

Tutors Earn CRLA Certification

The FSU Tutoring Center recently held a reception and certificate ceremony for sixteen tutors who earned CRLA Level I and Level II tutoring certifications.

Tutors who earned Level II certification were Jeannine Camella, Kelvin Coates, Lucas Garton, Tiarra Hailey, Shenna Hair, Emily Smith, Brendan Stephens, Connie Yarborough, and Christine Yurko.

Tutors who earned Level I certification were Russell Bowie, Beth Brathwaite, Darcy Gagnon, Robert Hoffmaster, Elizabeth Ilori-Olawoye, Rose Jackson, and Kade Kahl.

"This group of individuals provides a vital service to FSU. They have put in many hours of tutoring and training. I am proud of their hard work and dedication to our students," said Mark Smith, Director of the Tutoring Center.

Since the inception of the CRLA program at FSU in 2003, 192 tutors have been certified. Of the seventy-five tutors employed during the spring semester, eighteen were certified.

The College Reading and Learning Association (CRLA) is a group of student-oriented professionals active in the fields of reading, learning assistance, developmental education, tutoring, and mentoring at the college/adult level. Its mission is to provide a forum for the interchange of ideas, methods, and information to improve student learning and to facilitate the professional growth of its members.



First row left to right: Robert Hoffmaster, Darcy Gagnon, Shenna Hair, and Elizabeth Brathwaite. **Second row left to right:** Lucas Garton, Kelvin Coates, and Mark Smith, Director of the Tutoring Center