



KENAN FELLOWS PROGRAM
FOR CURRICULUM AND LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT

Class of 2013

Blair Austin

Sardis Elementary School
Union County Public Schools
Teachers Training Teachers: Delivering Innovative
Multimedia Curriculum Resources
Mentor: Jessica Garner, NC DPI Region 6
Sponsor: NC DPI

Marlena Bleau

Havelock Middle School
Craven County Schools
Aviation Engineering at the U.S. Navy's Fleet Readiness
Center East
Mentor: Mark Meno and Todd Price, Fleet Readiness
Center
Sponsor: NASA Flight Fellowship

Amy Bradley

Caldwell County Career Middle College
Caldwell County Schools
Teachers Training Teachers: Delivering Innovative
Multimedia Curriculum Resources
Mentor: Kimberly Simmons and Heather Mullins, NC DPI
Region 7
Sponsor: NC DPI

Jerolyn Brown

Northeast Middle School
Guilford County Schools
Teachers Training Teachers: Delivering Innovative
Multimedia Curriculum Resources
Mentor: Frances Harris-Burke, NC DPI Region 5
Sponsor: NC DPI

Robin Bulleri

Carrboro High School
Chapel Hill-Carrboro City Schools
Exploring Evolutionary Science
Mentor: Dr. Jory Weintraub and Dr. Paul Harnik, National
Evolutionary Synthesis Center (NESCent)
Sponsor: National Evolutionary Synthesis Center

Kristine Chalifoux

Raleigh Charter High School
Wake County Public School System
Creating a Virtual Library of Common Core Concepts for
Site-Based Professional Development-ELA
Mentor: Dr. Julie Joslin, NC DPI
Sponsor: NC DPI

Priscilla Chappell

William G. Enloe High
Wake County Public School System
Creating a Virtual Library of Common Core Concepts for
Site-Based Professional Development-ELA
Mentor: Dr. Julie Joslin, NC DPI
Sponsor: NC DPI

Alexander Constas

Shughart Middle School
Department of Defense Education Activity
Creating Curriculum to Supplement SMART Board
Science Models
Mentor: Rick Perko and Ray Winters, Immersion Media
Sponsor: NSF Noyce II Grant

Caroline Courter

Malpass Corner Elementary School
Pender County Schools
Teachers Training Teachers: Delivering Innovative
Multimedia Curriculum Resources
Mentor: Dr. Mary Keel and Dr. Robin Smith, NC DPI
Region 2
Sponsor: NC DPI

Jeffrey Faulkner

CW Stanford Middle School
Orange County Schools
Design 'Invite a Scientist' Outreach Program with the
Morehead Planetarium
Mentor: Jonathan Frederick, Morehead Planetarium and
Science Center
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Ryan Gardner

South Lenoir High School
Lenoir County Public Schools
Pharmaceutical Manufacturing: STEM Careers in Eastern
North Carolina
Mentor: Phil Hodges, Metrics, Inc.
Sponsor: GlaxoSmithKline, Lockheed Martin

Catherine Hart

Green Hope High School
Wake County Public School System
Creating a Virtual Library of Common Core Concepts for
Site-Based Professional Development-ELA
Mentor: Dr. Julie Joslin, NC DPI
Sponsor: NC DPI

Jasmine Hart

Sanderson High School
Wake County Public School System
Creating a Virtual Library of Common Core Concepts for
Site-Based Professional Development-ELA
Mentor: Dr. Julie Joslin, NC DPI
Sponsor: NC DPI

Shelly Henry

Sellers Gunn Education Center
Alamance-Burlington School System
Creating Innovative Renewable Energy Resource
Curriculum
Mentor: Lisa Grable, FREEDM Center
Sponsor: NSF ERC FREEDM Center

Carrie Horton

Wake NC State University STEM Early College High School
Wake County Public School System
Project Based Learning in North Carolina Energy and
Sustainability
Mentor: Matt Sears, NCNSP
Sponsor: New Schools Project

Daniel Huskey

Broad Creek Middle School
Carteret County Schools
Aviation Engineering at the U.S. Navy's Fleet Readiness
Center East
Mentor: Todd Price and Mark Meno, Fleet Readiness
Center
Sponsor: NASA Flight Fellowship

Mary Ella Jackson

River Road Middle School
Pasquotank Public Schools
Opportunities in Aviation through Elizabeth City State
University
Mentor: Orestes Gooden, Elizabeth City State University
Sponsor: NASA Flight Fellowship

Annie Jones

Dana Elementary
Henderson County Schools
Teachers Training Teachers: Delivering Innovative
Multimedia Curriculum Resources
Mentor: Joyce Gardner and Jan King, NC DPI Region 8
Sponsor: NC DPI

Michele Josey

Hillside High School
Durham Public Schools
Why are Surveys so Hard?
Mentor: Dr. Alan Karr, NISS
Sponsor: National Institute of Statistical Sciences,
Statistical and Applied Mathematical Sciences Institute

Kirk Kennedy

East Duplin High School
Duplin County Schools
Project Based Learning in North Carolina
Mentor: Matt Sears, NCNSP
Sponsor: NCNSP



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April King

Middle College at NC A&T
Guilford County Schools
Designing Safe Aircraft
Mentor: Dr. John Kizito, North Carolina Agricultural and
Technical State University
Sponsor: NASA Flight Fellowship

