

# **UESF**

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Below are a list of active members of UESF in good standing and who have accepted the nomination for the following positions:

Names are in order by last name corresponding to the CTA random alphabet list.

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### **UESF Elections – 2021**

#### **President:**

Elaine Merriweather (Certificated)



#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 35

Total years in SFUSD: 32

#### Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
UESF Treasurer	12
UESF Executive Vice President	3
Bessie Carmichel UBC	2

My experience as Executive Vice President of United Educators of San Francisco has prepared me for the position of President. Prior to Vice President I was Treasurer, actively involved in CFT, CTA and NEA. I have worked diligently with staff and union leadership to increase member engagement. Bargaining was expanded to be more inclusive and we continued representing members during the pandemic. I am a strong public school advocate and committed to keeping our union strong. There is work to be done and with your support we can get it done. I am the leader needed for this time. Vote for Elaine Merriweather for President.

#### Cassondra Curiel (Certificated)



#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 18

Total years in SFUSD: 10

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Visitacion Valley Middle School ELA Teacher	10

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A union activist and ELA teacher at Visitacion Valley Middle School for the past 10 years. I have been a UESF Executive Board Member & the Chair of the Grievance Committee for 3 years. Serving on VVMS site UBC for over 7 years, I have worked to build up organizing efforts and empower colleagues. As a candidate on the OrganizingForUnionPower Slate, I am committed to the 4 unifying pillars: Fully funded, equitable schools; developing leadership; empowered membership; building & maintaining coalitions & community power. We believe these pillars will build a stronger union & defend public education. Vote OUP Slate!

William Ford (Certificated)

#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 20

Total years in SFUSD: 19

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Independence HS	1
Pupil Services	4
John O Connell HS	

I am not afraid to stand up to admin or the school board or anyone. We need leaders with courage and don't compromise.

#### **Executive Vice-President:**

Katie Waller O'Connor (Certificated)



#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 12

Total years in SFUSD: 10

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Hoover Middle School - Counselor	10
UESF - Secretary	3

Educator/parent born and raised in San Francisco.

I have the required experience and dedication to fulfill the role of Vice President for UESF.

I am the current UESF Officer/Secretary and on the Bargaining Team.

As a change-agent, I fight to create stable/safe/supportive schools.

Union work and advocacy are in my blood:

- \*8 years experience UBC/Building Representative
- \*6years experience on UESF Executive Board
- \*Labor Council Delegate
- \*CTA State Council Delegate
- \*UC Berkeley M.A. Political Science
- \*University of Virginia M.Ed.Social Studies
- \*University of San Francisco Masters-Counseling

I will continue to fight for all our members in these difficult times.

Vote I-TEAM/MERRIWEATHER/WALLER-O'CONNOR

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#### Frank Lara (Certificated)



#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 10

Total years in SFUSD: 10

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
4th/5th Grade Teacher at Buena Vista Horace Mann	10

Vote the Organizing for Union Power (OUP) Slate: We need an organized and powerful union!

I am a bilingual teacher of 10 years at Buena Vista Horace Mann K-8 School in the Mission District. I have been a UESF Executive Board Member and an elected UBC representative.

As a candidate on the OUP Slate, I am committed to the 4 unifying pillars: Fully funded, equitable schools; developing leadership; empowered membership; building & maintaining coalitions and community power. We believe these pillars will lead us towards the type of union that we all deserve. Vote Organizing for Union Power (OUP) Slate!

#### **Treasurer:**

Van Williams (Certificated)



#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 22

Total years in SFUSD: 20

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Gloria R. Davis	5
Thurgood Marshall High	12
Galileo High	3

VanCedric is running for re-election as UESF Treasurer. He has taught both elementary and secondary for over 20 years, including Gloria R. Davis, Thurgood Marshall, and Galileo. As a rep, he supported educators by organizing a responsive UBC that helped build safe and supportive schools for students and staff.

He has brought transparency, inclusion, experience, movement to the Treasurer's office. He balanced the UESF budget, lower financial expenditures, implemented sound financial controls and practices.

We must use a racial equity lens to support our members. VanCedric will continue the strong leadership and financial stewardship of UESF. Vote I-TEAM

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#### Geri Almanza (Certificated)



#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 16

Total years in SFUSD: 16

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Cesar Chavez Elementary School	16

Organizing for Union Power (OUP Slate): We need an organized and powerful union!

I am a bilingual teacher of 16 years at Cesar Chavez in the Mission District. I am also a parent of an SFUSD student. I have served on UBC. As a Treasure I am committed to planning for a budget that prioritizes organizing members.

I am committed to the 4 unifying pillars: Fully funded, equitable schools; developing leadership; empowered membership; building & maintaining coalitions and community power. We believe these pillars will lead us towards the type of union that we all deserve.

**Secretary:** 

Leslie Hu (Certificated)



#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 16

Total years in SFUSD: 14

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Excelsior Middle School	1
Francisco Middle School	7
Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Academic Middle School	6

Organizing for Union Power (OUP) Slate: We need an organized and powerful union! I am running for Secretary of UESF.

I have been the Community School Coordinator/Social Worker at Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Academic Middle School for 6 years, and Francisco Middle School for 7 years. I currently serve on the Executive Board.

As part of the OUP Slate, I am committed to the 4 pillars of our Program: Fully funded, equitable schools; developing leadership; empowered membership; building & maintaining coalitions and community power. We believe these pillars will lead us towards the type of union that we all deserve.

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#### **Shannon Engelbrecht** (Certificated)



#### Candidate Biographical Information-

Total years of educational work: 15

Total years in SFUSD: 9

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
AP Giannini MS	3
Drew ES	4
Argonne ES	2

It's time for UESF to forge a new path forward with positive, collaborative problem-solving that rebuilds community trust! As co-UBR and teacher librarian at APG I know the ropes. Following my grandmother's lead as a garment union organizer, union work is in my blood. I've been part of SFUSD for nearly two decades in nearly every role: parent, volunteer, teacher, librarian, and advocate; I'm ready to put my experience to work in building a stronger, safer community. Let's work together and ground our decisions for our union in compassion, reason, and research. VOTE I-TEAM: Integrity, Transparency, Experience, & Accountability Team.

