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## Dr. Jennifer Johnson Kebea Joins Campus Philly as President

**PHILADELPHIA, PA** (June 24, 2021) – [Campus Philly](#), the non-profit organization dedicated to fueling inclusive economic growth by empowering diverse college students and recent graduates to explore, live and work in Greater Philadelphia, has named [Dr. Jennifer Johnson Kebea](#) as its new president. Jennifer joins the organization with more than 15 years of experience at the intersection of higher education and the non-profit sector, and most recently served as Executive Director of the Lindy Center for Civic Engagement at Drexel University. Through Jennifer's efforts, thousands of Drexel students, faculty, and staff have connected with nonprofit organizations and the broader Philadelphia community in support of vital issues of social concern each year. Earlier this year, Jennifer was recognized as one of Philadelphia's Top 40 Under 40.

"The Board of Directors and I are thrilled to have Jennifer Kebea join us at this pivotal time in Campus Philly's history," said Michael Scales, Campus Philly Board Chair and Associate Vice President of Business Services at Temple University. "Jennifer's commitment to Philadelphia and knowledge of the city, corporate, and higher education communities will be invaluable as we continue to further our legacy of connecting people and helping them realize their dreams in the city we love."

"I was an undergraduate student when Campus Philly first launched as a non-profit in 2004. I was deeply drawn to the organization's mission, serving first as an intern and eventually as the inaugural Director of Career Programs in 2008," said Dr. Jennifer Kebea. "Just over a decade later, I am delighted to return and lead this dynamic organization into its next phase of growth."

Since 2009, Jennifer has been part of Drexel University's expanding efforts around civic engagement. In her role as Executive Director of the Lindy Center for Civic Engagement, Jennifer and her team managed the development of four core civic priorities including community-engaged learning, civic leadership, public service, and community partnerships. In her tenure at the Lindy Center, more than 30,000 undergraduate students took part in curriculum that has provided an introduction to civic engagement and aided students in the process of articulating their own unique civic pathway.

Jennifer also serves as faculty for both Drexel's Goodwin College of Professional Studies and the School of Education. In Goodwin, she developed and teaches a series of nonprofit management workshop courses where teams of graduate students are paired with Philadelphia-area nonprofits to provide consulting services. In the School of Education, Jennifer recently redeveloped a graduate course on Higher Education Career Development and another focused on Civic Engagement in Higher Education for the MS of Higher Education Leadership program.

Prior to coming to Drexel, Jennifer held past positions at Campus Philly and at Chestnut Hill College. Jennifer holds a doctoral degree in Educational Leadership and Management from Drexel University. She also holds a bachelor's degree in Biology and master's degree in the Administration of Human Services from Chestnut Hill College. A lifelong resident of the Philadelphia region, Jennifer resides in Media, PA with her husband, Kevin, and their three children.

Jennifer will lead Campus Philly in its mission to bring success to every college student in Philadelphia through career-focused programming and events; robust content and resources to help students and recent graduates find their fit in Philadelphia; and strategic partnerships with companies in the Greater Philadelphia region seeking interns and entry-level talent from Campus Philly's 30+ college and university partners.

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