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Speaker Bios



JENNINGS DAVIS, LPC

[Vive Greenville Center for Psychological Services](#)

Jennings, a Greenville native, completed her Education Specialist degree in Counselor Education: Marriage, Couples, and Family Counseling from the University of South Carolina. During her graduate training, she was recognized as a member of Chi Sigma Iota, a counseling honor society. Jennings completed her clinical training rotations in multiple schools and an outpatient center, working with individuals and their families. Prior to graduate school, Jennings completed her undergraduate studies in psychology and business at Wofford College. She was also inducted into the Phi Beta Kappa honor society.

Jennings has experience working with children, teenagers, adults, and their families. She brings prior clinical experience from Carolina Family Services in Greenville. Her primary focus is working with adolescent and college-aged females dealing with anxiety, depression, and significant life transitions.

Jennings loves Greenville and enjoys exploring downtown and trying new restaurants. She also loves spending time with her husband, friends, and family, going to the beach, baking, eating Mexican food, and watching and attending sporting events.



WALT WILKINS, Solicitor

[13th Judicial Circuit](#)

Walt was born and raised in Greenville. In 1996, he graduated from Wofford College, then received his law degree from the University Of South Carolina School of Law in 1999.

Walt began his professional legal career with Lockheed Martin Aircraft and, in 2000, joined the Greenville law firm of Leatherwood, Walker, Todd and Mann. He also served as an adjunct professor at Greenville Technical College. In 2003, he was selected Young Lawyer of the Year by the American Board of Trial Advocates.

In 2005, Walt was appointed Assistant U.S. Attorney in the Greenville Office, where he handled several noteworthy cases. In 2006, he received the United States Secret Service Award for Outstanding Prosecution and the United States Attorney's award for Outstanding Prosecutor; in 2007, he was recognized for Outstanding Contribution to the Asset Forfeiture Program.

In 2008, President George W. Bush appointed Walt the forty-ninth United States Attorney for the District of South Carolina, where he served as the chief federal prosecutor for the state and chairman of the District's Law Enforcement Coordinating Committee. As US Attorney, Walt's main prosecution priorities were violent crimes, gangs and white collar crime. In 2010, Walt was elected Solicitor of the Thirteenth Judicial Circuit.

He was subsequently appointed to the Commission on Prosecution Coordination by Governor Nikki Haley. In 2011, he established a Worthless Check Program for Greenville and Pickens counties as well as a Sex Crime Prosecution Unit to target and prosecute sex crimes, particularly those against children. He expanded the Juvenile Arbitration Program to include Greenville County. The Solicitor is serving his third term following re-election in 2014 and 2018.

In August 2019, Walt and countywide law enforcement chiefs launched the Greenville County Multi-jurisdictional Drug Enforcement Unit (DEU) to provide professional drug enforcement at all county levels.

Walt is married to the former Donyelle Burton and they are the parents of three children.



STEPHEN COOK, Middle School Division Head

[Camperdown Academy](#)

Stephen holds a Master of Arts in Teaching (MAT) degree from Converse College, a Master of Divinity from Greenville Theological Presbyterian Seminary, and a Bachelor of Arts degree in Interdisciplinary Studies with a concentration in Philosophy, Counseling, and Youth Ministry from Covenant College. He started his tenure at Camperdown in 2002, where he has coached soccer, worked as an ELA teacher and Orton-Gillingham certified tutor, and served in school administration as the Dean of Students and Academic Dean prior his current position. He and his wife, Rachel, have four children: three ten-year-olds and one two-year-old.