#### **Vice-President for Substitutes:**

Andrew Bader (Certificated)

#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 4

Total years in SFUSD: 4

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Herbert Hoover Middle School, Math Substitute	0
Ruth Asawa School Of The Arts, Spanish Subtitute	0
Presidio Middle School, Math/Science Substitute	0

Because I'm concerned there are not enough advocates for SFUSD substitute teachers.

#### Nathalie Hrizi (Certificated)



#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 14

Total years in SFUSD: 13

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
James Lick Middle School	2
Cesar Chavez Elementary	4
Dolores Huerta Elementary	7

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Organizing for Union Power Slate: Fighting for the schools our students & educators deserve! Th four pillars of the OUP program: developing leadership, empowering membership, coalitions and community power, and fully funded equitable schools. I have been an active UBC representative at each site and more recently served on the CAT. I am also a parent of SFUSD students. Now is the time to expand our work to defend public education! As VP for substitutes, I will bring an organizing focus to build on what has been done to strengthen our advocacy for and engagement of substitute educators. Vote OUP!

#### Earl Lene De Santiago (Certificated)



#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 26

Total years in SFUSD: 26

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Certificated Substitute - Active	4
John Yehall Chin ES/ELD Teacher - Retired	19
Dr. George Washington Carver ES	3

As an educator for 26 years, a Certificated Retiree, a current Substitute Teacher who also serves as UESF's Vice President of Substitutes, I am running to secure resources, supports, improvements, and fair processes for Substitutes to be able to do their job. Many issues regarding assignments have to be addressed and hopefully, resolved through further negations and communication. Experience and fortitude has afforded me the opportunity to secure Substitutes compensation for UESF Professional Development (PD) for two consecutive years, Distance Learning Modules, and recently for Virtual Learning PD including COVID-19, Health and Safety Training. Vote for I-TEAM.

#### Harry Jamerson (Certificated)



#### Candidate Biographical Information-

Total years of educational work: 7

Total years in SFUSD: 4

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Sheridan , Classroom Teacher	2017-2019
Guest Teacher	2019-2021

These times call for flexible leadership. It is my goal to bring a fresh perspective that can ensure the achievement of organization goals. My aim is to support colleagues through collaboration, honest dialogue, and goal setting. As an Educator who subbed across SFUSD in various districts, I will lead from the center. I am committed to adding to the progress that UESF has already laid forth. In service to our community, our scholars, and our city. Make your next vote, your best vote. - Mr. Jamerson.

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#### **Vice-President for Paraeducators:**

Sean Nunley-Willis (Classified)



#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 13

Total years in SFUSD: 8

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Visitacion Valley Middle School S10	4
Office of Pupil Services R11	2
Curriculum & Instruction P80	2

Organizing for Union Power (OUP) Slate: We need an organized and powerful union! I am running for Vice President for Paraeducators . I am a 8 year paraeducator, both at a site and centrally. I have served on UBC's and a current member of the Contract Action Team. As a candidate on the OUP, I am committed to the 4 unifying pillars: Fully funded, equitable schools; developing leadership; empowered membership; building & maintaining coalitions and community power. We believe these pillars will lead us towards the type of union that we all deserve. VOTE Organizing for Union Power!!

#### Carolyn Samoa (Classified)



#### Candidate Biographical Information-

Total years of educational work: 31

Total years in SFUSD: 31

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
UESF Vice President for Paraeducators	14
Paul Revere PreK -8 School Special Ed Paraeducator	17
John Swett Elementary School General Ed Paraeducator	14

Experienced/Dedicated, Union Activist! Proud Special Ed Paraeducator, strong voice as

UESF VP for Paraeducators, fighting for respect and equity for all educators. I want to continue the fight on Bargaining, School Board meetings, Labor Council, CFT/AFT, CTA/NEA using my voice advocating for paraeducators. Empowering and organizing paraeducators to be in all parts of the union. i value public education . I am a proud grandmother of 4th generation SFUSD students. I have been involved Social Justice and Civil Rights activities all my life and will continue to fight for the rights of all educators. Para Power! Please Vote for I-TEAM!!

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## Sergeant-at-Arms:

Teanna Tillery (Classified)



#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 24

Total years in SFUSD: 19

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Office of Pupil Services	10
Bessie Carmichael K-8	1
Rosa Parks ES	8

Organizing for Union Power (OUP) Slate: As Sergeant at Arms, I will encourage the respectful behavior needed to build confidence in the union and protect our democracy. I will at all times acknowledge and respect the diversity of opinion and culture in UESF. I fully support the four pillars of the OUP program: developing leadership, empowering membership, coalitions and community power, and fully funded equitable schools. Vote OUP!

#### Roberto Pena (Classified)



#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 28

Total years in SFUSD: 23

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Francisco Middle School. CWAL	Current
Academy HS. CWAL	5
Pupil services CWAL	6

I am Roberto Peña and would love the opportunity to represent UESF members as Sergeant of Arms. After relocating from Central America, I became an alumni of SFUSD public schools. Since 1998, I've worked as a Paraprofessional in various roles (all grade levels) and in Central Office. As parent of four and active community member, always putting families, students, and staff first. This is the time to work together and bring some new energy and experience to the table. Educators have been targeted by politicians and media. integrity and passion is something I embrace and bring to UESF. VOTE I-TEAM.

**AJ Frazier** (Classified)

#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 31

Total years in SFUSD: 31

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Lowell high school Campus security	15
Mission high school campus Security	16

I am the current sergeant at arms for the past three terms and I enjoy working for our union.

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#### 4 High School Representatives:

Erin Bolick (Certificated)



#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 16

Total years in SFUSD: 16

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
June Jordan High School for Equity	2
Leonard R Flynn Elementary	11

OUP-UESF Slate: Continue strengthening member participation & UESF's commitment to our communities. Fully funded, equitable schools; developing leadership, membership; building, maintaining coalitions and community power.

#### **Claire Merced-Robles** (Certificated)



#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 30+

Total years in SFUSD: 26

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Washington HS	2019-CURRENT
Hoover MS	2018-2019
Thurgood Marshall HS	1996-2018

Lifetime classroom teacher fighting injustices against public school educators and minority and underprivileged students. UESF Board. CTA State Council. Former NEA Board. Labor Council. I-TEAM

#### Reynaldo Dulaney Jr. (Certificated)



#### Candidate Biographical Information-

Total years of educational work: 8

Total years in SFUSD: 5

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Thurgood Marshall Academic High School (Classroom Teacher)	5

I want to be the voice for the experience of southeast educators in this district and this union. I'm ready to do the work.

