



Baldwin Beat

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New Faculty and Administration Issue 2021

Meet the Newest Members of Our Administration



Lauren Albert

*Baldwin Middle School and High School
Social Studies Supervisor, 6-12*

*B.A. in History and English, Cornell
University
M.A., Columbia Teachers College
School Building and District Leadership
Certificate, Manhattanville College*

Before joining the Baldwin UFSD team, Ms. Albert taught social studies, economics and personal finance at Mamaroneck High School.



Dana Cammarano

Special Education Supervisor, Pre-K-12

*B.S. in Elementary Education/
Students with Disabilities,
University of Delaware
Post-Master's Advanced
Graduate Certificate in
Educational Leadership, Stony
Brook University, SUNY*

Before being promoted to her latest role with the district, Ms. Cammarano taught special education at Baldwin Middle School.



Gabriella Franza

Assistant Director of Instructional Programs

*B.A. in English and Education,
Stony Brook University, SUNY
M.S.Ed., Queens College, CUNY
Post-Masters in Educational Leadership,
Stony Brook University, SUNY
Ed.D., St. John's University*

Ms. Franza oversees the School to Career initiatives, including the Mentoring Program, and works with ninth grade teams. Previously, Ms. Franza was as a teacher for the New York City Department of Education.

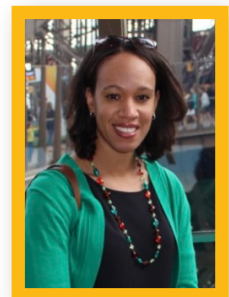


Carol McGill

*Baldwin Middle School and High School
English Language Arts Supervisor, 6-12*

*M.S.Ed., Queens College, CUNY
Ph.D. in Literacy Studies,
Hofstra University*

Before coming to Baldwin, Dr. McGill worked for the Farmingdale School District.



Stephanie Rengifo

*Assistant Director of Instructional
Programs*

*B.A. in Liberal Arts, College of Mount Saint
Vincent
J.D., Hofstra University School of Law
M.S.Ed., City College of New York
M.S.Ed., Hunter College*

Ms. Rengifo oversees the Educator Residency Program. Prior to Baldwin, Ms. Rengifo was an assistant principal at AECI2 High School.



Anne Marie Squicciarini

*Plaza Elementary School
Assistant Principal*

*B.S. in Elementary Education, Towson
University
M.S.Ed., St. John's University
Advanced Certificate in Educational
Leadership, LIU Post*

Prior to joining Plaza Elementary School as assistant principal, Ms. Squicciarini was a lead teacher at P.S. 173 Fresh Meadows.

Meet Our New Faculty and Staff



Shayna Anderson

*Baldwin Middle School and High School
Leave Replacement ESL Teacher*

*B.A. and M.A.T. in English,
SUNY Old Westbury
TESOL Advanced Certificate,
Molloy College*

Previously, Ms. Anderson was an English teacher at Amityville Memorial High School.

“I am thrilled to join this community of educators and learners...To effectively learn and teach you must inspire first.”

- Mr. Vincent Fredericks



Joseph Chiaravalloti

*Baldwin High School
Business Teacher, Leave Replacement*

*B.B.A., Hofstra University
M.S.Ed., Stony Brook University,
SUNY*

Previously, Mr. Chiaravalloti worked as a permanent substitute teacher at Farmingdale High School.



Matthew Antis

*Baldwin Middle School
Science Teacher*

*B.S. in Business Management,
Farmingdale State College
M.S.Ed., Hofstra University*

Prior to Baldwin, Mr. Antis was a leave replacement earth science teacher at John F. Kennedy Middle School in Bethpage Union Free School District.



Joshua Chien

*Meadow and Plaza Elementary Schools and
Baldwin High School
Music Teacher*

Music Education, Crane School of Music, SUNY Potsdam

Before becoming a music teacher, Mr. Chien served as a permanent substitute teacher at Lenox Elementary School.



Pria Das

*Meadow Elementary School
Elementary Teacher*

*B.A., Hunter College
M.A. in Childhood Education,
City College of New York*

Ms. Das previously served as a literacy coach at The Academy Charter School.



