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SPelman COLLEGE
TENNESSEE STATE UNIVERSITY
UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS
UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND EASTERN SHORE
UNIVERSITY OF TENNESSEE AT CHATTANOOGA
VIRGINIA STATE UNIVERSITY
VOORHEES COLLEGE
WOR-WIC COMMUNITY COLLEGE
The National Association of African American Honors Programs (NAAAHP) began in May, 1990, when a group of Honors directors from approximately 20 Historically and Predominantly Black Colleges and Universities (HBCUs and PBCUs) met at Morehouse College in Atlanta, Georgia, to discuss plans for a national organization of honors programs designed to address the specific needs of honors education for African-American students. The following year, the NAAAHP was formally established, and a set of goals was designed to promote the continued empowerment of its constituents (students) through enhanced cognitive and affective experiences.

These goals include the following:

- Developing, enhancing, and supporting honors programs in all HBCUs and PBCUs;
- Stimulating, encouraging community service and leadership as one of the highest aims;
- Advocating the funding of honors programs by federal and state agencies, as well as by private philanthropic foundations and organizations;
- Facilitating the enrollment of African-American students into graduate and professional schools;
- Promoting a curriculum that fosters a lifelong disciplined approach to knowledge and scholarship through inquiry and exploration; and
- Developing an undergraduate educational environment that promotes scholarship, knowledge, and an appreciation of African-American culture as a mirror for understanding other great world cultures.

These goals further emphasized the need for empathetic responsiveness on the part of these constituents, who through inspiration from this organization were encouraged to serve as catalysts for instigating a better way of life in their communities, the nation, and the world. The inaugural meeting for the newly established organization was held at Morehouse College, Atlanta, GA in October 1991.

The NAAAHP Annual National Conference is the organization’s premier activity. It takes place in the fall of each year for approximately three days. The honors directors from each affiliated school meet periodically, at least four times each year, to plan and execute activities geared at hosting a successful conference. The Annual Conference is hosted in various cities across the United States where an affiliated school is located. The NAAAHP Annual Conference is funded through donations and dues paid by affiliated institutions and students at affiliated schools.

The conference is an opportunity for students from NAAAHP affiliated schools around the country to gather for networking, academic competitions, scholarly research presentations, community service, and educational/professional enrichment opportunities.

The main feature of the conference is student research both oral and poster board presentations. Other activities that take place at the NAAAHP Annual Conference have included the following:

- An Academic Quiz Bowl where students from each affiliated school with a participating team compete against one another to test their knowledge of a wide body of information;
- An "Honors Got Talent" competition where students get to demonstrate various talents and compete to win prizes;
- A Debate Competition where students from affiliated schools with a participating team compete in debate regarding intellectual, political, and social issues;
- The awarding of the Dr. Freddye T. Davy Humanitarian and Service Award Scholarship to a deserving student from one of the affiliated school honors programs (the students must apply for consideration and meet the criteria set forth by the NAAAHP);
- A Model African United Nations event where students from affiliated schools are engaged in a political simulation experience;
- Professional Development Seminars and Workshops for faculty and students;
- A Career and Graduate School Fair where high level students network with graduate schools, corporations and businesses for summer research opportunities, internships, graduate admissions and job opportunities; and
- A celebratory Award Banquet where the Dr. Freddye T. Davy Humanitarian and Service Award Scholarship is awarded, and where faculty and students of the affiliated schools celebrate their conference competition accomplishments, as well as those achieved throughout the year.
DR. RONALD J. SHEEHY entered Morehouse College at the age of 16, and graduated in 1965 with a Bachelor of Science Degree in Biology. He earned a Master of Science Degree at Atlanta University, and a Ph.D. in molecular genetics at the University of Tennessee, Oak Ridge Graduate School of Biomedical Sciences. After completing the Ph.D., he was awarded a postdoctoral fellowship at the Public Health Research Institute in New York, where he worked with Dr. Richard Novick one of the leaders in the field of plasmid genetics.

Following his postdoctoral years, Dr. Sheehy returned to his alma mater to begin his professional career. In succession, he was appointed Chair of the Department of Biology, promoted to full professor and awarded the David E. Packard Endowed Chair in Biology.

In 1984, Dr. Sheehy was appointed founding dean of the Benjamin Banneker Honors College at Prairie View A&M University. The Honors College was the first of its kind on a historically black campus, and one of only a few in the country. It was designed to raise the profile of the University, as well as to bring a talented cadre of students majoring in science and technical fields to Prairie View.

After six years as dean, Dr. Sheehy was appointed Vice President for Academic Affairs at Lincoln University in Pennsylvania. A few years later, he returned to Atlanta to accept the position of Associate Executive Director, with the Commission on Colleges, of the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools (SACS). In this latter capacity, he was responsible for overseeing the accreditation of colleges and universities in the southern region of the United States. After seven years at SACS, he was appointed Vice President for Academic and Student Affairs at Georgia Perimeter College in Atlanta, where he led the reaccreditation effort.

In the latter stages of his career, he returned to his alma mater, Morehouse College, where he directed a successful SACS review and chaired the Quality Enhancement Plan, a five-year program to enhance the global competence of Morehouse students. Also, during this period he published a memoir, "Possibilities: A Search for Personal Liberation."

In the last few years, he relocated to Florida as Director of International Affairs at the University of South Florida St. Petersburg. He retired from this position in December 2013.

As a retiree, Dr. Sheehy stays busy as founder and editor of a website devoted to disseminating "Important Current Stories on Race in America" raceinquiry.com and a subsidiary, Race Inquiry Digest.
DR. JOCELYN JACKSON has been associated with Honors since 1973. She received the B.A. from Boston University in English in 1960, the M.A. from Georgetown University in English and French in 1966, and the Ph.D. in Comparative Literature from Emory University in 1973.

Dr. Jackson's first teaching job after college was in the language laboratory of Claflin College in Orangeburg, South Carolina. In 1963, she moved to Atlanta where she was employed at Clark College as an instructor in English language and literature.

