

## BOARD OF DIRECTORS PAMELA BROWN

Pamela E. Brown is the Founder and President of Garrett, Incorporated, a training and consulting firm, which specializes in training and developing strategies that will enhance and impact program operations and productivity.

With over 31 years of experience with federal and state early childhood education contracts, she is an advocate for children, families, and education. In her role as Director, she gained over 26

years of experience in executive level management where she was responsible for the operations and oversight of a multi-million dollar federally funded child and family program.

Being featured in local newspapers and on local television programs, Ms. Brown is considered as an exceptional orator and respected advocate for children. She has been recognized by organizations such as Wesleyan College, UCLA's (University of California Los Angeles) Anderson School of Management, Georgia Head Start Association, Kids Yule Love, the Governor's Office for Workplace Learning, and the Department of Health and Human Services.

Ms. Brown's affiliation with numerous organizations include: President, Georgia Head Start Association, Region IV Head Start Board of Directors, Head Start - Johnson and Johnson - UCLA Advisory Board, Family Connections of Macon, Central Georgia Technical College Advisory Board, Founding President Cirrus Academy Charter School, Founding President of 100 Black Women: Macon-Middle Georgia Chapter, Georgia Association of Young Children.

Before devoting her work full time to Garrett, Incorporated, She began her career as a high school English teacher where her passion for children and their education began to soar.

For more than two decades, Ms. Brown has been a voice for fathers and males throughout the nation, receiving national awards and recognition, ensuring that women understand the roles of fathers/men in the lives of their children as they seek to improve the quality of their life and develop a close, positive, and accountable relationship with their child/children.

She is a proud graduate of Mercer University with a Bachelor's degree in Speech and Dramatics Arts and English, graduate studies in the field of Education at Mercer University, and completed the University of California Los Angeles (UCLA) Management Certificate Program.

## Awards and Recognition:

- \*Wesleyan College's Servant Leadership Award (2010)
- \*Kids Yule Love Recognition Award (2002 – 2003) \*Anderson School of Management at UCLA Recognition Award (1997) \*Department of Health and Human Services Regional Administrator's Citation
  - \*Georgia Head Start Association Recognition Award (1993)

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\*Fort Valley State College Cooperative Extension Program Recognition Award (1993)