Amanda Debel

*Steele Elementary School
Elementary Teacher*

*M.S.Ed. in Special Education
& Early Childhood Education,
University of Florida*

Before joining Steele Elementary School, Ms. Debel was an elementary special education teacher in the Wantagh School District.



Joseph Denninger

*Baldwin High School
Science Teacher – Chemistry*

*B.S. in Biology and
Chemistry, St. Joseph's
College
M.A., Stony Brook
University, SUNY*

Mr. Denninger was previously a chemistry teacher in the Brentwood School District and a long-term substitute teacher for Binghamton Central School District.



Jessica DeTurris

*Baldwin High School
Math Teacher*

*B.A. in Mathematics Minor
in Education and M.A. in
Teaching in Mathematics,
SUNY Binghamton*

Before her current role, Ms. DeTurris joined Baldwin UFSD as a long-term substitute and leave replacement teacher.



Christina Distanislao

*Baldwin Middle School
Special Education Social Studies
Teacher*

*B.A in Adolescent Education and
M.S.Ed., Iona College*

Ms. Distanislao previously taught at The Academy Charter High School in Hempstead.



Krupa D'Souza

*Baldwin High School
Mathematics Teacher*

*B.S. in Computer Science and
Engineering, National Institute
of Technology, India
M.S. in Computer Science,
Stony Brook University, SUNY
M.A. in Teaching Secondary
Math, SUNY, Empire State
College (Pending)*

Ms. D'Souza previously served as a leave replacement math teacher at Baldwin High School. She also possesses more than seven years experience in information technology.



Jacalyn Elezi

*Baldwin Middle School
English Teacher*

*B.A., Stony Brook University, SUNY
TESOL, Queens College, CUNY
(Pending)*

Ms. Elezi previously served as an English leave replacement teacher for Baldwin Middle School and Baldwin High School.

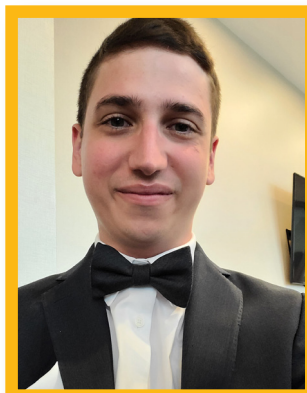


Ashley Firmbach

*Baldwin Middle School
Special Education Social
Studies Teacher, Leave
Replacement*

*B.S. in Adolescent Education
in Social Studies, LIU Post
M.A., LIU Post*

Ms. Firmbach served as a teaching assistant at Plainedge High School in North Massapequa before joining Baldwin UFSD.



Vincent Fredericks

*Baldwin Middle and High School
Living Environment Teacher*

*B.A. in Adolescent Education in
Biology and General Sciences,
SUNY Oswego
M.A. in Literacy, SUNY Binghamton*

Prior to joining Baldwin UFSD, Mr. Fredericks was a science teacher at Harlem North Central Success Academy.



Joseph Garibaldi

*Baldwin High School
Mathematics Teacher, Leave
Replacement*

*B.A. in Mathematics -
Concentration in Education,
Marist College
M.Ed in Special Education,
Hofstra University (Pending)*

Mr. Garibaldi was previously a permanent substitute at Mepham High School in the Bellmore-Merrick School District.

Tara Gugliuzza

*Meadow Elementary School
School Nurse*

*A.D.N./Nursing, Nassau Community College
B.S.N., LIU Post*

Prior to joining Meadow Elementary School, Ms. Gugliuzza worked in the ICU at St. Francis Hospital. She also was an elementary school teacher before she decided to change careers.



Nicole Iacono

*Steele Elementary School
Elementary Teacher*

*B.A. in Science/History,
Hofstra University
M.A., LIU Post
M.A. in Childhood Education,
Queens College, CUNY
Post Masters in Special Education
B-6, Brooklyn College*

Previously, Ms. Iacono served as a third grade temporary teacher for the district.



Annie Jablonski

*Meadow Elementary School
Elementary Teacher*

*M.A. in Childhood Special
Education, Molloy College*

Previously, Ms. Jablonski was a leave replacement teacher at Meadow Elementary School.



