



Nolin Christensen, EA

Nolin has been preparing taxes for 30 years. He has had his own practice since 1996. When branching out on his own, he originally went to people homes. Now he has an office in the mid-town area of Wichita. His office does over 600 returns a year doing primarily individual returns with a specialization of small self-employed individuals. He has always enjoyed teaching and became a certified NATP instructor in 2014.

Tim Graham Jr., EA

Tim has been doing taxes for 15 years becoming an Enrolled Agent (EA) in Feb. 2011. Tim owns a tax practice that has been in business for 40 years. The tax practice offers a full array of services for the individual to the small business owner including items from payroll, bookkeeping and income tax preparation. Tim has a vast array of knowledge in tax preparation, QuickBooks, payroll, and representation.

In 2005 Tim joined NATP, becoming a member of the Board of Directors for the Kansas Chapter in 2006. Tim served as Chapter President for the Kansas Chapter from 2009 to 2013. He enjoys being active in the Kansas Chapter by helping in the Education arena.

Mary P. Giesler, EA, ATP

Upon graduation from Mexico High School in 1976, Mary attended William Woods College (now William Woods University). She graduated in 1980 with a Bachelor of Science in Psychology and minors in both Business and Chemistry.

Mary married Doug Giesler, a native of Mexico, in 1981. They have 4 children, Lee, Lauren, Jordan, and Parker. Doug, Mary & Parker (a.k.a. Freddy) reside in Overland Park where she owns and operates MPG Accounting. She has operated MPG Accounting for 35 years and currently serves over 575 clients annually.

Mary is an Accredited Tax Professional and has earned her enrolled agent status. She is a member of the National Association of Tax Professionals and served as President of the Kansas Chapter of the National Association of Tax Professionals for 3 years. In 2004, she was elected Chairman of the Chapter Advisory Council which she chaired for 2 years. During 2004, she was nominated for the Tax Professional of the Year award and was featured as a Tax Professional of the Month during 2005. In 2007 no longer allowed to

serve on the KS-NATP Board of Directors as she had served 9 years reaching her term limit. Since that time, she has continued working with the Chapter by serving as an advisor to the Board of Directors and heading up both the Membership & Scholarship Committees. In 2010, she became a certified chapter instructor and has been assisting with teaching individual topics for the KS Chapter seminars

CARL YORK

Carl York is a Tax Specialist with the Kansas Department of Revenue.

His current assignment entails providing customer education at small Business workshops, income tax workshops and other educational seminars. He helps with enrolled bill implementation and compliance by providing guidance and counseling to taxpayers. He began his employment with the Kansas Department of Revenue in 2006 as a Customer Relations Representative. While working in the Special Credit division of tax operations he developed several in house and public spreadsheets that streamlined operations including the electronic Net Operating Loss spreadsheet and the Homestead/Safe Senior comparison calculator. He is a graduate of Benedictine College in Atchison where he received his Executive MBA.

MICHELLE THOMPSON

Michelle Thompson is a twenty seven-year veteran with the Oklahoma Tax Commission where she currently holds the position of Public Affairs Officer for the Communications Division.

Her OTC experience began in 1989 with working returns in the Individual Income Tax Division for 3 years. Then the next 3 years she served as the Public Information Officer Assistant dealing primarily with the media before becoming one of two Public Affairs Officers representing the Tax Commission for the last twenty-one years in various additional duties. Her focus has been more narrowed to education, such as; speaking at Business Tax seminars and CPE/CLE continuing education classes, teaching individual income tax to OTC employees and VITA, TCE and Military volunteers across the state, and also speaking to high school students to better understand Oklahoma taxes.

She also holds a Bachelor's Degree in Journalism from the University of Oklahoma where she majored in Advertising with a minor in Communications.

In addition to her current duties involving media relations, education and training in individual income tax and business taxes, Michelle also works with updating and revising the Oklahoma income tax forms and publications.