



Judi's House Leadership

Brian Griese

Co-Founder & Chairman, Judi's House/JAG Institute, ESPN Analyst, Former NFL Quarterback

Drafted by the Denver Broncos in the third round of the 1998 NFL Draft, Brian Griese's NFL career spanned 11 years from 1998-2009. In 2009, he joined ESPN as a college football analyst. He was named a host of Monday Night Football in August 2020 alongside longtime friend and play-by-play commentator Steve Levy, and former NFL defensive back Louis Riddick.

Brian co-founded Judi's House in 2002 with his wife, licensed clinical psychologist, Dr. Brook Griese. Along Brian's path to healing, he realized he wanted to give back to children and young adults who were also grieving the loss of a parent, sibling, or other special person. Since its founding, this community-based nonprofit has grown from a small, grassroots support program to providing Comprehensive Grief Care® for more than 12,000 children and caregivers.

Brook Griese, Ph.D.

Co-Founder, Judi's House/JAG Institute, Clinical Psychologist

Brook Griese, Ph.D. is a clinical psychologist, researcher, author, educator, and community leader who has devoted her career to promoting resilience in children and families who have experienced trauma, loss, and adversity. Dr. Griese co-founded Judi's House and JAG Institute, spearheading the organization's research and trauma-informed programs. She served as CEO before transitioning to her current role on the Board of Directors.

Dr. Griese regularly publishes and presents nationally on childhood bereavement, trauma, and preventive interventions that support healthy developmental trajectories. She has served on several boards and advisory bodies and is currently an assistant clinical professor in the Department of Family Medicine at the University of Colorado.

Jessica Maitland Mayo,

Chief Executive Officer

Jessica Maitland Mayo is the Chief Executive Officer of Judi's House/JAG Institute. She joined the organization in 2019 and brought with her a heartfelt passion for making a difference in the lives of those around her and within her community.

For nearly 30 years, she has served in leadership roles within the Colorado nonprofit healthcare arena with an emphasis on strategic community engagement, developing cultures of philanthropy and building operational excellence all centered around mission-



driven outcomes. As a mother and former client of Judi's House, she authentically brings her whole self to serve grieving children and families.

Michaleen (Micki) Burns, Ph.D.

Chief Clinical Officer

Micki Burns, Ph.D. is the Chief Clinical Officer of Judi's House/JAG Institute. She is a Licensed Psychologist with 18 years' experience providing assessment and therapeutic support to families facing adversity. In her work, she has witnessed the lasting, negative impacts of unaddressed grief.

Micki is dedicated to ensuring that appropriate care is available for all and raising childhood bereavement to a level of critical public importance. She oversees Judi's House and JAG's core initiatives—Direct Service, Evaluation and Research, and Training and Education—that work towards the organization's vision that no child should be alone in grief.

Julie Scott

Director of Philanthropy and Communications

As director of philanthropy and communications, Julie leads fundraising, communications and awareness activities for Judi's House/JAG Institute. She brings more than 20 years of marketing, communications, and fundraising experience to her role.

A member of Public Relations Society of American (PRSA) and PRSA Colorado since 2002, Scott served as president for the Colorado chapter's 500+ members in 2014. Scott's work in the nonprofit healthcare sector has also been acknowledged by PRSA Colorado and Colorado Healthcare Communicators.