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#### David Knight (Certificated)



#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 36

Total years in SFUSD: 23

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Teacher, Burton HS	23

I am a 15-year building rep who advocates for educators in workplace safety and academic freedom. I stand for transparency and support the OrganizingforUnionPower(OUP) slate.

#### Giulio Sorro (Certificated)



#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 21

Total years in SFUSD: 14

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
June Jordan	15

Over 30 years as student and teacher in SFUSD. Labor, community and education are intertwined in my life. Im ready for all fronts. OUP.

#### Daniel Lynch (Certificated)



#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 7

Total years in SFUSD: 7

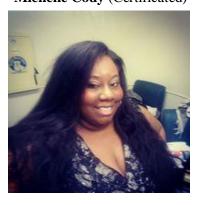
Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Galileo - Government, Economics, and World History	7
Galileo - Assistant Football Coach - State Champs 2017	2
Galileo- UBC	3

I would like to represent teachers, schools, students, families, and our communities in challenging times. It's time to step up!

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#### 3 Middle School Representatives: Michelle Cody (Certificated)



#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 10

Total years in SFUSD: 7

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Willie Brown Middle School, Teacher	5
Aptos Middle School	2

My name is Michelle Cody. I am very excited to support my middle school community and create space for us to advocate for the needs

Cris Garza (Certificated)



#### Candidate Biographical Information-

Total years of educational work: 11

Total years in SFUSD: 7

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Everett Middle School, 7th grade ELA teacher	6

OrganizingForUnionPowerSlate: Let's fight for an empowered membership that prioritizes leadership development, strong UBCs, family organizing, and coalition building! (Current roles: Co-UBR, Co-Chair MS Division, CAT)

#### John-Michael Lisovsky (Certificated)



#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 6

Total years in SFUSD: 5

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Francisco MS	5

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Our MOVEMENT demands leadership with INTEGRITY, TRANSPARENCY, EXPERIENCE, and ACCOUNTABILITY. Vote Merriweather, Waller-O'Connor, De Santiago, Williams, Samoa, Engelbrecht, Pena, Lisovsky, and other I-TEAM candidates!

#### Michelle Rait (Certificated)



#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 6

Total years in SFUSD: 6

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
School District Nurse, Visitacion Valley Middle School	5
School District Nurse, Hoover Middle School	1

I am currently on the executive board and site UBCs. I strive to bring an anti-racist voice and provide strong advocacy to our membership.

#### **5 Elementary School Representatives:**

Darcie Blackburn (Certificated)



#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 32

Total years in SFUSD: 14

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Sheridan Elementary School	11
Bryant Elementary School	8
Jefferson Elementary School	6

As an Executive-Board member I will stand with OrganizingforUnionPower, to continue fighting for safe work conditions so we can effectively teach and support our students.

Pablo Portillo (Certificated)



#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 10

Total years in SFUSD: 9

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

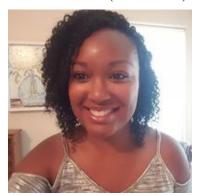
Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Dolores Huerta ES	9

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Experience: Eight years as UBC Rep and ex-EBoard member.

Purpose for running: Increase transparency in union decision-making and create more opportunities for member participation/input.

#### **Kiani Mitchell** (Certificated)



#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 6

Total years in SFUSD: 4

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Charles Drew ES	2
Lafayette Elementary School	1
Everett MS	1

My focus is to bring people together, identify problems and implement solutions. Together, we can achieve what is needed for our school communities to thrive.

Gina Maschio (Certificated)



#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 6

Total years in SFUSD: 5

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Charles Drew, Classroom Teacher (2nd, 3rd, 4th)	5

Elementary school teacher at Charles Drew for the past five years, and current member of UESF budget committee. VOTE I-TEAM/MERRIWEATHER/WALLER-O'CONNOR

Yajaira Cuapio (Certificated)



#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 7

Total years in SFUSD: 2

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Visitacion Valley Middle School- School Social Worker	2
Seneca Family of Agencies - All In School-based program at One Purpose School	2

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Seneca Family of Agencies - All In School-based program at Starr King ES	3
King ES	

Organizing for Union Power Slate I am fighting for an empowered membership that builds a fighting union towards liberation, social justice and healing!

**Tiffany Delloue** (Certificated)

#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 26

Total years in SFUSD: 22

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
ER Taylor Elementary School	22

Public education needs strong leadership and collaboration between seasoned and new teachers. Site Rep 6 years, helped build a diverse UBC supporting a changing school.

#### Mary Fobbs-Guillory (Certificated)



#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 11

Total years in SFUSD: 3

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Drew College Prep Academy (Teacher Librarian)	3
Cobb Elementary (Teacher Librarian)	1

Teacher Librarian at Cobb and Drew Elementary. She has 8 years as a classroom teacher and 3 years as a librarian. VOTE FOR I-TEAM

#### **Catherine Sullivan** (Certificated)

#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 30

Total years in SFUSD: 28

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
McLaren Early Education Center	6
Filipino Education Center Early Education Center	1
Grattan Elementary School	22

I will fight for better working conditions for educators and a strong, active union that represents all of us! Vote Organizing for Union Power!

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#### Cynthia Lasden (Certificated)



#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 25

Total years in SFUSD: 25

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
McKinley ES, Literacy Coach	3 years
Alvarado ES, Reading Specialist	1 year
Dolores Huerta/Fairmount ES, Classroom Teacher	21 years

Longtime union and community activist; SFUSD parent, NBCT. Experienced Executive Board and UBC leader, Chair UESF Assessments Committee. Standing for member empowerment! Vote OrganizingForUnionPower, OUP!

