



Angel H. Malone

Angel H. Malone is an accomplished education leader with more than 25 years of experience advancing educational opportunity, workforce development, and innovative school models. Throughout her career, Angel has served in a wide range of roles including Science Teacher, Science Instructional Coach, Assistant Principal, Founding Principal of a health sciences-focused high school, district-level leader, State Director of Career and Technical Education, and as a national advisor on career and technical education policy and practice. Her work has consistently focused on strengthening the connection between education, economic development, and workforce readiness in order to prepare students for success in a rapidly evolving labor market.

During her tenure as a state leader in Career and Technical Education, Angel helped position South Carolina as #1 in the nation for broadening access and increasing participation of female and minority students in computer science (Code.org, 2022). She also served as a national officer of Advance CTE, a national organization representing state leaders in career and technical education. Angel is driven by her belief that, *“A great education should be the expectation, not the exception”*.

Angel has received numerous honors recognizing her leadership and service, including the Top 40 Under 40 Black Pages Award, the United States Department of Education Martin Luther King Jr. Drum Major Award, and the South Carolina Order of the Silver Crescent, the state’s highest civilian honor awarded by the Governor for outstanding community leadership and service.

A trailblazer throughout her career, Angel, has been recognized for opening doors and expanding opportunities for students and educators alike. Angel is happily married to Melvin E. Malone, Jr., serves as Chaplain of the Columbia (SC) Alumnae Chapter of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc., and is a member of Brookland Baptist Church.