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**FROM:** Dr. David S. Eshelman, Director

Office of Career, Technical, and Adult Education

# SUBJECT: Announcement of the Office of Career, Technical, and Adult Education Associate Director

Please join me in congratulating Dr. Anthony Williams, who has accepted our offer of employment for Associate Director, in the Office of Career, Technical, and Adult Education, Department of Learning and Innovation, Division of School Quality, Instruction, and Performance. Dr. Williams will begin his new position effective April 4, 2022. Please join me in congratulating Anthony!

Dr. Williams joined the Virginia Department of Education in January 2015 as the Trade and Industrial Education and Related Cluster Specialist and transitioned to the role of Curriculum and Instruction Coordinator in 2019. Dr. Williams earned a Bachelor of Science degree in Industrial Technology and Education, and a Master of Education degree in Career and Technical Studies from Virginia State University. He also completed his Doctor of Education degree with a dual concentration in Instructional Leadership and Organizational Leadership from Nova Southeastern University. His mission is to promote the importance of career and technical education and the high-wage, high-skill, and in-demand career pathways available for students and adult learners across the Commonwealth. Dr. Williams can be contacted at anthony.williams@doe.virginia.gov.

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