

Lauren Tracye McKenzie

TEACHER FOR LIFE

Education

School Name	Degree Level	Major/Minor	Years Attended
University of Maryland College Park Scholars Program	BA w/ Honors	Government and Politics African American Studies Concentration Advocacy for Children	2004-2008
Trinity Washington University	MAT	Social Studies/English Concentration	2010-2013

Certifications, Credentials or Licenses

Certification, Credential or License	Year Obtained	Year Expires
D.C. Teaching Certification in Social Studies	2010	2021
D.C. Teaching Certification Endorsement in English	2010	2021
Advanced Placement in English Literature- Goucher College	2018	N/A
Advanced Placement in US History- NMAI	2014	N/A

Teaching Experience

Position	School/City/State	Subject Area(s)/Grade Level(s)	Years in Position
Teacher TLI Coach Social Studies	Ron Brown College Preparatory High School Washington, D.C.	English III, AP Language, Principles of U.S. Government, Youth Justice	2018-Present
Adjunct Professor	The University of the District of Columbia Washington, D.C.	Scopes and Methods of Social Studies Part I and II, Practicum, Special Topics: Assessments	2017- Present
Teacher TLI Coach	Calvin Coolidge Senior High School Washington, D.C.	English/Social Studies English I, II, IV, Read 180, World History I, U.S. History,	2008- 2010 2011-2018

9th Grade Academy and School Culture		Principles of U.S. Government, D.C. History, AP U.S. History, many electives.	
Teacher	Dunbar Senior High School Washington, D.C.	D.C. History and Principles of Government	2010-2011
Summer School Teacher	Coolidge SHS Roosevelt SHS Wilson SHS	English I (ELL/SPED), English IV, US History, US Government, D.C. History	2008-2017

Other Work Experience

Job Title	Organization	Years in Position
Educational Consultant/ Contractor	AdaptiveX	2019- Present
Master's in Teaching Program Research Consultant	University of the District of Columbia	2017-2018

Leadership Experience in Education

Position, Role, or Opportunity	Associated Organization	Dates
Social Studies Department Chair and Teacher Leader Coach	Ron Brown College Preparatory High School	2019-Present
Teacher Leadership Initiative	Coolidge Senior High School Ron Brown High School	2015-Present
Ninth Grade Academy Chair Summer Bridge Coordinator	Coolidge Senior High School	2011-2014
Senior Graduation Chair and Lead Organizer	Coolidge Senior High School	2016-2017

Awards, Publications, and Other Recognition

Description of Award, Publication, or Recognition	Dates
D.C. Teacher of the Year- Runner Up	2020
Teacher of the Month- Ron Brown High School	February 2021
Lesson Plan Consultant for Attorney General Karl Racine Brown v. Board of Education Student Discussion	2020
Verizon Innovation Grant Awardee- Coolidge High School Second Round Finalist- D.C. Competition	2017-2018
Most Innovative Teacher- Student Award	2017-2018
Classroom Visit and Co-teaching Experience with Secretary of Education- John B. King Jr.	2017
Restorative Justice Practice Presenter for D.C. Education Pioneers Agent of Change Dinner	2016
D.C. Charter Board Workshop Lead on Innovative Approaches to Classroom Management and Restorative Justice Practices	2016
National Conference of Black Studies Panelist on Project Based Learning- "Project-Based Learning- Incorporating New Skills in a 21 st Century Urban Classroom" University of Miami	2014
Effective and Highly Effective IMPACT Scores	2009-Present
LIFT Expert Teacher	2017-Present

Professional Memberships

Membership	Dates
Washington Teachers Union	2008-Present
American Federation of Teachers	2008-Present
Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority Incorporated Iota Gamma Omega Chapter- Prince George's County	2006- Present

Programs and Partnerships

Program	Partner	Dates
Men of Change Exhibit @ Ron Brown	Anacostia Community Museum Smithsonian Andrea Jones, Haili Francis	2021
Black Men Mentorship Program	Color of Change Stephen Bradford	Planning for SY 2021-22
The VING Project	VING Alli Neef	2021
MLK Vision Board Party	Color of Change Stephen Bradford	2021
Black Boy Joy Book Club	Color of Change Evan Feeney Author JeeVan Brown	2021
Black Boy Joy Voter Calls- 2020 Election	Color of Change Sherrill Dingle, Naima Savage, Shannon Talbert	2020
Annual Ron Brown Family Reunion	Black History Month Committee At Ron Brown	2020-2021 2019-2020
I Love Black Wealth Event	Author Julian Dangerfield Financial Coach Deon Moore Stylist Antonio Barbary	2020
Virtual and In Person Honor Roll Assemblies	Student Celebration Committee At Coolidge HS and Ron Brown	2008-Present
Virtual and In Person National Honor Society Induction Ceremony	National Honor Society Advisor Jade Keith	2020-2021 2019-2020
Guest Speaker Coordinator	Attorney General Karl A. Racine Author Shaka Senghor CEO of EAT Malik Jarrett Author JeeVan Brown Author & Prince of D.C. TJ Dargan Attorney & NBA Agent Antoine Wade Chef Anthony Thomas Agents Adisa Bakari and Jeff Whitney The Sports & Entertainment Group, LLC	2016-Present

Homecoming Event Chair	Calvin Coolidge Senior High School Frank Jones Terry Goins	2008-2017
Student Government Advisor and Consultant	Ron Brown High School Calvin Coolidge Senior High School	2008-Present
Expert School Wide Event Facilitator i.e. student centered and student planned events, school dances, proms, graduation, concerts, assemblies.	Student Groups DJ's Photographers/ Videographers Local Artists and Performers GoGo Bands	2008-Present
Assistant Ski Coach	DCIAA Coolidge Senior High School	2014-2017
Restorative Justice Trainee and Trainer	Ron Brown High School Safe Takoma	2009-Present
Girls Mentoring Group and Modeling Club	Charles Carroll Middle School Dunbar Senior High School GADAAY Mentoring Group	2007-2010