

Meet Our Director



Kara Ketley

Highly capable and immensely talented, Kara was appointed to direct the Peniel Academic Program.

Her assignment was to develop an academic program and to oversee its continued growth and development.

Kara graduated with High Distinction and Research Honors, from Geneva College with a Bachelor of Science Degree in Human Resource Management.

She has received the University Scholar Award from the University of Pittsburgh at Johnstown. She was also inducted into Psi Chi, National Honor Society in Psychology.

Kara is a team player and is an asset to Peniel. We are thrilled to have her aboard.

Meet Our Assistant Director

Linda graduated Magna Cum Laude from Tusculum College in Greenville, TN with a Bachelor of Science Degree in Organizational Management.



With more than fifteen years of administrative experience **Linda Bryant** and strong communication and interpersonal skills, she brings a wealth of talent and knowledge to the position of Assistant Director.

She is known for working through the nuts and bolts of a problem. If there is a way to get the job done . . . she'll find it. Linda is a welcomed and essential addition to the Peniel team.

"This Peniel experience has not only changed my perspective on online colleges, but it has changed my life as well."

Jensine Honeycutt



PENIEL AND PATTEN TEAM UP!

Clients in treatment at Peniel have been presented with a new and exciting learning opportunity. Peniel has partnered with the prestigious Patten University, Oakland, California.

Patten University is accredited by the Western Association of Schools and Colleges (WASC). Their purpose is to provide students with a rigorous and challenging education.

By utilizing the **Ray H. Hughes, Sr. Library And Computer Lab**, our clients are able to enroll in Patten's Online Component Project. As a result, Peniel is able to offer our clients a bona

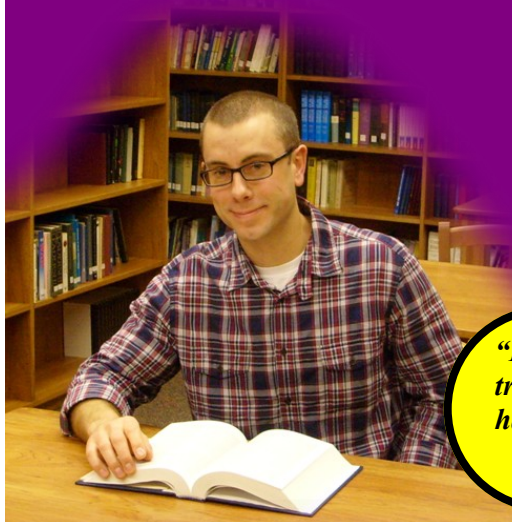
fide college experience in conjunction with the established and proven therapeutic method which we provide.

This means that our clients are granted the opportunity to jumpstart or continue their college education, while still receiving drug and alcohol treatment at our facility.

Since Patten offers transferrable courses and credits, students may opt to complete their education with Patten, or choose to pursue their academic goals at another college after graduation.

In the meantime, our Academic Department is simultaneously reviewing and improving the other curriculum for residents who are not enrolled at Patten.

Coupled with weekly counseling sessions conducted by our licensed and experienced clinicians, the Peniel client is positioned to effectively implement and enjoy a productive and sober lifestyle.



"I am very excited that I took advantage of the tremendous opportunity that Peniel and Patten have offered. The school environment is amazing!"

Zachary Botts

OUR VISION

To provide effective tools that will challenge our clients' critical reasoning skills, and ignite a desire to continue academic endeavors during and following their treatment experience at Peniel.

The Academic Department will accomplish our goals by:

1. evaluating and designing specific curriculum that best serves the needs of each resident;
2. providing teachers who are committed to discovering and enhancing the client's potential in a classroom setting;
3. developing two distinctive educational tracks that will aggressively and effectively meet the needs of all of our clients enrolled:
 - **Track One:** will serve those clients who are not enrolled in the Patten University Online Program;
 - **Track Two:** will serve those clients who participate in the college program;
4. connecting appropriate clients with higher educational opportunities, both during their treatment stay at Peniel and after graduation.



PENIEL students:
*LEARNING to live,
and LIVING to learn!*

Peniel



Restoring Broken Lives

Using proven treatment methods, the goal of Peniel is to see broken lives restored and a true change take place.

Peniel's aim is to return clients back into their communities, not only prepared to live sober lives but lives of integrity and purpose.

If you or someone you know may be experiencing difficulty coping with life, please contact us.

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