Dr. Tabitha Miller, Ph.D.
Commencement Speaker

Dr. Tabitha Renee Miller, Ph.D., serves as the Associate Vice President for Academic Affairs and Chief Academic Officer at Martin Community College in Williamston, N.C. She began her position in July of 2019.

Dr. Miller received her Bachelor of Science in Education from The Ohio State University. Upon graduation, she began her career at her high school alma mater teaching English and coaching cheerleading, drill team, and track. In 2002, Dr. Miller moved to North Carolina and began teaching in the community college system as an adjunct at Coastal Carolina Community College. Her work in developmental education at Coastal prompted her towards a graduate degree.

During her graduate studies, Dr. Miller fell in love with study abroad travel and co-directed trips with students to Belize beginning in 2007. Dr. Miller’s love for teaching and traveling led her to work at Pitt Community College where she developed the service-learning study abroad program to Belize. She also taught in China for PCC’s Engineering Technology program. Over the course of 11 years at PCC, Dr. Miller held several positions: TRIO English Specialist and Tutor Coordinator, English Instructor, Composition Coordinator, Director of Teaching and Learning, and Director of the Title III Grant.

Dr. Miller has an extensive background in culture and literature, developmental education, and pedagogy. She has presented papers and workshops, locally, nationally, and internationally, on each of these topics. She is a published author for her scholarship and poetry.

A graduate of the AACC John E. Rouche Future Leaders Institute, Dr. Miller has progressively shown her abilities to both instruct and lead. Dr. Miller was a recipient of the Excellence in Teaching Award from The National Society of Leadership and Success in 2012. She has been an active member in UNC Chapel Hill’s World View program where she won a grant award to assist in the development of culturally centered curriculum. She was a leading faculty member for the establishment of the World View Scholars of Global Distinction program in the North Carolina Community College System. Dr. Miller was the commencement speaker in 2013 at the WuXi Institute of Technology in Wuxi, China where she also won the Instructor of the Year Award.

Dr. Miller holds a B.S. Degree in Education from The Ohio State University, a M.A. Degree in Multicultural Literature and a Ph.D. in Rhetoric, Writing, and Professional Communication from East Carolina University. She is a single mom of an old soul. Mother and son prefer life on the road and video games.
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