In 1973, the then-president of Clark College, Vivian Wilson Henderson charged Dr. Jackson with researching and founding the Clark College Honors Program. Based on models and assistance offered by several existing programs (including Alcorn State, Tennessee State, and Howard University), Dr. Jackson began the University's Honors Program in the fall of 1974. For 13 years, Clark's Honors Program flourished and was responsible for singular honors to both students and faculty alike. Under her mentorship, 3 of her students have been chosen as participants' in the NCHC Semesters Program, several faculty and students have successfully held office in the NCHC and SRHC, and Dr. Jackson herself, was chosen by vote for a three-year presidential term of the NCHC. When Dr. Jackson joined the faculty at Morehouse College in 1987, she left a highly visible and successful program at Clark under the leadership of Dr. Isabella Jenkins.

Dr. Jackson served on the board of the Prairie View Honors College from 1986-92. She and the dean of the Honors College there, Dr. Ronald J. Sheehy, began talks in 1989 on the necessity of an African-American Honors organization that would serve the specific needs of African-American Honors students and faculty. In late 1989, Dr. Sheehy drafted a statement as the foundation for such an organization. He and Dr. Jackson summoned almost 20 Honors directors to the Morehouse campus in May 1990 where the new organization was chartered. Since the formation of the Association, new colleges have affiliated with the NAAAHP.

Dr. Jackson has consulted with and visited a total of 18 Honors Programs from 1971 – 1995. She has worked with the SRHC, the NCHC (as three year elected Board of Directors member) and the NAAAHP as a sponsor of student presenters at these national conferences. While on the campus of Morehouse College, she completed two three-year terms as an elected faculty representative to the Morehouse College Board of Trustees and taught Honors Composition, Honors World Literature, the English Department’s Literary Form, and Survey of African-American Literature.
MEMBERSHIP SEALS

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Greetings

28TH ANNUAL NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF AFRICAN AMERICAN HONORS PROGRAMS (NAAAH) CONFERENCE
A MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

November 6, 2019

Dear Conference Participants,

It is with great honor to welcome you to the 28th Annual National Association of African American Honors Program (NAAAHP) Conference in the international city of New Orleans, Louisiana. New Orleans is world renowned for its exquisite creole cuisine, distinct music, unique dialects, annual festivals, and last but not least Mardi Gras.

The theme for this year's conference is "Eyes on the Prize: A 400 Year Quest for Humanity, Equality and Civility." The conference will highlight the importance of revisiting our past and learning how to keep pushing forward against racial injustice, inequality, underperforming schools, healthcare, lack of affordable housing, and so much more.

We are looking forward to an exciting productive conference that has been planned by The Dolores Margaret Richard Spikes Honors College at Southern University and A&M College-Baton Rouge. The 2019 NAAAHP executive board has been working diligently to ensure an enriching and enlightening conference with activities such as a historical New Orleans tour, professional development workshops, graduate and career fair, and student presentations. As part of our events, students' present papers and posters displaying their work and research, participate in Model African Union, compete in debate and quiz bowl tournaments, as well as a talent show.

Dr. Martin L. King, Jr. stated, "The function of education is to teach one to think intensively and to think critically. Intelligence plus character—that is the goal of true education."

Through your loyal and consistent participation, I hope you will take full advantage of the opportunities this conference will provide. Additionally, I hope that you will enjoy your time here in the great city of New Orleans, Louisiana.

Again, Welcome!!!

Sincerely,

Ernie G. Pugh
NAAAHP National President 2019
Southern University and A&M College
Greetings:

On behalf of the Southern University System, I welcome you to the 28th Annual National Association of African American Honors Programs Conference. We are delighted to host such a distinguished group in New Orleans, Louisiana for their annual meeting. I am proud that we are a part of this esteemed council.

Your mission statement avows that you, the students, are instructed in the ways of leadership and service through the participation in cultural enrichment, community service, and the annual career and graduate school expositions. This year’s theme, “Eyes on the Prize: A 400 Year Quest for Humanity, Equality, and Civility,” is a fitting one as you tour the historic city of New Orleans. Nicknamed the “Big Easy,” New Orleans played an important role in the modern Civil Rights Movement of the 1950s and 1960s and is known for its festive spirit, vibrant arts scene, and the spicy, singular cuisine that reflects its history as a melting pot of French, African and American cultures.

Students, you are to be commended for your phenomenal academic achievements and maintaining honor student status at your respective institutions. I look forward to hearing about the works you showcase, and I wish you success in your endeavors. While you are at this conference, be sure to take advantage of the networking opportunities with your peers and professors, as well as some of the research on display.

Enjoy your time in the great state of Louisiana, and have a productive conference.

Ray L. Belton, Ph.D.
President-Chancellor
Southern University System

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Greetings:

On behalf of the Southern University and A&M College at Baton Rouge, and the Dolores Margaret Richard Spikes Honors College, it gives me great pleasure to extend a warm and southerly welcome to the 28th Annual Meeting of the National Association of African American Honors Programs. We are excited about the theme “Eyes on the Prize: A 400 Year Quest for Humanity, Equality, and Civility.” It is an honor to celebrate this event in the city of New Orleans, Louisiana.

The National Association of African American Honors Programs is a national academic organization that provides Honors students with opportunities to present scholarly research, network, debate, and compete academically each year at its annual conference. Students are instructed in the ways of leadership and service through the participation in community service, cultural enrichment, and the annual career and graduate school expositions.

The annual conference brings together Honors students, faculty, staff, and professionals from Historically Black Colleges and Universities, and Predominately Black Colleges and Universities, in an intellectually stimulating environment that promotes academic achievement and appreciation of African American culture. Please take advantage of the exciting and productive meetings, seminars, workshops, speakers and exhibitors planned by the Executive Board of the National Association of African American Honors Programs.

While you are in New Orleans, I hope you experience the outstanding local cultural attractions, the food and the music. New Orleans is home to the New Orleans Saints and the New Orleans Pelicans. You are sure to find New Orleans an engaging city as it has a rich culture to offer.

Again, welcome to the 28th Annual National Association of African American Honors Programs Conference, enjoy your stay in New Orleans, Louisiana and have a great conference.

Sincerely,

Karen E. Crosby, Ph.D.
Interim Dean, Dolores Margaret Richard Spikes Honors College
Professor of Mechanical Engineering, College of Sciences and Engineering
Southern University and A&M College
November 6, 2019

Greetings and welcome to the 28th Annual National Association of African American Honors Programs (NAAAHP) Conference. It gives me, once again, great pleasure and honor to serve as the National Executive Director of our historic organization.

