

James Milton Weeks, Jr.



Jimmie is proud graduate of CWA, Class of 1974, Kwaluhleay!

He received the BSc degree from the University of Liberia in physics and mathematics. He earned the MSc degree from the University of Minnesota, Twin Cities in physics and mathematics. He pursued additional graduate studies at North Carolina State University in operations research and statistics. He did advanced studies in nuclear physics at the International Center for Theoretical Physics in Trieste, Italy. He was the recipient

of a National Science Foundation grant to create an active learning approach to introductory engineering and college physics courses. He has received excellence in teaching awards from North Carolina State University and Abraham Baldwin Agricultural College.

He taught physics and mathematics at CWA from 1978 – 1980 and 1984 – 1985. Other teaching positions include Instructor of Physics at the University of Liberia and Associate Professor of Physics, at Abraham Baldwin Agricultural College (an institution of the University of Georgia System). He presently teaches physics and mathematics at Durham Technical Community College and Wake Technical Community College in Durham and Raleigh, NC. He has led the faculty council and other college committees which include re-accreditation.

He organized and directs the University of Liberia Alumni Chorus in 2009. In the local community he is actively involved in efforts related to mental health, suicide prevention and outreach to people with AIDS. He was the lead organizer for the first Triangle Survivors of Suicide walk held in Raleigh, NC in November 2013. He is a member of North Raleigh United Methodist Church. He has four children, two of which are no longer with us.