

Theo L. Cramer, Ed.D.



As a public educator in the state of Maryland for 26 years, Theo L. Cramer has worked in many different roles in the field of education. He has served as a substitute teacher, teacher, coordinator, assistant principal, principal, and executive director. He has served as a school based and central office employee. Theo worked at both the middle and high school levels as a teacher, and he served as a high school assistant principal and principal. As a teacher, he taught both special education and Advance Placement courses at the secondary level. At the central office level, he served as the director and executive director of several departments—Academic Support, Student Services, College and Career Readiness, Career Technology Education, and Human Resources.

Theo has worked in two school systems during his 26 year career. He has worked in the Prince George's County Public School System for 17 years, and he worked in St. Mary's County Public Schools for 9 years. He earned his Bachelor of Arts degree from South Carolina State University in Political Science/Pre-Law. He earned his Master of Arts degree in Administration and Supervision from Bowie State University, and he earned his Doctor of Education degree in Educational Leadership from the University of Pennsylvania.

He has always been an active member in the community. He has served on numerous boards and committees as both a member and an officer. Some of the boards and committees include the United Way, the Human Relations Commission, the Literacy Council, the Principals' Union, the Human Services Council, the Task Force on the Elimination of the Achievement Gap, the Building Trades Foundation, and the Diversity Equity Advisory Committee. Theo has also served as an adjunct faculty member at St. Mary's College of Maryland and at McDaniel College.

Theo and his wife, Gaylen, are the proud parents of two daughters, Gabrielle and Charlize, and they reside in Laurel, Maryland.