz as Administrative Assistant

12. Venetia Birchmore as Career Teacher and  
Instructional Dean

13. Laura Bloom as Career Teacher

14. Jacqueline Bonk as Executive Administrative  
Assistant

15. Brittany Boynton as Paraprofessional

16. Nicole Bradshaw as Teacher Fellow
17. Jillian Brown as Career Teacher
18. Eric Bullock as Leader of Student Culture
19. Nora Buttacavole as Career Teacher
20. Nicole Cassell as Novice Teacher
21. Damien Castagne as System Administrator
22. Catherine Castro as Career Teacher
23. Tonya Clark as Advanced Teacher
24. Ansha Clement as Career Teacher
25. Rachel Coty as Career Teacher
26. Nicholas Courtney as Principal
27. Alexander Davies as Novice Teacher
28. Kinny Del Priore as Career Teacher
29. Sasha Delgado as Senior School Secretary
30. Andrew DeLuise as Career Teacher
31. Erin Dougherty as Advanced Teacher
32. Thomas Dougherty as Career Teacher
33. Melissa Embly-Ryba as School Nurse
34. Kali Beth Erstein as Advanced Teacher
35. Jazmin Evans as Career Teacher and Team Leader
36. Devin Fergusson as Career Teacher
37. Monica Figueroa-Marrero as Career Teacher
38. Kelly Fischer as Career Teacher
39. Matthew Francis as Leader of Student Culture
40. Isabel Goss as Advanced Teacher and Instructional Dean
41. Kathleen Griffo as Career Teacher
42. Natasha Handy as Senior School Secretary
43. Emma Hansen as Career Teacher
44. Joseph Hartigan as Facilities Associate – Special Projects

45. Monica Hawk as Career Teacher
46. Kimberly Heil as Career Teacher
47. Christopher Henry as Career Teacher
48. Carla Hill-Brady as Dean of Students
49. Francis Hiller Jr. as Career Teacher
50. Danielle Janus as Career Teacher
51. Brian Kelley as Career Teacher
52. Ryan Kiple as Career Teacher
53. Andrea Kleid as Novice Teacher
54. Taurean LaCour as Custodian
55. Sara Landau as Advanced Teacher
56. Matthew Larson as Career Teacher
57. Tajh Laster as Career Teacher
58. Jessica Lawrence as Novice Teacher
59. Christopher Lessard as Part-Time School  
Business Administrator
60. Shea Lightfoot as Leader of Student Culture
61. Jeffrey Lubieski as Head of Facilities
62. Alice Lubrano-Weiss as Advanced Teacher
63. Misbah Mahmood as Career Teacher
64. Christina Mangus as Guidance Counselor
65. Monina Martin as Career Teacher
66. Brenda Martinelli as Career Teacher
67. Jacqueline Martinez as Senior Operations  
Associate
68. Lauriann Mason as Career Teacher
69. Loren McAlinden as Novice Teacher
70. Sheria McRae as Chief Academic Officer
71. Calvin McRae as Career Teacher
72. Iris Medina as Custodian
73. DeAndria Nelson as Senior School Secretary
74. Oluwafemi Odunlami as Teacher Fellow

75. Olabisi Okoya as Teacher Fellow
76. Samiat Okoya as Data and Assessment Associate
77. Lolade Onashile as Director of Talent
78. Jasmine Otero as Paraprofessional
79. Kevin Ovalle as Career Teacher and Athletic Director
80. Vanessa Ovalle as Novice Teacher
81. Tara Pepe as Senior Director of Finance
82. Anthony Petralia as Senior Technology Support Associate
83. Patricia Petritus-Lasater as Career Teacher
84. Audrey Polites as Career Teacher
85. Elisabeth Pope as Advanced Teacher
86. Frank Prendergast as Novice Teacher
87. Jaclyn Pryor as School Social Worker
88. Nikiya Reid as Senior School Secretary
89. Kimberly Rosas as Career Teacher and Instructional Dean
90. Corin Rushing-Francis as Leader of Student Culture
91. Cynthia Ruszczyk as Career Teacher
92. John Salvetta as College and Career Advisor
93. Chonda Samuel as Novice Teacher
94. Natasia Shuford as Principal
95. Erica Silva as Talent Associate
96. Danielle Smith as Career Teacher
97. Johanna Soto as Senior Associate Director of Finance
98. Holly Sparks as Career Teacher
99. Jill Spiegel as Advanced Teacher and Instructional Dean
100. Cintella Spotwood as Paraprofessional
101. Ginnelle Sroka as Advanced Teacher

102. Lorraine Sroka as College and Career Advisor
103. Ashley Stone as Career Teacher
104. Shanta Street as Career Teacher
105. Jessica Tatelbaum as Career Teacher
106. Davorea Thomas as Paraprofessional
107. Rose Time as Career Teacher
108. Christian Torino as Career Teacher and MS Athletic Coordinator
109. Valeen Vaccaro as Advanced Teacher and Math Coach
110. Stacy Washington as K-8 School Nurse
111. Lorrie Weaver as K-5 Special Education Team Leader
112. Graig Weiss as Chief Executive Officer
113. Jennifer White as Advanced Teacher and Instructional Dean
114. Dawn Wolfson as Career Teacher
115. Ryan Wright as Career Teacher
116. Dominique Zappola as Career Teacher
117. Kathryn Zervos as Career Teacher
118. Barbara Zjawin as Associate Director of Data and Assessment

**D. Approve Renewals - Non-Salaried Staff**

Renew the employment contracts of the following non-salaried staff as presented and attached:

**Lolade  
Onashile**

1. Carlos Gonzalez as Part-Time Custodian
2. Milton Jones as Part-Time Custodian
3. Samuel Pearson as Substitute Custodian
4. Bailie Gregory as Part-Time Teacher

**E. Approve Stipends**

1. 2018 - 2019 Stipends
  - a. Ansha Clement as Chief Academic Officer Assistant
  - b. Kimberly Heil as Career-Based Internship Coordinator

- c. Monica Figueroa-Marrero as Community Service Liaison
- d. Jillian Brown as Grade Level Chair
- e. Kathleen Griffo as Grade Level Chair
- f. Rachel Coty as Grade Level Chair

**F. Approve Staff Hires**

Approve all new hires, assuming successful completion of criminal and background clearances, as presented and attached:

- 1. Kelsey Carey as Career Teacher
- 2. Moriah Mendicino as Career Teacher
- 3. Folasade Jacobs as Career Teacher
- 4. Molly Mitchell as Career Teacher

**Vote**

**Lolade  
Onashile**

**G. Approve Training Days**

Approve the following individuals to complete training days at a rate of \$100 per day, assuming successful completion of criminal and background clearances, as presented and attached:

- 1. Kelsey Carey
- 2. Moriah Mendicino
- 3. Folasade Jacobs
- 4. Molly Mitchell

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**III. Resolved/Motion/Roll Call Vote**

Jacqui Griffith made a motion to RESOLVED that the Board of Trustees accept the recommendation to the Chief Executive Officer to approve the above- identified consent agenda items numbered 051518-II.A. through 051518-II.G. Stephen Silverman seconded the motion. The board voted unanimously to approve the motion.

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**IV. Executive Session**

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**V. Appendices**

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**VI. Closing Items**

Grecia Montero made a motion to Adjourn Meeting. Patrick Hall seconded the motion. The board VOTED unanimously to approve the motion. There being no further business to be transacted, and upon motion duly made, seconded and approved, the meeting was adjourned at 6:43 PM.  
Respectfully Submitted, R. Binz