As an honors graduate of an HBCU, Miles College, I am appreciative of the vigorous perspicacity that is shared with me from my mentors during similar academic conferences. This conference is rich with research, curiosity, competitions, talent, community service, justice, and networking that challenges our members, exhibitors, and sponsors, to reach higher while walking in purpose. The content could be overwhelming; when you leave this conference focus on two things that will help your journey towards greatness.

The Executive Council and other members of the Board of Directors have met consistently collaborating to ensure an excellent encounter that places our "Students First". The host institution, Southern University and A&M College, and our President Mr. Eric Pugh have thought strategically about every aspect of the conference. Southern has contributed resources, time, and creative energy to compose a conference fashioned after their likeness and 2018-2030 Strategic Plan. This conference produces the "New Knowledge" quality of the plan.

The City of New Orleans and the Hyatt Regency property management, along with our countless vendors have been very responsive, accommodating, and flexible. I frequently use a simple quote from a well-known author, Les Brown "Do what is easy and your life will be hard. Do what is hard and your life will become easy." The National Associate of African American Honors Programs has done what is hard so your conference and collegiate experience will be easier. Again, welcome to the 2019 NAAAHP annual conference in New Orleans.

Sincerely,

Angelia L Brooks, MBA, MAcc
NAAAHP National Executive Director 2019
Greetings,

It is an honor and a privilege to serve as National Treasurer for the National Association of African American Honors Programs and as part of this year’s conference planning committee. I bring greetings from Southern University’s Jaguar Nation and wish you a spectacular experience in the Crescent City. Our theme: “Eyes on the Prize: A 400 Year Quest for Humanity, Equality and Civility” is most appropriate, due to the issues that impact our African American communities today. As we remember our past, we continue to live for today and prepare for tomorrow. This three day event will feature lectures from renowned scholars, panelists, scientists and exhibitors from national programs, graduate and law schools. Students will participate in professional development workshops and sundry competitive student research presentations where monetary awards and prizes will be awarded. We graciously welcome participating colleges and universities from across the country.

Our honors programs are dedicated to empowering students to pursue careers in Science, Technology, Engineering, Mathematics and Liberal Arts disciplines to become productive leaders in our rapidly changing global arenas. Traditionally, this meeting has created a platform for students to present their research, compete in debate, quiz bowl, oratorical and talent shows, and to network with peers with congruent goals from top honors colleges and programs. It is my hope that at this annual meeting, you will have the opportunity to dialogue and network with others to form lifelong bonds that will strengthen chances for future employment and continued intellectual growth.

The NAAAHP Executive Board of Directors, Dolores M. R. Spikes Honors College faculty and staff, along with planning committee have worked diligently to ensure that you have a wonderful visit to the Mardi Gras capital of the world. Overall, Southern University and A&M College’s profound commitment to excellence will be exhibited as we extend our hospitality and highlight the culture and heritage of Louisiana. If you need any assistance, Southern University Honors College ambassadors are nearby to answer questions and make your experience one you will never forget. Wishing you all the best! Laissez le bon temps rouler! "Let the good times roll!"

Sincerely,

Deadra James Mackie
Deadra James Mackie, National Treasurer
National Association of African American Honors Programs
# 28th Annual Conference Schedule

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| 10:30 A.M. – 12:00 NOON | NAAHP & NCHC Collaboration Meeting | Sheraton New Orleans Hotel  
500 Canal Street, New Orleans, LA  70130 |
| 1:00 P.M. – 3:00 P.M. | Black Heritage and Jazz New Orleans Tour  
(Ticket Not Included in Registration Fee) | **Description**  
- Ticket price - $23 per student (discounted price)  
- Three complimentary chaperones per bus, (up to nine)  
- Three Coach Buses Will Be Provided  
- Three Tour Guides Will Be Provided  
- Max cap 54 people per bus  
**Pickup Location:**  
Hyatt Regency New Orleans  
601 Loyola Avenue  
New Orleans, LA  70113 |
| 3:00 P.M. – 6:00 P.M. | Conference Registration | Empire Foyer East, 2nd Floor  
Hyatt Regency New Orleans |
| 5:30 P.M. – 7:30 P.M. | Opening Welcome Program  
(Reception/Plated Dinner) | Empire A, 2nd Floor  
Hyatt Regency New Orleans |
| 8:00 P.M. – 10:00 P.M. | Student Mixer | Empire A, 2nd Floor  
Hyatt Regency New Orleans |
| 9:00 P.M. – 11:00 P.M. | Faculty Roundtable Meeting | Bolden 6, 2nd Floor  
Hyatt Regency New Orleans |
| **Thursday, November 7, 2019** | **Hyatt Regency New Orleans – New Orleans, LA** |                                               |
| 7:30 A.M. – 7:00 P.M. | Conference Registration | Empire Foyer East, 2nd Floor  
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| 8:00 A.M. – 8:30 A.M. | Orientation for Poster Boards & Presentations | Bolden 1, 2nd Floor  
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Eric G. Pugh is a Program Associate and Recruiter for the Dolores Margaret Richard Spikes Honors College at Southern University and A&M College-Baton Rouge. He teaches Honors Colloquium and Professional Development at the institution. Mr. Pugh serves as Assistant Campus Coordinator for the Thurgood Marshall Leadership Institute, Chairman of the Southern University and A&M College Homecoming Ecumenical Service, Faculty Representative for the Southern University Study Abroad Programs, Advisor for the Honors Students Association and Chairman of the Southern University and A&M College Founders' Day Convocation. He continues to serve a strong and positive role model for black men and college students. Mr. Pugh continues to promote academic excellence and scholarship in honors. He also serves as mentor for many students at Southern University and A&M College.

The president is an active member of Jno G. Lewis, Jr. Lodge #261 and the Beta Iota Lambda Chapter of Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc. He currently serves as the advisor for Jno. G Lewis, Jr. Lodge #261 and the Beta Sigma Chapter of Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc., and as the Assistant Coach for the National Association of African American Honors Programs. Additionally, he is heavily involved in community service and outreach programs, locally and internationally.