#### Tara Ramos (Certificated)



#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 16

Total years in SFUSD: 15

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Sanchez Elementary, Teacher Librarian	5
Bret Harte and Bryant Elementary Schools, Teacher Librarian	1
Paul Revere School, 4th grade teacher	10

Deeply committed to fully-funded public education for all. Parent of SFUSD student. Excited to help grow an active membership. People power! OUP-UESF slate

#### 1 Special Education Representative:

**Diane Thompson** (Certificated)



#### Candidate Biographical Information-

Total years of educational work: 24

Total years in SFUSD: 24

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Office of Professional Growth and Development/ SPED Coach	3yrs

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Office of Professional Growth and Development/ Pathway Coach	1yrs
Malcolm X Academy Ele. RSP & ARTIF	4yrs

I continue to serve and represent the voices of Special Educators, interrupting inequities and bad practices at sites all in service of students and educators

Shiksha Modi (Certificated)

#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 10

Total years in SFUSD: 10

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Sunnyside ES - M/S SDC Teacher	1
Cooke School and Institute, NYC - Grade 3-5 SpEd Teacher	2
Rebecca School, NYC - SpEd Assistant Teacher	1

As a Mod/Severe SDC teacher, I am tired of us constantly being put on the sidelines! I will dedicatedly fight for equity for all teachers!

Tina Leung (Certificated)



#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 10

Total years in SFUSD: 10

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Gordon J Lau Elementary	8
Jefferson Elementary	1
Sunnyside and Glen Park Elementary	1

As a bilingual SPED representative, I will advocate for SPEDucators so that we can equitably and effectively serve our most vulnerable students.

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#### 1 Early Education Representative Certificated:

Betty Robinson-Harris (Certificated)

#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 49

Total years in SFUSD: 32

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Tule Elk Park EES Teacher	8
Burnett/Leola Havard. Teacher EES A	23

Allow me the opportunity to continue to support and advocate for all Educators. I'm qualified and dedicated to stand up and fight for public Education.

#### 1 Counselors Representative:

Maria Martinez (Certificated)



#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 13

Total years in SFUSD: 13

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Abraham Lincoln High School-College & Career Counselor, Academic Counselor & Dean/Head Counselor	13

Maria Martinez, Dean/Head Counselor at Abraham Lincoln High School. I want to provide a voice of integrity to counselors in SFUSD.

#### 1 Bilingual Representative:

Claudia Tirado (Certificated)



#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 22

Total years in SFUSD: 22

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Longfellow E.S.	1
Dolores Huerta E.S.	8
Bret Harte E.S.	6

Vote Claudia Tirado with reopening, MOUs, new contract negotiations we need experience to protect our lives and public education! Vote MERRIWEATHER, WALLER and I-Team!

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#### Evelyn Martinez (Certificated)



Fighting for schools and education communities deserve! As a bilingual representative, I will continue

#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 24

Total years in SFUSD: 13

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Cleveland Elementary - Bilingual Teacher	8
Fairmount Elementary- Dual Immersion Teacher	6
Hatch Elementary - CUSD - Dual Immersion Teacher	2

strengthening member participation; continue fighting for fully funded schools. Vote OrganizingUnionPower!

#### 1 Support Services Representative:

Anthony Arinwine (Certificated)



#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 20

Total years in SFUSD: 14

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
TSA-PAR Coach	1
TSA-Safe and Supportive Schools Coach	4
Elementary School Teacher- Malcolm X Academy	9

My mission is to continue to work in solidarity with ALL of my union siblings to build a stronger union - A Voice of Experience.

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#### 2 Substitute Teachers:

Kit Bell (Certificated)



#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 30

Total years in SFUSD: 28

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Day to Day Substitute Teacher	6
UESF Area Organizer	2
Sunnyside ES Teacher	13

OUP Slate! Experience: Para/Teacher, UBC, Division chair, Executive Board, Substitute Standing Committee, UESF Area Organizer; Advocating for equity: best wages, working conditions & member participation.

#### Linda Plack (Certificated)



#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 40

Total years in SFUSD: 40

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

<b>Sites and Positions</b>	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Day to Day substitute	3
Executive Vice President, UESF	9
Academic Counselor, George Washington H.S	20

Vote MERRIWEATHER, WALLER, I-Team: Integrity, Transparency, Experience, Accountability, Movement. Bringing years of energy, knowhow to defend and advocate for public education.

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#### 3 At-large Representatives (SFUSD Employee):

**Kyle Pate** (Certificated)



#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 16

Total years in SFUSD: 8

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Hoover MS / RSP teacher	5
Hoover MS / SOAR teacher	3

I want to be an accessible advocate and a reliable source of information. VOTE FOR I – TEAM

Andrea Haun (Certificated)

#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 8

Total years in SFUSD: 8

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Leonard R Flynn Elementary School	8
Independence High School	2

As a RN working in SFUSD, I am a fighter for justice, equity, and public education while understanding the medical and safety issues of our

#### Andrea Huginnie (Certificated)



#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 25+

Total years in SFUSD: 6

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Galileo HS, SOAR Teacher	6
Fremont HS, OUSD. CESDC Teacher	4
Menlo School, Teacher	1

Vote OrganizingforUnionPower! I am a SOAR Teacher at Galileo HS. I want to empower our membership, increase leadership adaptability and increase equitable supports for students.

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#### Megan Caluza (Certificated)



#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 19

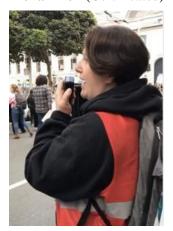
Total years in SFUSD: 16

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
School Health Programs, Section 504 BCBA	6
ER Taylor, SOAR SDC Teacher	2
El Dorado, Mild/Moderate SDC Teacher	6

Equity for students and educators. More voices, transparency, and member engagement. Experienced UBC, Eboard & Delegate. Unafraid to push this organization forward, with your help!

Elena Allen (Certificated)



#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 6

Total years in SFUSD: 6

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Thurgood Marshall Academic High School	6

Current UESF Contract Action Team member, seeking to continue to support/organize schools in southeast SF and advocate for educators and families of secondary newcomer/immigrant students.

Tara Sessa (Certificated)



#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 21

Total years in SFUSD: 12

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Dr. Cobb Elementary, RSP	9
Commodore Sloat, Inclusion	1
Substitute	2

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#### 1 At-large Representatives (Non SFUSD Employee):

Matthew Milton (Certificated)



#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 9

Total years in SFUSD: 9

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
5 Keys Teacher	9

Currently an E-Board Member, I'd like to continue empowering and building up members. I also wish to be the voice of the voiceless. OrganizingforUnionPower!