Vance Kite

City of Medicine Academy
Durham Public Schools
Project Based Learning in North Carolina Health and Life
Sciences
Mentor: Matt Sears, NCNSP
Sponsor: NCNSP

Emily Kochy

Carrboro Elementary School
Chapel Hill-Carrboro City Schools
Creating a Virtual Library of Common Core Concepts for
Site-Based Professional Development-Math
Mentor: Barbara Bissell, NC DPI
Sponsor: NC DPI

Whitney Masterson

Wakefield High School
Wake County Public School System
Possibilities in the Healthcare Profession
Mentor: Dr. Valerie Barlow and Ylena Sharif, WakeMed
Sponsor: WakeMed

Tammy Matthews

Lincoln Heights Elementary
Wake County Public School System
Creating a Virtual Library of Common Core Concepts for
Site-Based Professional Development-Math
Mentor: Barbara Bissell, NC DPI
Sponsor: NC DPI

Kimberly Mawhiney

Currituck County High School
Currituck County Schools
Opportunities in Aviation through Elizabeth City State
University
Mentor: Orestes Gooden, Elizabeth City State University
Sponsor: NASA Flight Fellowship

Danielle McCaslin

Mills Park Elementary
Wake County Public School System
Creating a Virtual Library of Common Core Concepts for
Site-Based Professional Development-Math
Mentor: Barbara Bissell, NC DPI
Sponsor: NC DPI

John McGuire

Waynesville Middle School
Haywood County Schools
Interactive Science at Pisgah Astronomical Research
Institute
Mentor: Dr. Michael Castelaz and Christi Whitworth,
Pisgah Astronomical Research Institute
Sponsor: NASA Flight Fellowship

Kenny McNeil

Contentnea Savannah K-8 School
Lenoir County Public Schools
Bring Airplane Manufacturing Into the Classroom
Mentor: Curtis Rupke and Tom Greenwood, Spirit
AeroSystems
Sponsor: NASA Flight Fellowship

Karen McPherson

Camden County High School
Camden County Schools
Teachers Training Teachers: Delivering Innovative
Multimedia Curriculum Resources
Mentor: Elizabeth Edwards and Dianne Meiggs, NC DPI
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Kathleen Melious

TW Andrews High School
Guilford County Schools
Designing Safe Aircraft
Mentor: Dr. John Kizito, North Carolina Agricultural and
Technical State University
Sponsor: NASA Flight Fellowship

Ryan Monson

High Point Central High School
Guilford County Schools
From Ships to Trains and Trucks: Transporting
Merchandise and Raw Materials in North Carolina
Mentor: Karl Robinson, R&R Transportation and
Brian Haderlie, North Carolina Center for Global Logistics
Sponsor: Piedmont Triad Partnership, Lincoln Financial
Group, NC Center for Global Logistics

Erika Newkirk

Creekside Elementary
Durham Public Schools
Teachers Training Teachers: Delivering Innovative
Multimedia Curriculum Resources
Mentor: Gregory McKnight and Mary Russell, NC DPI
Region 3
Sponsor: NC DPI

Danial Nijhout-Rowe

City of Medicine Academy
Durham Public Schools
Project Based Learning in North Carolina
Mentor: Matt Sears, NCNSP
Sponsor: NCNSP

Shannon Ooten

Durham School of the Arts
Durham Public Schools
Creating a Virtual Library of Common Core Concepts for
Site-Based Professional Development-Math
Mentor: Barbara Bissell, NC DPI
Sponsor: NC DPI

Kellie P. Perkins

Terry Sanford High School
Cumberland County Schools
Teachers Training Teachers: Delivering Innovative
Multimedia Curriculum Resources
Mentor: Donna Albaugh and Dr. Rachel McBroom, NC
DPI
Sponsor: NC DPI

John Scarfpin

West Craven Middle School
Craven County Schools
Bring Airplane Manufacturing Into the Classroom
Mentor: Curtis Rupke and Tom Greenwood, Spirit
AeroSystems
Sponsor: NASA Flight Fellowship

Leslie Simmons

Winter Park Elementary
New Hanover County Schools
Teachers Training Teachers: Delivering Innovative
Multimedia Curriculum Resources
Mentor: Dr. Mary Keel and Dr. Robin Smith, NC DPI
Sponsor: NC DPI

Michelle Bowen Smith

Newport School
Carteret County Schools
Engineering in Aviation
Mentor: Dr. Bill Fortney, NC State University at Craven
Community College
Sponsor: NASA Flight Fellowship

Erica Speaks

Durant Road Middle School
Wake County Public School System
Creating a Virtual Library of Common Core Concepts for
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Julie-Anne Thomasch

Green Hope High School
Wake County Public School System
Innovation in Biotech Drug Development
Mentor: Shiranthi Jayawickreme and Aeona Wasserman,
Biogen Idec
Sponsor: Biogen Idec Foundation

Mark Townley

Holly Springs High School
Wake County Public School System
Biofuels for Jets
Mentor: Dr. Heike Sederoff, NC State University
Sponsor: NASA Flight Fellowship

Cara Vaughn

Glenn C. Marlow Elementary
Henderson County Schools
Teachers Training Teachers: Delivering Innovative
Multimedia Curriculum Resources
Mentor: Joyce Gardner and Jan King, NC DPI
Sponsor: NC DPI

Michelle Woods

Centennial Campus Magnet Middle School
Wake County Public School System
Partnering to Enable Innovative Teaching Practices
Mentor: Sam Morris, Lenovo
Sponsor: Lenovo