Mr. Pugh received his Bachelor of Science (BS) in Business Marketing in 1991 and his Masters in Public Administration (MPA) in 1993. Currently, he has a few hours towards his doctorate degree in Public Administration. He has dedicated over 25 years at Southern University in the Dolores Margaret Richard Spikes Honors College. He is a proud legacy with family attending this institution for over 80 years. The president continues to be dedicated to his students and his institution.
2019 NAAAHP WELCOME RECEPTION

HYATT REGENCY NEW ORLEANS
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PRESIDING
MRS. DEADRA JAMES MACKIE, NAAAHP NATIONAL TREASURER

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QUIZ BOWL WITH HCASC

Designed to help prepare and increase performance at the HONDA Campus All-Star Challenge (HCASC) Tournaments, the NAAHP Quiz Bowl Competition will simulate the HCASC Game Play format. Quiz Bowl Teams consists of four (4) students per college/university, whereas a minimum of three (3) must play each game session. The goal of competition is for each team to accumulate the most points during their match, and secondly, to prevent the amount of points accumulated by their opponent. [www.hcasc.com]

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SOUTHERN UNIVERSITY AND A&M COLLEGE
SPELMAN COLLEGE
VIRGINIA STATE UNIVERSITY
VOORHEES COLLEGE
TOURNAMENT OFFICIALS
1. Each tournament will have a tournament Director. All decisions of the tournament director and his or her designees are final.
2. Each game will have a moderator. The moderator will read the questions, enforce time limits, supervise the clock, determine the correctness of responses, award and deduct points, and otherwise enforce the rules of competition.
3. Other officials may be provided to assist the moderator with his or her duties including, but not limited to, keeping a running score, recognizing players that signal, and supervising the clock.
4. The moderator may consult with other game officials or tournament officials at any time to determine the correctness of an answer or the proper application of these rules. If the moderator and other game officials disagree, the decision rests with the moderator in consultation with the tournament director.

PARTICIPANTS
1. A team can consist of as many players as an institution would like to designate. However only 4 players may participate in an individual game. Teams must play with a minimum of three players.
2. Each team will designate a captain prior to the beginning of each match. The captain has precedence when answering bonus questions and is expected to be the primary student spokesperson for the team.
3. Once a game begins, a team may not substitute players. The only exception made is in case of illness.

QUESTIONS
1. Each game uses tossup questions worth 10 points each and bonus question(s) worth 20 points.
2. Whenever a player answers a tossup question correctly, his or her team earns the chance to immediately hear a bonus question (except in overtime).
3. If the question answer is, a person player’s are encouraged to give the last name only. If a player provides the correct last name but an incorrect first name, the answer will be counted as incorrect. On an answer, more information may be required and the moderator will ask one time for more information. If at that time the exact correct answer is not given, the response will be counted as incorrect.
4. Pronunciation: If an answer is mispronounced but in the moderator’s judgment the player was answering the question correctly it will be counted as correct. This is up to the discretion of the moderator and game officials in the room at the time.

TIME
1. The tournament director may declare that a team has forfeited a match should it fail to appear on time, or if the team is otherwise unable or unwilling to compete in accordance with the tournament rules.
2. The game is played in two eight-minute halves. Once a tossup question is read, it will be completed and the teams will be given a chance to answer. If one of the team answers it correctly, they will be given a chance at the bonus question.

TOSSES
1. A player may signal to answer a tossup question at any point after the moderator has begun reading the question. Only one player per team may signal to answer each tossup question. A player who signals before the question has been read in its entirety is said to have interrupted the tossup.
2. When a player has signaled, a game official will acknowledge the player by name, by number, by pointing toward the player, or merely by looking at the player. Players must wait to be recognized before answering a question. Answers given prior to recognition will be counted as incorrect.

3. If a player signals before the moderator has finished reading the question, the moderator will stop at that point. If the response given is incorrect, the moderator will finish the question for the other team only (if the other team is still eligible to answer the question). The moderator should not reread the entire question, but should resume as close as possible to the point at which the signal occurred.
4. An answer to a tossup must begin within 2 seconds after the player has been recognized. An answer begun after the moderator has said “Time” will be treated as no answer. Ties between the player and the moderator calling time are decided in favor of the player.
5. Players have 3 seconds to signal after the moderator has finished reading the tossup. If the player answers incorrectly, the other team (if it is eligible to answer), will then have 3 more seconds to signal.
6. There is a 5-point interrupt penalty (neg five or minus five) if the first team interrupts a tossup with an incorrect response. A subsequent incorrect interrupt by the second team does not result in another penalty.
7. If during a tossup question, members of a team speak to or look at each other that will be counted as conferring and they will not be allowed to answer that question. This will also be enforced if the other team buzzes in and is attempting to answer the question. If they have already buzzed in before the question has finished they will lose five points. The question will then be read, where it was interrupted, for the other team.

BONUSES
1. Teams may confer on bonus questions. It is recommended that the captain give the answer for the team or clearly indicate who will give the answer. The moderator, however, will take the first answer unambiguously directed at him or her. If conflicting answers are directed at the moderator, they will accept the first answer or if simultaneous will accept the captain’s answer.
2. A team has 5 seconds to answer each part of a bonus question, unless otherwise noted by the question. After reading each part, the moderator will prompt the team for an answer after 4 seconds. Once prompted, someone on that team must begin answering, or the captain must immediately designate the person who will answer.
3. Bonus questions should not be interrupted. The moderator will ignore answers until that part of the bonus that he/she is reading has been read fully.
Reading immediately, award any points earned on parts that were heard, and begin the next tossup question. In this case, the moderator should not read the correct answers to the skipped parts.
4. If a bonus question calls for multiple answers, the response must be given as a continuous list. Any pause of 1 second ends the response. The moderator will not prompt a team to complete a partial response.
5. If a moderator inadvertently reveals the answer to a part of a bonus before the team has answered another question will be substituted for that question in its entirety.

