



SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY

Master of Speech-Language Pathology Advisory Board

PURPOSE OF THE MASTER OF SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY ADVISORY BOARD

The Master of Speech-Language Pathology (MSLP) Advisory Board is charged with meeting biannually in the spring to assist the program in evaluation of the quality, currency, and effectiveness of the academic and clinical components of the program. The MSLP program mission and goals provide the basis for program planning, implementation, and evaluation. These program elements must align with the mission and strategic plan of Austin Peay State University, expectations and needs of the community and community partners, accreditation standards set forth by the Council on Academic Accreditation in Audiology and Speech-Language Pathology (CAA), standards required for the national credential in speech-language pathology, the Certificate of Clinical Competence.

Responsibilities of the MSLP Advisory Board

- Evaluate MSLP program mission and goals for accountability and relevance.
- Provide recommendations for curricula enhancements based on the current scope of practice, certification requirements, and regional needs.
- Provide feedback to the MSLP program on the performance of graduates as competent entry level speech-language pathologists.
- Provide feedback to the MSLP program regarding clinical opportunities and feedback on students in those areas.
- Assist with long range planning regarding workforce needs, program delivery and other needs.
- Complete an annual resource assessment of the program

MSLP Advisory Board Members

Name	Agency/ Organization	Community of Interest
Courtney Richards , Chair	Advanced Therapy Solutions	Speech-Language Pathologist
Gloria Garner	Advanced Therapy Solutions	Private practice, Owner-Employer
		Speech-language pathologist
		Community partner
Susan Lingg	Advanced Therapy Solutions	Private practice, Owner-Employer

		Speech-language pathologist
		Community partner
Carla Heckman	Department of Defense Education America	Speech-language pathologist
		Military-affiliation
		School-age services
Sara Housley	Department of Defense Education America	Speech-language pathologist
		Military-affiliation
		School-age services
Dr. Brandon	Retired, Physician	Otolaryngologist
		Community partner
Kendra Boom	Clarksville Montgomery County School System	Elementary School Coordinator Department of Special Populations
Sara Pendleton	Clarksville Montgomery County School System	Elementary School Coordinator Department of Special Populations
Lynn Lemons	Clarksville Montgomery County School System	Special Education Teacher
Jennifer Brandon	Tennova Healthcare	Speech-language pathologist, Adults
Sandy Mayo	Mayo Advocacy, LLC.	Public member
		Nonprofit, board member
		Parent of a child with special needs
Lindley Rutherford	Advanced Therapy Solutions	Lead-Physical Therapist, Pediatrics
Megan Farris	Advanced Therapy Solutions	Lead-Speech-language pathologist, Pediatrics
Liz Bowles	Advanced Therapy Solutions	Lead-Occupational Therapist, Pediatrics
Dr. Nicole Knickmeyer	Austin Peay State University	Chair and Professor, Department of Psychological Science and Counseling
		Interprofessional Education Partner
Isha Cheaye	Austin Peay State University, Alumni	Undergraduate alumni/Graduate student- Penn State University
Dr. Zachary Barnes	Austin Peay State University	Assistant Professor, College of Education

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