#### 2 Early Education Classified Representatives:

Iman Robinson-Harris (Classified)



#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 17

Total years in SFUSD: 16

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Presidio EES	Para
Dr. George Washington Carver	Noon monitor
Grattan Elementary School	Para

I want to be your voice and represent you and all Educators. I believe in Public Education and I believe in the union and uesf

#### 1 Security Aides:

Michelle Camp (Classified)

#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 30

Total years in SFUSD: 30

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Security/ James Denman MS	12years
Security/Lowell HS	2years
Leola Havard/5years	5years

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I ve worked for SFUSD for 30t years, and I'm passionate about supporting students. / OUP.

#### Greg Espy (Classified)



#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 25

Total years in SFUSD: 18

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Thurgood Marshall High	10
Galileo High	8

Greg Espy has worked in SFUSD for 20 years as an Academic Advisor/ Mentor, Athletic Director, Dean, Life Coach, and Security. His extensive knowledge of

#### 7 Classified Positions A, N, S, P and R:

Valerie Yim-Chen (Classified)



#### Candidate Biographical Information-

Total years of educational work: 32

Total years in SFUSD: 32

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Lincoln HS as a family liaison	16
Frank McCoppin ES as an educator	8
Spring Valley ES as an educator	8

I've served in UESF for three years. I am honored to serve our union because I want to continue supporting all our educators, their students

**Anabel Ibanez** (Classified)

#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 11

Total years in SFUSD: 11

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
United Educators of San Francisco	3
Buena Vista Horace Mann School	6
Paul Revere School	2

Committed to building our strength as a union. Committed to quality education for all. Will fight for needed resources to meet our goals! Vote OUP!

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#### Yvette Nelson Hernandez (Classified)



#### Candidate Biographical Information-

Total years of educational work: 12 district and 2 in private preschool Total years in SFUSD: 12

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
James Denman MS S10. S10E	12

Experienced Special Ed Paraeducator, ready to fight for students' rights. Ready to advocate for Educators' needs in Public Education. Strong voice for Equity! Vote I

#### Corey Monroe (Classified)



#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 21

Total years in SFUSD: 21

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Everett Middle School	11
Visitation Valley Middles School	10

OUP-SLATE. I have worked with Omega Club/Alive&Free for 30+ Years in communities helping young people who want to attend College or Trade School. Vote OUP!

#### Murdies Washington (Classified)

#### Candidate Biographical Information-

Total years of educational work: 41

Total years in SFUSD: 41

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Bessis Carmichael, R40 Elementary Advisor	41

I will be your voice to communicate your needs. Let dedication and experience guide your fight for Public Education. Proud Paraeducator! Vote ITEAM!

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#### Jose Guevara (Classified)



#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 10

Total years in SFUSD: 8

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Para Leadership Network	2
R50s Student Advisor	6
T10 Security Aid	2

Vote the OUP Slate for an organized and powerful union! As an Executive Board member, I'll be strengthening member participation & commit to uplift our

Laura Abarca (Classified)



#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 20

Total years in SFUSD: 20

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Paraprofessional S10	20

Dedicated to students in bilingual communities, teachers and paras united to I improve out working by conditions. Vote Organizing for Union Power (OUP)!

#### Rocio Soto (Classified)



#### Candidate Biographical Information-

Total years of educational work: 20

Total years in SFUSD: 14

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
James Denman Middle School, Family Liaison RS 20	11
Cleveland Elementary School, Family Liaison RS 20	1
El Dorado Elementary School, Parent Liaison R20	3

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I am Rocio Soto, Afro-Peruvian and also a ParaEducator for XX years. Motivation & strength come from my 2 children; one graduates this year! I-TEAM.

Chun Li (Classified)

#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 6

Total years in SFUSD: 6

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Academic Middle School / Family Liaison - Cantonese	6

Organizing-for-Union-Power-(OUP)-Slate. Vote OUP-Slate for organized and powerful union! Recent events has led me to want to strengthen our union with our slate's four pillars.

#### Mary Lavalais (Classified)



#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 45

Total years in SFUSD: 40

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
S.F. Community School	20 yrs.
Fairmount School	14 yrs.
Bret Harte C.Center	5 yrs.

I'm a dedicated R40 Para-educator, honored to be a candidate for UESF E-BOARD Classified. Strong advocate for Para Leadership/Career Training and Union participation. EQUITY! UNITY!

#### Janet Eberhardt (Classified)



#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 38

Total years in SFUSD: 35

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
C&I/PLL-Professional Learning and Leadership / PSA	5 years
Monroe Elementary -Elementary Advisor	2 years

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John Muir Elementary-	3 years
Elementary Advisor	

Experienced Paraeducator! Committed to the union's fight to enhance public education for educators, students, and families in SF. Strong voice toward eradicating inequities!

Vote I-TEAM!!!

#### Leonor Jackson Flores (Classified)



#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 15

Total years in SFUSD: 15

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Abraham Lincoln HS - Family Liaison	8
Bret Harte ES / Junipero Serra ES - Family Liaison	2
Horace Mann MS / James Lick MS - Family Liaison	5

Our Union must be Transparent & Accountable. Vote MERRIWEATHER/WALLER & the I-TEAM for teamwork, integrity & mutual respect moving forward in advocating for public education.

#### 14 San Francisco Labor Council (SFLC) Delegates:

Teanna Tillery (Classified)



#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 24

Total years in SFUSD: 19

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Office of Pupil Services	10
Bessie Carmichael K-8	1
Rosa Parks ES	8

OUP Slate: I hope to give voice to those who do not believe that they are being heard. #StregnthInNumbers.

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#### **Anabel Ibanez** (Classified)



#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 11

Total years in SFUSD: 11

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
United Educators of San Francisco	3
Buena Vista Horace Mann School	6
Paul Revere School	2

My long history of union activism and commitment to workers rights makes me the right person to represent you at SFLC. Vote OUP!

#### Sean Nunley-Willis (Classified)



#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 13

Total years in SFUSD: 8

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Visitacion Valley Middle School S10	4
The Office of Pupil Services R11	2
Curriculum & Instruction P80	2

OUP Slate! I am running for the protection and advancement of paraeducators . Fighting for our peers and the local communities.

Jean Osbay-Bell (Certificated)

#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 26

Total years in SFUSD: 22

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Pupil Services	6
Burton High School	7

I would love to continue organizing, mobilizing, and giving educators a voice in the political process.