PROTESTS
1. A protest is a request for clarification and (if necessary) correction of an error. Appropriate subject matter for protests includes:
   a. The proper evaluation of a response.
   b. The correctness of the clues in a question (e.g., there was no correct answer to that question because the clues were contradictory.), or
   c. The proper application of game rules (e.g., the moderator accepted an answer from a different player than the one who buzzed.)
2. Protests may only be lodged by the official coach or by a player in the game when the alleged error occurred.
   All protests must be made at the end of the round, which they occurred. The game will not be stopped but will continue until the end of the round.
   The moderator will consult with game officials and if necessary the tournament director. The decisions of the tournament officials are final.

PLAYOFFS
The format of the tournament is dependent on the final number of teams. There will be a playoff format. The seeding in the playoffs will be done by won/lose record. In case of tiebreakers, the first tiebreaker will be head-to-head competition between teams. The second tiebreaker will be points per tossup. (This will be a division of a team’s total scores in their games by the number of tossups they heard in the tournament leading up to the playoffs.)
THE GREAT DEBATE

RESOLVED: The Federal Communication Commission (FCC) should dismantle net neutrality regulations.

Debate teams shall consist of three students per college/university, whereas a minimum of two participants must orally contribute to the competition. The goal of competitors is for each team to accumulate the most points during their match.

FORMAT FOR THE DEBATE

OFFICIAL DEBATE TOPIC: Resolved: The Federal Communication Commission (FCC) should dismantle net neutrality regulations.

I. CONSTRUCTIVE SPEECH (5 MINUTES)  II. REBUTTAL SPEECH (3 MINUTES)  III. SUMMARY (5 MINUTES)

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CONTENT OF SPEECHES: The primary function of the affirmative team is to promote adoption of the resolution, demonstrated in a three-part approach.

1. Demonstrate a need for the resolution.
2. Outline and explain a plan for enacting the resolution.
3. Discuss advantages and benefits resulting from the plan.

The primary function of the negative team is to refute the specific case presented by the affirmative team. The negative team should:

1. Address/refute the need for the resolution.
2. Address/refute plan presented by the affirmative.
3. Address/refute advantages and benefits presented by the affirmative.
EVALUATION CRITERIA:

ARGUMENTATION (15): Does the debater provide sufficient content and justification of their case, with either the factual evidence or logic? Does the debater recognize, understand and focus on the key arguments? Are the debater’s arguments easy to follow and well organized? Does the debater present all key elements of a debater – evidence, refutation, and presentation?

EVIDENCE (5): Does the debater use credible evidence to support their arguments? Does the evidence meet the standard of acceptability? Is the evidence relevant to the debater’s argument?

REFUTATION (5): How effectively and how thoroughly does the debater refute their opponent’s case and defend their own argument?

PRESENTATION (5): Is the delivery persuasive? Is the debater speaking or merely reading a speech? How effective is the eye contact, gestures etc.? Does the voice vary suitably, hold audience’s attention and enhance the arguments?

DEDUCTIONS: Any speech, constructive or rebuttal that exceeds the prescribed time limits by 15 seconds will incur a 5-points deduction.

In the event scores are the same, team records will decide the tiebreaker. A final tiebreaker will be Affirmative only - Resolved: Considering the population most HBCUs serve, institutions registered as HBCUs should receive reparations. This topic will be used in the case for tie-breakers only.*

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THE GREAT EIGHT

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FLORIDA A&M UNIVERSITY
HAMPTON UNIVERSITY
LINCOLN UNIVERSITY
MILES COLLEGE
MORGAN STATE UNIVERSITY
SOUTHERN UNIVERSITY AND A&M COLLEGE
UNIVERSITY OF TENNESSEE AT CHATTANOOGA

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DEBATE TOPIC:
Recently, the fetal heartbeat law has threatened to overturn of Roe vs. Wade with approximately 13 states planning to sign it into law. Pending the approval of the Supreme Court, the fetal heartbeat bill should be signed into law throughout the United States with no exceptions.

TIE BREAKER TOPIC:
It has long been noted that imprisoned individuals and ex-felons are still considered as citizens of the United States, however, due to their unproductive negative actions, they should not ever regain the right to vote.
GRADUATE SCHOOL AND CAREER FAIR EXHIBITORS

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Brown School at Washington University in St. Louis
Clemson University Master of Resilient Urban Design
Columbia University School of International and Public Affairs
Drexel University
Duquesne University School of Law
Emory University, Laney Graduate School
George Washington University, Elliott School of International Affairs
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St. Jude Children’s Research Hospital Graduate School for Biomedical Sciences
Tennessee State University
The Ohio State University College of Public Health
The University of Chicago Divinity School
The University of Mississippi Graduate School
Tulane School of Architecture
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UC San Diego
University of Arkansas Graduate School
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MODEL AFRICAN UNION GENERAL ASSEMBLY RULES AND DELIBERATIONS

1. The Director, who is both the Moderator of the NAAHP Model African Union and the President of the General Assembly (GA) will call the meeting to order, after a brief introduction and overview. At this time the Director will call the roll, after which point he/she will announce to the GA the number of delegations present.

2. Each day of the conference there will be a plenary session that all delegates will attend. All resolutions drafted by delegates will be presented, discussed, debated, and voted upon. Each nation will have one vote. Delegates will begin each session by setting the agenda, opening the agenda items, moving through the agenda items, closing the agenda items, and adjourning.

3. At the beginning of the plenary, there can be a motion for caucusing to discuss the issues. Once in committees there can be a motion to suspend the meeting for 5-10 minutes to caucus. (The individual chairs will rule on the soundness of the motion and rule on the parameters of the motion). At this time delegates will discuss informally amongst themselves the issues of the committee. Delegates should familiarize themselves with the position papers each delegation should have submitted and will be made available to the delegates at the conference.

4. Any ideas for resolutions should be made to other nations at the time of caucusing. Delegates from various nations should get together to jointly work on resolutions as well as propose and debate amendments to the resolutions being discussed by the committee. Amendments to a resolution can alter language, or add, and or delete provisions of a resolution.

5. After caucusing the chair(s) will open the speaker’s list. The chair will recognize raised placards as motions to be added to the speaker’s list to speak in favor or against any of the resolutions. The time for each speaker will be established by the delegates at the beginning of the session subject to the discretion of the chair. Once this is set the Chair will only allow one motion per session to change the time of debate. It is recommended by the Director that ideally the speaker’s time should be either 2-3 minutes to move debate along. However debate time is up to the committee. Each nation may speak as many times as it likes or time will allow, however it must ask to be placed on the speakers list again after it has spoken. Delegates may motion to open or close the speakers list and at that point the chair will bring it to a vote. Once the speakers list is exhausted resolutions will be voted on or tabled.

