

# **Curriculum Vitae**

## **Margaret Shelton Brya**

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### ***EDUCATION***

- Doctor of Optometry, Southern College of Optometry, Memphis, TN 2003
- Pre-Medical Studies, University of Georgia, Athens, GA 1997-1998
- Montessori Credential, N.C. Center for Montessori Teacher Training, 1996
- Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Georgia, 1991
- Certificate of Women's Studies, University of Georgia, 1990

### ***ACADEMIC HONORS AND AWARDS***

- David L. Sloan Scholarship, Southern College of Optometry, 2003
- Gold Key International Optometric Honor Society, President, 2002-03
- Beta Sigma Kappa Academic Honor Fraternity, 2003
- Dean's List Southern College of Optometry, 1999-2003
- Optometric Service Scholarship, Germantown TN Lion's Club, 2000
- 20/20 Service Award, SVOSH, 2000

### ***CERTIFICATIONS***

- Diplomate, American Board of Optometry
- Fellow, College of Vision Development 2012
- Georgia Optometry and Therapeutic License #2101
- National Board of Examiners in Optometry Certificate
- Treatment and Management of Ocular Disease Certificate

### ***PROFESSIONAL POSITIONS***

- Primary Care Optometrist, Five Points Eye Care, Athens, GA 2003-present
- Clinical Director, Five Points Eye Care, Athens, GA 2006-present
- Director of Vision Therapy Clinic, Five Points Eye Care, 2004-present
- GOA/VSP Mobile Clinic 2011
- GOA Annette Winn Clinic 2010
- AOA Infantsee: Free eye exams for infants 6-12 mo of age 2006-present
- Mercy Clinic: Free eye exams for community of need 2008- present
- Athens Hispanic Vision Clinic: Free eye exams for community of need 2007

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***PROFESSIONAL POSITIONS (cont.)***

- Lion's Club of Athens: Free eye exams for community of need 2003- present
- Primary Care Optometrist, Margaret S. Brya, OD, North GA fill in 2003-05
- Clinical Rotation, Southern College of Optometry, Memphis, TN 2001-03
- Externship, Beaufort Naval Hospital, Beaufort, SC 2002
- Externship, Parris Island Marine Recruit Training Depot, Beaufort, SC 2002
- Externship, Gottlieb Vision Group, Stone Mountain, GA 2002
- Research Assistant, Southern College of Optometry, 2000-03
- Vision Therapist, Five Points Eye Care, Athens, GA 1997-1999
- Elementary School Teacher, Athens Montessori School, 1992-97
- Art Teacher: Athens-Clarke County , 1992; Athens Boys & Girls Club 1992

***PROFESSIONAL AND CIVIC ASSOCIATIONS & AWARDS***

- Guest Lecturer, University of Georgia School of Pharmacy, 2014
- Clinical Instructor, Adjunct Faculty, The Ohio State University College of Optometry 2012- present
- Athens Montessori School, Board of Trustees 2011- present
- Kiwanis Club of Athens, 2007- present, Board of Directors 2008-2010, Secretary 2010-2011
- Sandy Creek Nature Center, Board of Directors 2010-2011
- Georgia Optometric Association Young OD of the Year, 2009
- Educational Outreach: Athens Academy, Athens Montessori School, Lavonia Elementary School Athens Kiwanis Club, Cleveland Road Elementary School; 2004 - present
- School Vision Screenings in Athens area 2004- present
- GA Optometric Association, 1999-present; President 10<sup>th</sup> district 2005-2010
- American Optometric Association, 1999-present
- College of Optometrists in Vision Development, 1999-present
- Community Vision Screenings: 2004, 2005
- Corneal Refractive Therapy Certification, Paragon Vision Sciences, 2004
- SECO International, Conference Proctor 2001, 2002
- SVOSH, Student Volunteers in Optometric Service to Humanity, 1999-2002
- Lion's Club International, 2000-2003