

PROFESSIONAL CHILDREN'S SCHOOL

VIEW BOOK

2017-2018

Administration, Faculty & Staff

Professional Children's School has had the distinct privilege of providing an education and a support system for the uniquely talented group of young people entrusted to our care – our students – for over one hundred years. As we actively engage our second century, we are particularly grateful to the women and men who provide that aforementioned education and support through their service on our faculty and staff. In an effort to familiarize you with that distinguished group, I am pleased to present this, our 2017-2018 View Book. It is my hope that you will come to know and continue to appreciate these individuals who, through their service and commitment, believe strongly and engage fully in our mission to nurture and embrace the remarkable students at PCS.

It is with great pride that I present our View Book of the PCS faculty and staff, filled with individuals who have provided the means, as others before them have for over 100 years, to ensure a special place of affirmation, support and hope.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, reading "James Dawson". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

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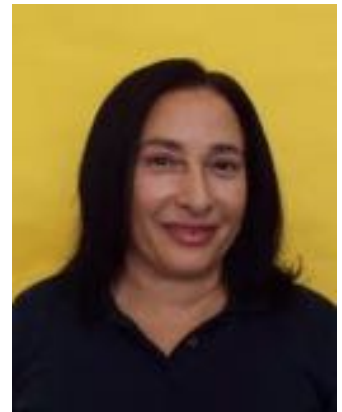
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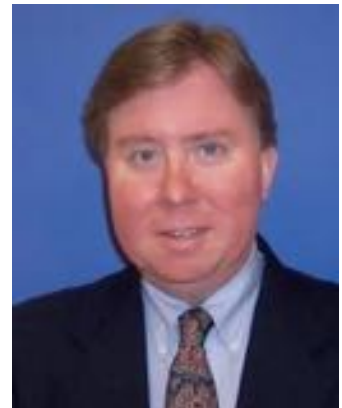
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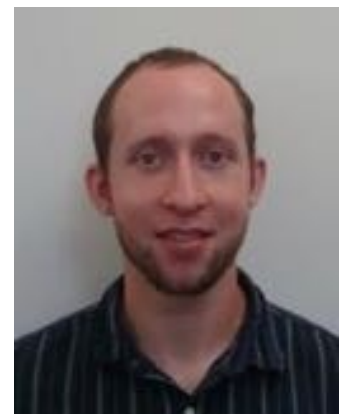
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