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Erika Temple serves as the Virginia Department of Education Regional Work-Based Learning (WBL) Specialist for Superintendent Regions 1 (Central Virginia) and 3 (Northern Neck). In this role, Erika and the entire Work-Based Learning team are responsible for expanding WBL opportunities throughout the Commonwealth to meet the labor market demands in targeted industry sectors. Erika has been in the Career, Technical, and Adult Education field for over 15 years as a Business and Information Technology Teacher in Richmond City Public Schools, Site Coordinator with Communities in Schools of Richmond, Work-Based Learning Specialist in Chesterfield County Public Schools, and an Adult Education Program Manager in Washington DC's Department of Homeland Security. She holds a Master's of Science in Business Administration from Strayer University and a Bachelor's Degree in Business Education from the University of Maryland Eastern Shore.

VDOE High-Quality Work-Based Learning website:

https://www.doe.virginia.gov/instruction/career_technical/work-based_learning/index.shtml