

Credit Union Board of Directors Candidates

Angela Brown



Angela is currently a Business Director in Gastroenterology, Hepatology & Nutrition. She has been at CCHMC for seven years. Her career started in banking operations. She has a strong finance, auditing, compliance, regulatory background, and an MBA. She has nonprofit board volunteer experience as a Finance Committee member and Treasurer. She welcomes the opportunity to bring her corporate and nonprofit expertise to CCHMC's Credit Union. She will endeavor to serve our customer base while adhering to Credit Union rules and regulations.

Charee Partee



Charee has been a member of Children's Medical Center Federal Credit Union for over 19 years and a CCHMC employee for over 21 years. Charee currently holds a position as the Senior Administrative Assistant for the Supply Chain Management Department. Prior to joining her team in Supply Chain Management February 2022, Charee worked in Project SEARCH Department for the past 16 years as an Administrative Assistant where she has enjoyed working. Charee has also worked in various DDBP positions finishing as an Administrative Assistant with the Kelly O'Leary Center, where she worked from 2004-2007. Charee has also had a position as a patient registrar with Patient Access from 2002 to 2004. Charee spends most of her free time traveling and enjoying her family and friends.

Walter Dobbins Jr



Walter has been on the Children's Medical Center Federal Credit Union Board for 8 years where he served on the Executive Committee as Vice President for 2 years and currently serves as President. He has been an employee of Cincinnati Children's for 15 years. He is a Senior Client System Administrator on the Mobile Technologies team within Clinical Infrastructure / Information Services Department. Walter holds certifications from JAMF Pro, Apple, Inc., several years from the University of Cincinnati, and a high school diploma from Hughes High School. Outside of Cincinnati Children's, Walter serves on the board as President of Mount Auburn Good Housing Foundation and as a consultant for Mount Auburn Community Housing Development Organization. Walter also continues to serve as the Chief Musician at his church and he has been positioned there for over 23 years as he prepares children and adults from many backgrounds in having an exciting experience worshipping God. Walter is married and has one daughter, two sons, and one dog.

Walter has a great heart for people. He's very talented and creative. He understands the balance of technology and people and enjoys bridging those gaps. His warm and outgoing personality has added great value to the board. He is looking to be re-elected to the Children's Medical Center Federal Credit Union Board.

Priyanka Desirazu



Priyanka Desirazu is a Biomedical Engineer working in clinical research at the Center for Pulmonary Imaging (CPIR), Cincinnati Children's Hospital Medical Centre. She earned her Undergraduate degree in Biotechnology Engineering from Sir MVIT in Bangalore, India and then went on to do her Masters in Biomedical Engineering from the Johns Hopkins University and Johns Hopkins School of Medicine. She has been a STEM Mentor for various organizations around the world since 2008 and was nominated to the Forbes 30 under 30 Achiever's List in 2020 (Category: Education). She received the Leader of Impact Award from the 'Entrepreneurs of Success' organization in 2021 and was also nominated to the Forbes Culture 50 Champions List for her STEM mentoring efforts. She received the GENERATION NOW Award from the Empower GEN-NOW Network in Cincinnati. She is the President of the Young Professionals Group at Cincinnati Children's and mentors several high school students in the Cincinnati region. Priyanka is also an Autocross Car Racer for the Sports Car Club of America and has won the Cincinnati Regionals Championship Trophy, for 3 consecutive years. She enjoys traveling the world, cooking, reading, swimming, throwing theme parties and Indian Classical music.

Katrina Franklin



Katrina, MBA, SPHR, is the first Vice President of Employee Experience. In this new role, Katrina leads the development and deployment of people strategies focused on defining and delivering an engaging employee experience throughout the employee lifecycle. The employee experience function within human resources brings together existing teams working on talent acquisition, learning and development, talent management, culture and transformation, human resources business partnership, employee relations and workforce analytics. Reporting to Nerissa Morris, senior vice president and chief human resources officer, Katrina is a member of the human resources leadership team and an important partner across the institution.

A native of Columbus, Ohio, Katrina earned a Master of Business Administration and Bachelor of Science in Human Resources Management from Franklin University. She also holds certifications as a Global Lead Certified Diversity Facilitator, Senior Professional in Human Resources (HRCI SPHR and SHRM-SCP), and Trinity Health Certified Inclusion Facilitator. "Known for her collaborative style, strategic and innovative thinking, Katrina brings a strong commitment to inclusive and engaging environments.

With over fifteen years of experience in healthcare, Katrina brings experience in pediatric healthcare, academic healthcare systems, and large-scale health systems to Cincinnati Children's. Most recently she served as the system vice president of employee experience and inclusion for SSM Health System in St. Louis (MO), overseeing diversity and inclusion, employee engagement and organizational development strategic plans. Her passion for helping the workforce thrive in healthcare organizations began at Nationwide Children's Hospital with roles in training and organizational development and has continued with extensive work in diversity and inclusion, as well as succession planning and career development, in senior leadership roles with the Mount Carmel Health System, Barnes-Jewish Hospital and St. Louis Children's Hospital.

Hannah Burke



I have been an employee at CCHMC for 17 years. I have a BS in Accounting and a BS in Finance. I worked in public accounting right out of college preparing individual and corporate taxes as well as compiling financial statements for clients. I started in my Grant Accounting career in 2006 at CCHMC. During this time, I went back to school and received my MBA. I worked in the Sponsored Programs Accounting office for 6 ½ years where I learned how to manage the financial reporting of grants. I then transitioned to the division of Allergy and Immunology for 4 years. I gained knowledge of grants from the division viewpoint and grant application side as well a divisional annual budgeting. I moved over to CCRF for nearly 5 years and gained an insight into the financial management of the entire research foundation as well as reporting and key metrics. Recently I moved back to where I started off my Grant Services – Accounting 1 ½ years ago. My goals is to share knowledge and help provide a wholistic view of grants. I have been on the Supervisory Committee at the Credit Union for roughly 2 years. I have enjoyed learning about the Credit Union and the banking side of financials. I would like to continue gaining knowledge about the Credit Union and be able to put my financial skills to use to help the Credit Union.

Catherine Terrell



I have been an employee at CCHMC and a member of the Children's Medical Center Federal Credit Union for 16 years. I am interested in becoming a member of the Board of Directors because I believe that credit unions have a very important place in our banking system, and I'd like to be part of making sure it is sustainable. While my background is in research, I am halfway through my MBA with a focus on finance and leadership. I believe my experiences on the job coupled with my recent education will make me an excellent candidate on the board.