

VSBPE

Date: April 13, 2021

Item: Review Team for SNHU's New Program ROPA Review

ITEM: Shall the VSBPE approve the following review team members for Southern New Hampshire University's New Program ROPA Review for the CTE Teacher Endorsement?

AGENCY RECOMMENDED ACTION:

That the VSBPE approve the following review team members for SNHU's new program ROPA review.

Bill Lucci, ROPA Team Chairperson, is currently the Assistant Director for Adult Technical Education at Stafford Technical Center in Rutland, and has served in that role since 2007. Prior to that, Bill was the Curriculum Coordinator and taught English at Stafford. Bill currently serves as an adjunct faculty member for Vermont Technical College and Castleton University. He has served on Peer Review panels, prior ROPA review teams, and recently as the Assistant Chair for a NEASC accreditation visit to Greater Lawrence Technical School in Lawrence, Massachusetts.

Jonathan Taylor is an art instructor at Mill River Union High School. Prior to that, he was an adjunct professor of art and design at Green Mountain College and Castleton. He also taught at Burlington Technical Center for nine years. Jonathan received his M.A. from Marlboro College and his MFA through the Maryland Institute of Art, and currently holds a Level II license in Art and CTE-Arts and Communication.

Cheryl Niedzwiecki has been teaching Culinary Arts at Burlington Technical Center since 2016; prior to that, she taught for thirteen years at Stafford Technical Center. Cheryl holds a Level II license in CTE-Business and CTE-Hospitality. She received an Associate's degree in Occupational Studies from the Culinary Institute of America, a B.A. from Johnson State College, and an M.B.A. from College of St. Joseph. Cheryl serves on the VSBPE.

Erik Remmers is the director of Green Mountain Technology and Career Center. Prior to that, he was the principal of Enosburg Falls Junior/Senior High School. Erik is representing the VSBPE on this review team.

Ellen Cairns is the ROPA Coordinator at the AOE. Ellen received her B.S. from The University of Vermont in Elementary and Special Education and is a former elementary school teacher.