6. Voting: Nations must vote yes, no or abstention on substantive votes. No abstentions are allowed on procedural votes (Note: Direct any inquiries in writing on this issue to the Chair). Abstentions do not count as voting in favor of a resolution, thus they do not determine the passage of a resolution. Passage of a resolution comes with a majority vote.

7. After all resolutions have been voted upon there will be no more voting or debate on any topic, and the Chair will entertain a motion to adjourn the meeting which will pass with a simple majority vote.

8. Points of order may be made, but they must relate directly to matters of procedure or order (e.g. a delegate may take a point of order if the assembly is disruptive and if they cannot hear the debate or motion at hand). At this point the Chair would call for decorum in the chamber.

9. Motions may occur at any time that the Chair has not recognized a nation on the speaker’s list and asked that nation to address the committee. Therefore, motions should come at the beginning or end of the session or between speakers. Members will be recognized by the Chair by raising their placards.

10. English or any indigenous African language will be the working languages of this General Assembly. Delegates wishing to address the body in an indigenous African language, should provide an English interpreter. Culturally appropriate professional dress by the delegates and General Assembly officials is required. Delegates may wear the professional dress of the country’s they are representing. Delegates are urged to maintain decorum at all times and to treat each other, as well as General Assembly officials, with professionalism and respect.

7 POINTS AND MOTIONS

• **Point of Information** - After a delegate has given a speech in formal debate, he or she may yield time to points of information, or questions from other delegates concerning the speech.

• **“Point of Order”** - Points of order are used when delegates believe the chair has made an error in the running of the committee. Delegates rising to points of order may not speak on the substance of the matter under discussion. They should only specify the errors they believe were made in the formal committee procedure.

• **“Point of Inquiry”** - When the floor is open (no other delegate is speaking), a delegate may rise to a point of inquiry in order to ask the chairperson a question regarding the rules of procedure.

• **“Point of Personal Privilege”** - Points of personal privilege are used to inform the chairperson of a physical discomfort a delegate is experiencing (i.e., inability to hear another delegate’s speech).

• **“Table Debate”** - This motion must not be confused with the motion to adjourn the meeting. Tabling debate ends debate on the topic. Delegates can table debate, move on to another topic and return to the first topic at a later time. Before going to a vote, two delegates must speak in favor of tabling debate and two speak against it.

• **“Close Debate”** - Closing debate allows the committee to move into voting procedure. Once a delegate feels that his or her country’s position has been made clear, that there are enough draft resolutions on the floor and that all other delegates are ready, he or she can move for the closure of debate. Two delegates usually speak against the closure of debate. None speak for it.

• **“Appeal the Chair’s Decision”** - This motion is made when a delegate feels that the chairperson has made an incorrect decision. The appeal must first be made in writing.

• **“Suspend the Meeting”** - Suspending the meeting means calling for a moderated or unmoderated caucus. When moving to suspend the meeting, delegates should specify the purpose for and length of the suspension. This motion requires an immediate vote.

• **“Adjourn Meeting”** - Adjourning the meeting ends the committee session until the next session, which may be held the following year. The motion is most commonly made to end a committee session for the purpose of lunch or dinner. It requires an immediate vote.
MODEL AFRICAN UNION 2019

HYATT REGENCY NEW ORLEANS
NEW ORLEANS, LOUISIANA

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 7, 2019
BOLDEN ROOM 5, 2ND FLOOR
8:30 A.M. – 10:30 A.M.
ORIENTATION
ROLL CALL
ROLES AND RESPONSIBILITIES  EXECUTIVE COUNCIL MEETING

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BOLDEN ROOMS 4 AND 6, 2ND FLOOR
1:00 P.M. – 4:00 P.M.
EXECUTIVE COUNCIL AND COMMITTEE SESSIONS

AGENDA

• Chair Convenes Meeting, Introduction of Resolutions, Assigns Resolutions to Committee  Debate in Committee, Consolidate Resolutions
• Committee on Peace and Security  Committee on Economic Matters
  Committee on Social Matters
• Committee on Democracy, Governance  and Human Rights
• Committee on Pan-Africanism and Continental Unity

CRISIS RESOLUTION
2019 NAAAHP ANNUAL BUSINESS MEETING

HYATT REGENCY NEW ORLEANS
NEW ORLEANS, LOUISIANA

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 7, 2019
EMPIRE A, 2ND FLOOR
4:30 P.M. – 6:00 P.M.

PRESIDING
MRS. ANGELIA BROOKS, NAAAHP NATIONAL DIRECTOR

AGENDA

I. Opening Prayer
II. 2019 NAAAHP Officers Report
   A. Mrs. Angelia Brook, National Executive Director
   B. Mr. Eric G. Pugh, President
   C. Dr. Kenneth Jones, Vice President
   D. Ms. Janelle Green, Assistant Vice President
   E. Mrs. Adra Barrows, National Secretary
   F. Mrs. Deadra James Mackie, National Treasurer
III. Proposals
   A. Regional Directors
   B. President Terms (2 years, beginning with 2019 President)
IV. Elections of 2020 Officers

AVAILABLE STUDENT OFFICES
Miss NAAAHP
Mr. NAAAHP
Assistant Vice President
Assistant Secretary-Treasurer
Public Relations

AVAILABLE PROFESSIONAL OFFICES
President
Vice President
Treasurer
Secretary

Create a two-minute video stating your name, institution, title, and why you are vying for the position. Be sure to include a platform.

By-Laws are available at https://www.naaahp.org/membership
Deadra James Mackie, a professor at Southern University and A&M College, teaches in the Department of Biological Sciences and Chemistry and the Dolores Margaret Richard Spikes Honors College. She is unapologetically a student advocate who supports young adults in every way possible. A naïve of Baton Rouge, Louisiana, growing up across the tracks from the university, never did she think she would have the pleasure of training young minds and becoming a part of her renowned alma mater.

