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## **Central Outreach & Advocacy Center welcomes new program director, April Campbell**

Atlanta, GA – October 13, 2016 – The **Central Outreach & Advocacy Center**, a non-profit organization affiliated with historic Central Presbyterian Church in downtown Atlanta, is pleased to announce that April Campbell has been named the new program director.



"I am delighted to have April join us as the Program Director. Her experience and education will be valuable assets to our work here at the center," said Kimberly Parker, Executive Director of the Central Outreach & Advocacy Center. "We are looking forward to having her on our team," she added.

Originally from Connecticut, Campbell graduated from Southern Connecticut State University in 2011 with a Bachelor of Social Work degree. After graduation, she spent four years in the field working with both adolescents and adults. In 2015 she received a Master's of Science in Social Work from University of Louisville Kent School of Social Work in Louisville, KY.

Campbell has worked with individuals struggling with mental illness, developmental disabilities, intellectual disabilities, and behavioral issues. While living in Georgia she realized her desire to work with individuals experiencing homelessness. She has a passion for macro social work and advocating for people the Central Outreach & Advocacy Center serves. "I am excited to be a part of an agency whose faith guides them in the work that they do for the guests they serve," said Campbell.

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### **About the Central Outreach & Advocacy Center**

The Central Outreach & Advocacy Center began in 1980 with a single calling to serve a young woman in need of help. In 1997 the center became a separate non-profit 501(c)3 organization. Today, the Central Outreach & Advocacy Center works in partnership with individuals and families to assist and advocate with them to avoid or overcome homelessness.

For more information about the Central Outreach & Advocacy Center please contact Kimberly Parker at 404-601-3149, [kparker@centraloac.org](mailto:kparker@centraloac.org), or visit [centraloac.org](http://centraloac.org).

### **About Central Presbyterian Church**

Central Presbyterian Church is an historic church located at 201 Washington Street SW in Atlanta, Georgia. It was founded in 1858 and was added to the National Register in 1986. During the 1930s, it became known as "the church that stayed" as other churches relocated to the suburbs. Today Central's ministries place an emphasis on social justice through advocacy, local and global mission work, and learning.

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