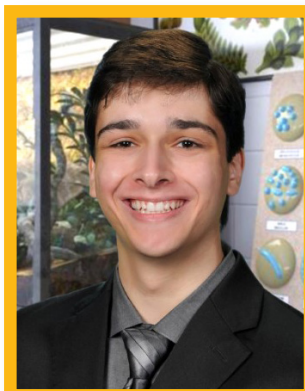


Elton John

*Baldwin High School
Science Teacher – Chemistry*

*B.Eng. in Chemical Engineering
– Environmental, University of
Technology, Jamaica
M.A. in Chemistry 7-12, Teachers
College Columbia University
Postgraduate Diploma, University
of the West Indies*

Prior to joining Baldwin High School, Mr. John was a chemistry and geometry teacher at Metropolitan Lighthouse College Preparatory Academy.



Matthew Joseph

*Baldwin High School
Science Teacher*

*M.S./B.S. in Adolescent
Education in Biology (7-12)
and Students with Disabilities
Generalist (7-12), Molloy College*

Prior to joining Baldwin, Mr. Joseph was a remote science teacher in Smithtown Central School District.



Joseph Lapietra

*Baldwin High School
Science Teacher, Leave
Replacement*

*A.A. in Liberal Arts and Sciences,
SUNY Farmingdale
B.S., SUNY Oneonta
M.S. in Earth Science Education,
LIU Post*

Previously, Mr. Lapietra was a secondary science teacher at Del Mar Academy.



Jacqueline Lazzarini

*Baldwin High School
Health Teacher, Leave
Replacement*

*B.S in Biology, SUNY Oneonta
M.A. in Physical Education and
Health, Adelphi University*

Ms. Lazzarini previously worked as a physical education and health leave replacement teacher at Willets Road Middle School in East Williston, NY.



Douglas Lensing

*Baldwin Middle School
Social Studies Teacher, Leave
Replacement*

*B.A. in Political Science,
Rhodes College
M.A., St. John's College
M.A., Baylor University
Advanced Certificate for
Secondary Education/Social
Studies, Hofstra University*

Previously, Mr. Lensing was a student teacher at Lincoln Orens Middle School in Island Park, NY.

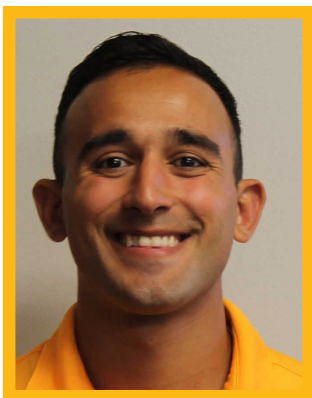


Nathalie Louissaint

*Baldwin High School
Social Studies Teacher, Leave
Replacement*

*B.A./M.A. in Social Studies,
7-12, SUNY Old Westbury*

Prior to joining Baldwin High School, Ms. Louissaint was a student teacher in Locust Valley Central School District.



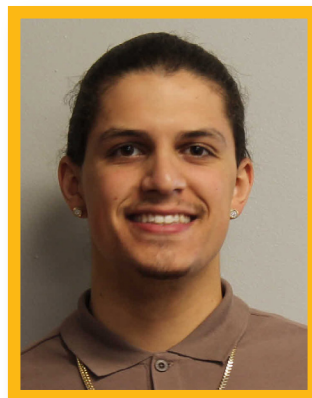
Michael Marrero

Baldwin Middle School and
High School
Physical Education Teacher

B.A. in History,
SUNY Old Westbury
M.A., Adelphi University

Previously, Mr. Marrero was a permanent substitute teacher at Jonas E. Salk Middle School in Levittown.

“I am beyond excited and appreciative to become a part of this phenomenal team of educators and the entire school family of Baldwin. Educators should continually work towards creating a learning environment that encourages and excites students by actively searching for parallels between their coursework, passions, and life experience.” - Mr. Thomas Massaia



Thomas Massaia

Baldwin High School
Science Teacher

B.A. in Environmental Studies,
Adelphi University
M.A., Adelphi University

Mr. Massaia previously served as an earth science teacher at Plainedge Middle School.



Arianna Miller

Baldwin High School
English Teacher, Leave
Replacement

B.A. in English and Adolescent
Education, SUNY Geneseo
M.A. in Creative Writing –
Poetry, University of South
Carolina

Previously, Ms. Miller was a graduate teaching assistant at the University of South Carolina.

