

A New Partnership



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Introductions

- **Andrew Rummel**, St. Catherine University, Director of Undergraduate and MAEd Initial Licensure Programs
- **Syneva Barrett**, St. Catherine University, Program Director, Advanced Montessori Programs, Montessori Elementary trained
- **Molly O'Shaughnessy**, Montessori Center of Minnesota, Executive Director
- **Nicole Olson**, Montessori Center of Minnesota, Administrator
- **Malinda Holte**, Montessori Center of Minnesota, Course Assistant, Montessori Elementary trained
- **Liesl Taylor**, Cornerstone Montessori Elementary School, Montessori Elementary trained, Licensed K-6

Montessori Training History

*St. Catherine University

*Montessori Center of Minnesota



Demand and Support

- Liesl Taylor's story
- 18 public Montessori schools in Minnesota, approx. 150 classrooms (www.montessoricensus.org)
- Public Montessori schools are sought after by parents
- Between 2004-2015 we have trained 130+ Elementary teachers



Highlights

- Completed within three summers, two academic years
- Convenient as academic year is evening/weekend/online classes
- High quality, blended program



Questions?



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