Mackie is an active member of several organizations like the National Institute of Science, the National Association of College Honor Societies, Society of Toxicology, Southern University Academic Honors Day Program Committee and Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Inc. She serves on sundry boards that include Beta Kappa Chi Scientific Honor Society- Executive Secretary, Honda Campus All-Star Challenge- Coach as well as the National Association of African American Honors Programs- Treasurer, to name a few.

Mrs. Mackie received two Bachelor of Science Degrees from Louisiana State University, in Microbiology and Zoology; she later completed her Masters of Science Degree in Biology from Southern University and further studies from the School of the Coast and the Environment at LSU. After working at the university for 25 years, she serves as a true student advocate and enjoys advising and working with them on all levels. She has a true dedication which vehemently shows her passion for Pure and Applied Sciences.

She is married to her best friend, Kenneth R. Mackie.
AGENDA

- Committee on Peace and Security
- Committee on Economic Matters
- Committee on Social Matters
- Committee on Democracy, Governance and Human Rights
- Committee on Pan-Africanism and Continental Unity

CRISIS RESOLUTION

PRESENTATION OF CERTIFICATES

CLOSING OF SESSION
2019 NAAAHP AWARDS CEREMONY

HYATT REGENCY NEW ORLEANS
NEW ORLEANS, LOUISIANA

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 9, 2019
EMPIRE A, 2ND FLOOR
8:00 A.M. – 10:00 A.M.

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PRESIDING
MRS. DEADRA JAMES MACKIE, NAAAHP NATIONAL TREASURER

PROGRAM

OPENING PRAYER
Melvin Emery III, Chaplain
Southern University and A&M College-Baton Rouge
Honors Students Association

CREATIVE SELECTION
Talent Showcase Winner

GRACE
Angelia Brooks, NAAAHP National Director

~ BREAKFAST IS SERVED ~

AWARDS RECOGNITION
Eric G. Pugh, NAAAHP President, 2019

PRESENTATION
2019 Quiz Bowl, Oratorical, Model UN and Debate Winners

THE NAAAHP TRANSITION
Eric G. Pugh, NAAAHP President, 2019

INTRODUCTION OF EXECUTIVE MEMBERS
Angelia Brooks, NAAAHP National Director, 2019

CLOSING REMARKS
Eric G. Pugh, NAAAHP President, 2019

2019 EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING

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NEW ORLEANS, LOUISIANA
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In August 1619, 20 odd stolen and enslaved Africans were taken to Point Comfort in the English colony of Virginia whereas this site is now part of the National Park Service Registry as Fort Monroe National Monument. Considering the notion of Black presence in America before this time, and the mass of organizations commemorating 400 years of Black History in America to include the 400 Years of African-American History Commission Act; how would you address/what advice would you give to millennials serving in the present-age about Black History in America? Present a seven – ten minutes oration in response to the question that will demonstrate knowledge, research, and oral delivery.

**CONTENT**
1. Originality, freshness, directness, application of knowledge on topic
2. Skill in selecting examples, description, analogies, specific data
3. Logical structure (correctness of inference)
4. Comprehensiveness of knowledge, knows the subject matter

**LANGUAGE SKILLS**
1. Appropriate word arrangement and transitions
2. Appropriate vocabulary and grammar
3. Understandable (rhythm, intonation, accent)
4. Voice projection and diction

**ORGANIZATION**
1. Gets attention with opener
2. Clear Introduction
3. Body with a minimum of three points documented and/or supported
4. Memorable conclusion that brings points to a close

**MASTERY OF THE SUBJECT**
1. Pertinence to topic
2. Depth of commentary
3. Spoken, not read

**OVERALL IMPRESSION**
1. Interesting and motivating
2. Professional appearance

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Dr. Kevin L. James is a graduate of Louisiana State University where she received her a Bachelor of Arts degree in Political Science with a minor in History in 1987. Kevin went on to pursue a Master of Arts degree from Southern University A&M College in Mass Communications and continued to advance her education by obtaining Juris Doctorate Degree from the Southern University Law Center. Kevin has been a licensed practicing attorney for over 23 years and has Law firms in Baton Rouge, Louisiana, and New Roads Louisiana. Kevin practices primarily in the areas of Personal Injury, Employment Law and Civil rights violations as well as Criminal Law in both State and Federal Law Jurisdictions.

She is a self-proclaimed political activist and has previously participated in Judicial campaigns hoping to balance the imbalances of the legal systems throughout the Judicial Districts of this state.

In addition, Kevin holds an adjunct professorship as a staff member of the Southern University Law Center where she instructs and mentors young lawyers throughout the State of Louisiana. She is also a licensed minister of the Gospel.
BRENDA MARIE OSBEY is not just a poet from New Orleans; rather, she is the poet of New Orleans. Osbey is a native New Orleanian, and her work has been colored from the start by Louisiana’s extraordinarily mixed, Creole culture. Congo rhythms, the disciplined improvisations of Provençal troubadour and jazz musician blend in the vernacular heartbeat of her best poems.

She was named the first peer-selected Poet Laureate of the State of Louisiana in 2005. During her two-year tenure of service, she toured the United States presenting weekly poetry readings, lectures, and symposia advocating the rebuilding of New Orleans and the Gulf Coast region of the United States in the wake of Hurricanes Katrina and Rita. From 2011 through 2015, she was Distinguished Visiting Professor of Africana Studies at Brown University.

She has been a resident fellow of the MacDowell Colony, Fine Arts Work Center in Provincetown, Kentucky Foundation for Women, Virginia Center for the Creative Arts, Millay Colony, Camargo Foundation, Maison Dora Maar, and the Bunting Institute of Radcliffe College, Harvard University. She has received fellowships and awards from the National Endowment for the Arts, the Louisiana Division of the Arts, New Orleans Jazz, and Heritage Foundation. Osbey is the recipient of the 2014 Langston Hughes Award as "Humanist, Artist and Steward of the Langston Hughes Legacy," and is 2018-19 Emilia Galli Struppa Fellow of Virginia Humanities.
2019 NAAAHP PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT WORKSHOPS

HYATT REGENCY NEW ORLEANS
NEW ORLEANS, LOUISIANA

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 7, 2019
BOLDEN ROOMS (TBA), 2ND FLOOR
8:00 P.M. – 10:00 P.M.