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#### Matthew Milton (Certificated)



#### Candidate Biographical Information-

Total years of educational work: 8

Total years in SFUSD: 8

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
5 Keys	8

I would love to have the opportunity to continue to fight and be a voice for members.

Claire Merced-Robles (Certificated)
Candidate Biographical Information-

Total years of educational work: 30+

Total years in SFUSD: 29

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Washington HS	2019-CURRENT
Hoover MS	2018-2019
Thurgood Marshall HS	1996-2018

Public school educator, union activist for 30 years. Public education is imperative for all, especially the unprivileged, as unions, to protect workers from corporate exploitation.

## Elaine Merriweather (Certificated) Candidate Biographical Information-

Total years of educational work: 35

Total years in SFUSD: 32

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
UESF Treasurer	12
UESF Executive Vice President	3
Bessie Carmichel UBC	5

I have been on the Labor Council for the past three years. I will continue to work in unity with our Labor Partners.

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#### Van Williams (Certificated)



#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 22

Total years in SFUSD: 20

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Gloria R. Davis	5
Thurgood Marshall High	12
Galileo High	3

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#### Katie Waller O'Connor (Certificated)



#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 12

Total years in SFUSD: 10

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Hoover Middle School Counselor	10
UESF Secretary	3

#### Current UESF Officer/Secretary

Vote MERRIWEATHER/WALLER-O'CONNOR and I-Team: Integrity, Transparency, Experience, Accountability, Movement. Bringing years of energy, knowhow, to defend and advocate for public education.

Leslie Hu (Certificated)

#### Candidate Biographical Information-

Total years of educational work: 16

Total years in SFUSD: 14

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Academic Middle	6
Francisco Middle School	7
Excelsior Middle School	1

OrganizingForUnionPower Slate - I currently serve on the Executive Board and am proud to represent members! Vote OUP!

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#### Nathalie Hrizi (Certificated)



#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 14

Total years in SFUSD: 13

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
James Lick Middle School	2
Cesar Chavez Elementary	4
Fairmount (Dolores Huerta) Elementary	7

I'd hope to bring lessons from site and CAT organizing to the work of such an important body for labor movement. Vote Organizing for Union Power!

**Etoria Cheeks** (Certificated)

#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 13

Total years in SFUSD: 5

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
James Lick Middle School Math Teacher	4
The Academy SF @ McAteer Math Teacher	1
SFUSD & APS Substitute Teacher	1

I am a candidate for SFLC to help the mission to improve the workplace and bring economic justice.

#### Cassondra Curiel (Certificated)



#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 18

Total years in SFUSD: 10

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Visitacion Valley Middle School ELA Teacher	10

During my teaching career, I've committed to engaging in union work and activism. Fighting for public education & the strong union we all deserve!

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**Derik Dulin** (Certificated)

#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 12

Total years in SFUSD: 9

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Harvey Milk PE teacher	6
Paul Revere PE teacher	6

I am a San Francisco native and have worked for the district for over 10 years in various capacity. I am also a parent to

#### Earl Lene De Santiago (Certificated)



#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 26

Total years in SFUSD: 26

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Certificated Substitute - Active	4
John Yehall Chin ES/ELD Teacher - Retired	19
Dr. George Washington Carver ES	3

As a dedicated Educator and Union Activist who advocates for social justice and equity, I will represent UESF's platform and values.

William Ford (Certificated)

#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 20

Total years in SFUSD: 19

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Independence High School	1
Pupil Services	4
John O'Connell HS	5

I will stand with all Union Members and fight for them, no matter what. I have no fear of administration. No fear.

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**AJ Frazier** (Classified)

#### Candidate Biographical Information-

Total years of educational work: 31

Total years in SFUSD: 31

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
LOWELL high school campus Security	15
Mission high school	16

I am the current Sergeant at arms for UESF and I enjoy serving all of my union members.

#### **Benjamin Goodnick** (Certificated)

#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 5

Total years in SFUSD: 3

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

<b>Sites and Positions</b>	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Bessie Carmichael	3

We need to use our union to fight for housing, healthcare and a future free from police violence for the families of San Francisco.

#### Erin Gallagher (Certificated)



#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 8

Total years in SFUSD: 4

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Thurgood Marshall Academic High School	4

To represent educators and students in Southeast SF and to ensure fair and equitable policy that reflects the interest of those educators and students.

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#### Cris Garza (Certificated)



#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 11

Total years in SFUSD: 7

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Everett Middle School, 7th grade ELA teacher	6

OrganizingForUnionPower Slate: Let's strengthen the collaboration and organizing between our SF unions so we can build a grassroots, unstoppable force for economic and racial justice!

#### Geri Almanza (Certificated)



#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 16

Total years in SFUSD: 16

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Cesar Chavez Elementary School	16

OUP Slate: Fighting for the schools our students & educators deserve! I am a long time community organizer, educator, SFUSD parent.

#### Giulio Sorro (Certificated)



#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 21

Total years in SFUSD: 14

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
June Jordan	14

Over 30 years as student and teacher in SFUSD. Labor, community and education are intertwined in my life. Im ready for all fronts. OUP.

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#### Carolyn Samoa (Classified)



#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 31

Total years in SFUSD: 31

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
UESF Vice President for Paraeducators	14
Paul Revere PreK -8 School Special Ed Paraeducator	17
John Swett Elementary School General Ed Paraeducator	14

Active member of Labor Council representing UESF. Elected member of the Executive Committee and a strong advocate for labor. Grew up in a union family.

## John-Michael Lisovsky (Certificated) Candidate Biographical Information-

Total years of educational work: 6

Total years in SFUSD: 5

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Francisco MS	5

Defend union power, uplift workers everywhere, integrate neighborhoods racially and socioeconomically, expand parkland & play space for kids, commit to transformative decarbonization and climate justice.

Frank Lara (Certificated)



#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 10

Total years in SFUSD: 10

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
4th/5th Grade Teacher at Buena Vista Horace Mann	10

Vote the Organizing for Union Power Slate for an organized and powerful union! As SF Labor Council Delegate, I'll work to strengthen SF Labor Unions.

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#### Iza-Nasheli Rodriguez (Classified)

#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 2

Total years in SFUSD: 2

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:



Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Buena Vista Horace Mann- Paraeducator	1
Herbert Hoover Middle School- Family Liaison	1

I'm passionate being apart of the actions and conversations around fighting for &defending public education! Being informed,be proactive& willing to fight students &our educators rights.

