

CEC Announces Adam Moore as Member-at-Large of Board of Directors

Arlington, Va. December 15, 2025 - Adam Moore has been named a Member-at-Large of the Board of Directors of the Council for Exceptional Children (CEC). Moore will serve until the end of 2029, providing his perspective and skills to the organization.

Adam Moore is an Associate Professor and Coordinator of Special Education Graduate Programs at the University of Rhode Island (URI).



His passions and research endeavors focus on inclusive education, family-centered partnerships in special education, the experiences of college students with disabilities, and social justice in teacher preparation.

Prior to teaching in higher education, Dr. Moore was a National Board-Certified special education teacher in the Boston Public Schools, where he supported disabled youth in inclusive, co-taught, self-contained, and small group settings. Spanning over 20 years in the profession, his area of expertise includes special education teacher preparation program design, accreditation, and program improvement.

"I'm humbled to serve CEC members on the Board of Directors. As a long-time member of CEC, our organization has been a lifeline to my professional growth and development. I look forward to serving the diverse and talented members in CEC over the next three years," shares Moore.

Moore has been a member of CEC for over a decade. He has served as the president of Rhode Island CEC, faculty sponsor of CEC's Student Chapter at URI, as a national expert on the CEC Accreditation Commission and held leadership roles in the Teacher Education Division (TED) caucuses. He currently serves as a member of the CEC Teacher Candidate Support Network working group, CEC Development Committee and as a member of the Rhode Island CEEDAR Center Collaborative.

Moore holds a bachelor's degree in elementary and special education from Manchester University (Indiana), a master's degree from the University of Massachusetts-Boston, and PhD from the University of Rhode Island and Rhode Island College joint doctoral degree program.



The Council for Exceptional Children (CEC) is the largest international professional organization dedicated to high-quality education that is inclusive and equitable for individuals with disabilities. Learn more at www.exceptionalchildren.org.

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