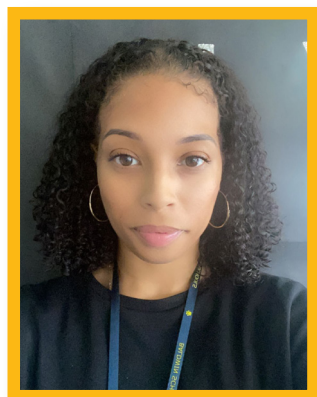


Michelle Monahan

Lenox Elementary School
Elementary Teacher

B.S., SUNY Old Westbury
M.S. in TESOL, Molloy College

Prior to Lenox Elementary School, Ms. Monahan was a second grade teacher at Evergreen Charter School in Hempstead.

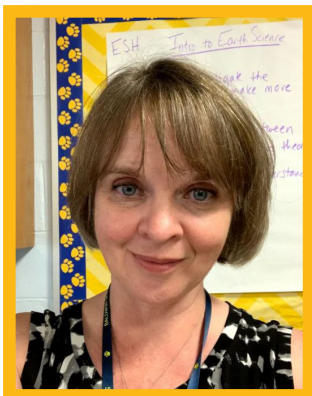


Sheena McCoy

Baldwin Middle School
ELA Teacher

B.A. in English, Stony
Brook University, SUNY
M.S. in Adolescent Special
Education, Queens College,
CUNY (Pending)

Ms. McCoy was a teacher in Middle Country School District before joining Baldwin UFSD.



Sharon Lynn Norelius

*Baldwin Middle School
Science Teacher*

*B.S. in Biology, Mary
Washington College
M.A., LIU Post
STEM Extension, Molly College*

Ms. Norelius previously served as a science teacher and science department chair at Long Island Lutheran Middle School and High School.

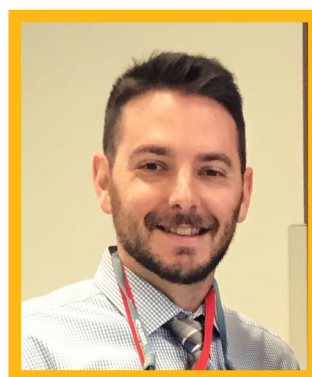


Douglas Rogers

*Baldwin Middle School
Social Studies Teacher,
Leave Replacement*

*B.A./M.A. in Social
Studies Education, Hofstra
University*

Previously, Mr. Rogers was a full-time substitute teacher in Syosset Central School District.



Scott Rosenbaum

*Baldwin High School
Social Studies Special Education
Teacher, Leave Replacement*

*B.A. in Secondary Education
Social Studies, Florida Gulf Coast
University
M.A., American College of
Education*

Previously, Mr. Rosenbaum was a middle school social science teacher in Melbourne, Florida.



Bianca Ruiz

*Steele Elementary School
Elementary Teacher*

*B.A. and M.A. in Psychology, Molloy
College
M.A. in Literacy, Queens College,
CUNY*

Ms. Ruiz, formerly Ms. Alvarado, previously worked for Baldwin UFSD as a substitute teacher.

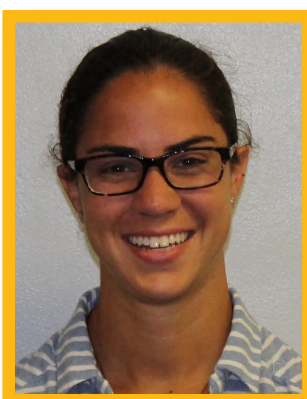


Laurie Tricamo

*Baldwin Middle School and
High School
Social Studies, Leave
Replacement*

*B.A. in History and
Adolescence Education and
M.S.Ed. in Reading and
Literacy B-12, SUNY Geneseo*

Ms. Tricamo has also served as a social studies leave replacement teacher for the district.



Michelle Ventimiglia

*Lenox Elementary School
Teacher, Leave Replacement*

*B.S., SUNY Old Westbury
M.S. in Special Education,
Queens College, CUNY*

Ms. Ventimiglia served as a second grade temporary teacher prior to her current role within Baldwin UFSD.