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### **Welcoming Karin Potter-Simmons as Unscripted's Program Director**

AUGUST 8, 2021, PHILADELPHIA, PA: The Unscripted Project, a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization whose mission is to equip students with the building blocks of personal and professional success through the power of an improv education, announced the appointment of Karin Potter-Simmons as Program Director effective August 1, 2021. Karin, a dedicated change agent in the human services and education field, joins The Unscripted Project from the School District of Philadelphia. She brings extensive experience in both the public education and non-profit sectors and holds a BA from Indiana University of Pennsylvania and a MPA from Cheyney University of Pennsylvania, the nation's first HBCU.

On her appointment to this role, Karin said "It is with much gratitude to Meera and Philip that I step into the role of Program Director of The Unscripted Project. I look forward to working with our Teaching Artists to help young people find their voices and become confident contributing members of their school communities and beyond."

Meera Menon and Philip Chen, Founders of The Unscripted Project said, "On behalf of the Board of Directors and the entire Unscripted family, we are delighted to welcome Karin onto our team. Karin is a fearless advocate for the development and support of Philadelphia's youth and her values and skillset will undoubtedly be an invaluable asset to the growth of The Unscripted Project. We are excited and look forward to all she will be able to accomplish in the years to come."

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