

Director, Outreach & Engagement

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# STEVEN WOOTEN

Meet Steven D. Wooten, a golf enthusiast with a deep commitment to promoting diversity in the world of golf. Currently serving as the Director of Outreach & Engagement for First Tee – Metro Atlanta, Steven plays a pivotal role in the organization. His responsibilities include recruiting and onboarding coaches, delivering compelling presentations to potential partners, and leading and facilitating youth classes for First Tee.

With a profound belief in the transformative power of golf, Steven is dedicated to ensuring that all kids have the opportunity to experience the sport and its associated life skills. Having been immersed in golf from a young age, Steven's competitive journey began in childhood and culminated in earning a spot on the Morehouse College Golf team, where he graduated with a B.A. in Business Management.

Steven's connection with First – Tee Metro Atlanta was established during his collaborative work with Coach William Lewis, teaching classes and conducting summer camp sessions. After a stint in the finance world, Steven rekindled his passion for golf as an Assistant Golf Professional at Streamsong Resort in Florida. Returning to Atlanta, he continued to contribute to golf operations at Laurel Springs Golf Club and Country Club of The South.

The intersection of Steven's passion and advocacy for minority representation in golf led him back to his roots, where he assumed the role of Coach and Volunteer Coordinator with First Tee – Metro Atlanta.

Beyond the golf course, Steven finds joy in the outdoors and cherishes quality time with his family. Hailing from New York, he proudly supports the Yankees, Knicks, and Giants.