#### **Leonor Jackson Flores** (Classified)



#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 15

Total years in SFUSD: 15

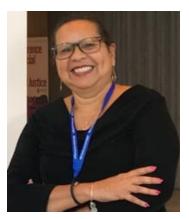
Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Abraham Lincoln HS - Family Liaison	8
Bret Harte ES / Junipero Serra ES - Family Liaison	2
Horace Mann MS / James Lick MS - Family Liaison	5

Solidarity & Collaboration amongst Unions in Bay Area is key to moving forward now that we have a President & Congress supportive of Labor.

#### 2 CTA State Council Delegates-Certificated (Full Term)

Claire Merced-Robles (Certificated)



#### Candidate Biographical Information-

Total years of educational work: 30+

Total years in SFUSD: 25

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Washington HS	2019-CURRENT
Hoover MS	2018-2019
Thurgood Marshall HS	1996-2018

Lifetime classroom teacher fighting injustices against public school educators and minority and underprivileged students. UESF Board. CTA State Council. Former NEA Board. SF Labor Council.

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#### Van Williams (Certificated)



#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 22

Total years in SFUSD: 20

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Gloria R. Davis	5
Thurgood Marshall High	12
Galileo High	3

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Leslie Hu (Certificated)

## **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 16

Total years in SFUSD: 14

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Academic Middle	6
Francisco Middle School	7
Excelsior Middle School	1

OrganizingForUnionPower Slate - I currently serve on the Executive Board and am proud to represent members! Vote OUP!

#### **Etoria Cheeks** (Certificated)



#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 13

Total years in SFUSD: 5

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
James Lick Middle School Math Teacher	4
The Academy - SF @ McAteer Math Teacher	1
APS and SFUSD Substitute Teacher	1

I am a candidate for CTA to help the mission to protect and promote well-being, improve the condition of teaching and learning, and so on.

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William Ford (Certificated)

## **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 20

Total years in SFUSD: 19

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

<b>Sites and Positions</b>	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Independence HS	1
Pupil Services	4
John O' Connell HS	5

I will fight for you. I am not afraid to stand up to admin. We need leaders with courage. We don't have that now.

## Geri Almanza (Certificated)



## **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 16

Total years in SFUSD: 16

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Cesar Chavez Elementary School	16

Organizing for Union Power(OUP) Slate: We need an organized and powerful union! I am a long time community organizer, educator, and SFUSD parent.

#### Jake Stookey (Certificated)



#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 27

Total years in SFUSD: 21

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
SF International HS, Visual Arts Teacher	1
Presidio MS, Arts Teacher, Building Rep	5
James Lick MS, Arts Teacher, Building Rep & Co-Rep	10

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I am a strong supporter of LGBTQQ youth, an advocate for Sped and EL students. I speak up and fight to break down institutionalized oppression.

#### Giulio Sorro (Certificated)



## **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 20

Total years in SFUSD: 14

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
June Jordan	14

Over 30 years as student and teacher in SFUSD. Labor, community and education are intertwined in my life. Im ready for all fronts. OUP

#### John-Michael Lisovsky (Certificated)



#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 6

Total years in SFUSD: 5

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Francisco	MS

Defend union power, uplift workers everywhere, integrate neighborhoods racially and socioeconomically, expand parkland & play space for kids, commit to transformative decarbonization and climate justice.

## **Betty Robinson-Harris** (Certificated)

#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 49

Total years in SFUSD: 32

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Tule Elk Park EES Teacher	8
Burnett/Leola Havard. EES Teacher	23

Allow me the opportunity to continue to advocate for all Educators. Experience and dedication counts when you are fighting for Public Education. Vote!

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#### Patricia Ross (Certificated)



## **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 27

Total years in SFUSD: 22

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
San Miguel EES	14
Leola Havard EES	20
Bret Harte EES	7

Twenty years experienced Special Education Para / School Age Teacher. Advocating for equity and better working conditions. Committed and dedicated to this cause strong voice!

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Stephen Bass (Certificated)



#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 25

Total years in SFUSD: 14

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
SFUSD arts intinerant Drama teacher TK -5th grade	3
Alvarado ES school 3rd grade ELD teacher	2
George Peabody ES 4th & 5th grade Science and ELA teacher	4

I work at many different schools at all grade levels, giving me a wide knowledge of the diverse needs of our staff, students, and families.

Judith Brooks (Certificated)

#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 29

Total years in SFUSD: 15

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Lowell High School	6 years
Lincoln High School	2 years
Hoover Middle School	3 years

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It would be an honor and privilege to serve as a council member for CTA. My goal would be solidarity and fairness for all teachers.

Megan Pursel (Certificated)



#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 2

Total years in SFUSD: 2

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
James Denman MS, SOAR SDC Teacher	2
Center for Autism and Related Disorders, Registered Behavior Technician	4
USC Department of Psychology, Research Assistant	1

As a new teacher, I come with a fresh perspective and am ready to work for what is best for all teachers and students.

#### Robin Oh (Certificated)



# **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 7

Total years in SFUSD: 3

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Hoover Middle School	3
Wilson High School (LBUSD)	4

I believe I can and will represent the diversity of SFUSD as a gay Asian Male special education teacher fighting for equity in the district.

Shiksha Modi (Certificated)

## **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 4

Total years in SFUSD: 1

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Sunnyside ES - M/S SDC Teacher	1

As a Special Education classroom teacher, I have first hand experience of the many challenges we face. I will fight to make all voices heard!

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**Amber Mosby** (Certificated)

## **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 15

Total years in SFUSD: 2

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
SF Community School	2
Counselor	

I want my voice heard and to see real change

#### Maria Martinez (Certificated)



#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 13

Total years in SFUSD: 13

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Abraham Lincoln High School / College & Career Counselor	8
Abraham Lincoln High School/ Academic Counselor for AVID, Business Academy & Teacher Academy	2
Abraham Lincoln High School/ Dean	3

I want to expand my knowledge, connections and information as a Head Counselor to be able to ensure Counselors are being recognized in CTA.

#### Claire Merced-Robles (Certificated)



## **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 30+

Total years in SFUSD: 30

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Washington HS	2019-CURRENT
Hoover MS	2018-2019
Thurgood Marshall AHS	1996-2018

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Classroom teacher defending public education, fighting for justice for educators and students. Actively support political campaigns that support unions and racial, ethnic and gender equity.

Kevin Hartzog (Certificated)

# Candidate Biographical Information-

Total years of educational work: 23

Total years in SFUSD: 23

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Balboa High School (SFUSD)	2016-2021
Thurgood Marshall Academic High School	1998-2015

I have served as both UBC member and UESF's High School Division to represent and support our teachers, Paraeducators, Security, Counselors, etc.

#### Carin Cymanski (Certificated)



#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 7

Total years in SFUSD: 4

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
SFUSD - Sanchez Elementary	4
Academie de Bordeaux - Classroom English Teacher (Elementary)	1
The Princeton Review - Test Prep Tutor (LSAT)	2

I want to help connect schools to CTA resources AND build stronger networks across the state.

## Marcus Christmas (Certificated)



#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 4

Total years in SFUSD: 4

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
	4
SFUSD School Health Department/ Wellness Coordinator	

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I think CTA has been supportive to SFUSD staff. Be a representative for my peers will allow me to continue to advocate on special initiatives.

**Cindy Chung** (Certificated)

# **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 11

Total years in SFUSD: 2

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Alamo Elementary School - Teacher	2
Children's Workshop School - Student Teacher	1
Alamo Elementary School - Program Manager	4

From working in San Francisco and New York's education field, my accumulated expertise and rich experiences will immensely benefit the CTA State Council.

#### Elliott Chelsky (Certificated)



# **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 13

Total years in SFUSD: 6

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Independence High School SFUSD	2
Oakland Military Institute	1
Vallejo High School	5

I was a founding member of a San Francisco TV station union. Former. Substitute Rep. and currently a Building Rep. I appreciate your consideration and

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Etoria Cheeks (Certificated)

#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 14

Total years in SFUSD: 5

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
James Lick Middle School, Math Teacher	4
The Academy - SF@ McAteer, Math Teacher	1
SFUSD & Atlanta Public Schools, Substitute Teacher	1

I will attend all meetings, be active, learn, and present when appropriate. Also, I will report back and participate in the chapter's Service Center Council.

## Megan Caluza (Certificated)



#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 19

Total years in SFUSD: 16

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
School Health Programs, Section 504 BCBA	6
ER Taylor, SOAR SDC Teacher	2
El Dorado, Mild/Moderate SDC Teacher	6

Improve state policy and strengthen state-level advocacy to increase funding and resources to districts. Equity for all schools and students! I'm currently an alternate.

Wendell Doman (Certificated)

## **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 10

Total years in SFUSD: 1

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Mission High School, Spanish Teacher	1
College of San Mateo, Spanish Teacher	5

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Veritas Preparatory Academy, Spanish Teacher	1
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Too many teachers suffer due to poor policy district representatives, I welcome the opportunity to represent my colleagues in order to attain better contracts.

Leslie Keir (Certificated)

#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 21

Total years in SFUSD: 14

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Creative Arts Charter School	18

It's important for more Charters to become Unionized, and increased representation at the state level will further that work/goal.

#### Benjamin Goodnick (Certificated)



### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work:

Total years in SFUSD:

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Bessie Carmichael	3
Cleveland	2

We need to use our union to not only improve education but create a better America for all working people.

#### Erin Gallagher (Certificated)



#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 8

Total years in SFUSD: 4

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Thurgood Marshall Academic High School	4

I want to represent the collective voice of the membership to enact change that works for educators and ALL students, not politicians, administrators, and corporations.

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**Aaron Aguilar** (Certificated)

# **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 4

Total years in SFUSD: 2

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Willie Brown Middle School	2
Oakland Charter Academy	2

I am a teacher of color in a low-income community that represents the needs and interests of our people.

Giulio Sorro (Certificated)

## **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 20

Total years in SFUSD: 14

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
June Jordan High School	14
City College SF	4
Bronx HS	3

Public education will both be under attack and have a chance to solidify our power and importance. Its time stand in solidarity together. OUP

#### Kenyatta Scott (Certificated)



#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 29

Total years in SFUSD: 19

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Abraham Lincoln HS-math/tech teacher, sports coach, Athletic Director	19
Hattiesburg HS- technology/mathematics teacher, sports coach	6
Brandon- HS/MS teacher, sports coach, Admin Intern	4

I want to be the change I hope to see. Also, with my experience and truth I bring a unique perspective for change and equity.

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Catherine Sullivan (Certificated)

## **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 30

Total years in SFUSD: 28

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
McLaren Early Education Center	6
Filipino Education Center Early Education Center	1
Grattan Elementary School	21

I will advocate for the schools our students deserve. I will fight for respect, decent pay and fully funded schools for all educators. Vote OrganizingForUnionPower!

John-Michael Lisovsky (Certificated)

## **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 6

Total years in SFUSD: 5

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Francisco MS	5

We need INTEGRITY, TRANSPARENCY, EXPERIENCE, ACCOUNTABILITY, AND MOVEMENT on our CTA STATE COUNCIL. Vote LISOVSKY, and other I-TEAM candidates!

# Carina Lozada (Certificated)



#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 10

Total years in SFUSD: 6

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
Substitute day-to-day teacher	3
Special education paraprofessional	3

I inspire to keep the community safe and prosperous. As a CTA State Council member, I will empower social justice and make resources equitable.

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#### Patricia Ross (Certificated)



#### **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 27

Total years in SFUSD: 21

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
San Miguel EES	14
Leola Havard EES	20
Bret Harte EES	7

Twenty years experienced Special Education Para/ School Age Teacher. Advocating for equity and better working conditions. Committed and dedicated to this cause strong voice!

#### Genevieve Evenhouse (Certificated)



# **Candidate Biographical Information-**

Total years of educational work: 11

Total years in SFUSD: 11

Three most recent work sites and positions, with years of service:

Sites and Positions	Years of Service (whole numbers only)
ALHS-SFUSD, School District Nurse	4
RASOTA/AAS/JJSE-SFUSD, School District Nurse	4
SOTA/AAS/JJSE/PR-SFUSD, School District Nurse	3

To advocate for and promote the well-being of the school children we serve as well as their families and school communities.

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