LAW SCHOOL ADMISSIONS
PRESENTER:
◆
DEXTER SMITH
College of William & Mary Law School
◆
You want to become a lawyer. What's the law application process? Learn the steps to submit a winning law school application.

APPLYING TO GRADUATE SCHOOL
PRESENTERS:
◆
GERI NEDERHOFF
Harvard Graduate School of Design

STEPHANIE PARSONS
Graduate School of Arts and Sciences

KYLENE PLANER
NYU Graduate School of Public Service
◆
Are you thinking about graduate school and wonder what it takes to get in? This informal session, led by experienced admissions professionals, will cover topics such as:
• Why should I apply to graduate school
• The application process
• The essay
• Work experience
• Internships
• How to choose recommenders
• Standardized tests
• Extracurricular activities
• Financial aid
• and more . . .
There will be time for Q&A, and representatives will be available at the Graduate School Fair.
APPLYING TO GRADUATE SCHOOL

PRESENTERS:
◆
ANGELA KARANJA AND TANAISHA BRISBON
INROADS, Inc.

◆
Is the future now? The importance of "Internships".
Learn why securing an internship is important in launching your career.

RESUME WRITING 101

PRESENTER:
◆
MRS. TAMARA FOSTER-MONTGOMERY
Southern University and A&M College-Baton Rouge
TAMARA FOSTER-MONTGOMERY - Motivational Speaker, Author, Entrepreneur, and Vocalist, who empowers scholars, employees and entrepreneurs all over North America to succeed. She is a phenomenal woman with an extraordinary message that is impacting and transforming lives. Currently she is the Director of the Career Services Center at Southern University and A&M College-Baton Rouge where she is providing leadership focused on the university’s mission and purpose. She continues to build meaningful relationships creating opportunities for growth and incorporating new technology for the program. Mrs. Foster-Montgomery sets the overall vision, strategic direction and goals for the Career Services Center. She manages a team responsible for all operations including career counseling, professional development, employer relations/recruiting/outreach, alumni engagement and technology. With experience preparing students in public and private institutions, she is skilled in managing the recruitment process in a competitive environment. Mrs. Foster-Montgomery is student-centered and dedicated to preparing students for the workforce. She has worked in all aspects of career services and has a passion for building faculty, employer and campus partnerships to ensure the academic, personal and professional growth for the students.

She holds a Bachelor of Arts degree in Political Science from the Nelson-Mandela School of Public Policy and Urban Affairs at Southern University and A&M College. Before pursuing her career at Southern University and A&M College, Mrs. Foster-Montgomery worked for Unisys Corporation, Entergy and Remington College. For 18 years, she has worked in higher education in various areas including the Southern University’s Honors College, Student Life, Financial Aid and the Office of the Vice Chancellor for Student Affairs where she served as the Interim Associate Vice Chancellor for Student Affairs.

Mrs. Foster-Montgomery is a member of several national and regional professional associations including the National Association of Colleges and Employers, Louisiana Association of Colleges and Employers (NACE), Louisiana Association of Colleges and Employers (LACE), and Southern Association of Colleges and Employers (SoACE). She is also a member of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Incorporated. Mrs. Foster-Montgomery is the CEO of Alpha and Omega Enterprises and the Founder of the Premier Professional Development & Leadership Conference for corporations and universities. She is an entrepreneur, project manager and business consultant with over 13 years of experience. Mrs. Foster-Montgomery serves on the Executive Board for the Southern University National Alumni Federation and was elected to serve as the Chaplain for the organization. She is a servant leader with a genuine heart to serve others. Mrs. Foster-Montgomery is married to Nathan Montgomery, Sr. and together they have two children.
YOLANDER ALBERT SMITH is currently the Project Manager for the grant partnership between the Southern University System and Louisiana Economic Development FastStart, representing DXC Technology. Her role is to develop a talent pipeline of Southern University students and alumni for DXC Technology and to develop long-term technology curriculum enhancements at the university. Prior to returning to her alma mater for this role, Yolander had an extensive career in systems analysis, human resources, career consulting, business development and higher education.

Yolander’s career has included leadership roles at Procter and Gamble, Wachovia Bank, Kurt Salmon Associates, INROADS, Inc., Duke University, Rice University Jones Graduate School of Business, North Carolina Central University and the National Black MBA Association. She is also the owner of Albert Career Consultants, a professional service firm specializing in leadership coaching, university admissions, career development and diversity recruiting with clients including Stanford University School of Medicine, Rice University Jones Graduate School of Business and IvyGate International Global Admissions Company.

Yolander has been a national conference speaker and training facilitator at the National Association of Colleges and Employers, the MBA Career Services and Employers Association, the National Football League Retired Players Association, Victoria’s Secret Diversity Recruiting Department and the Boston Red Sox Internship Development Program. She has also served on the Board of Directors for the North Carolina Women’s Center.

She is a graduate of Leadership Houston, the Center for Creative Leadership in North Carolina and received a Master of Science in Public Administration from Georgia State University. Her community involvement includes the Southern University Alumni Federation, Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc., Susan G. Komen Foundation, Sisters Network, National Black MBA Association, The Fort Bend Church and Women in Energy.

Yolander is married to Watkins C. Smith and they are the custodial parents of two grandchildren, Karter Fletcher and Eva Smith.
DR. LURIA SHAW YOUNG recently retired from Southern University and A&M College, the main campus of the only historically black college and university system in the nation, as the Senior Associate Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs. Most of her professional career was spent at Southern University as the Interim Executive Vice President and Provost, Interim Vice Chancellor for Student Affairs and Enrollment Management, Interim Dean of Students, Vice Provost for Academic Affairs, Interim Dean of Education, Arts and Humanities, Professor of Science Education, Program Administrator and Evaluations Coordinator. She served as a leader on several highly successful programs, including the Louis Stokes Louisiana Alliance for Minority Participation, Robert Noyce Teacher Scholarship Program, Project Modeling Inquiry Science Education and the Laser Interferometer Gravitational Wave Observatory (LIGO) Science Education Center Outreach Partnership, totaling over forty million dollars in external funding.

Dr. Young earned a baccalaureate degree in biology from Southern University and A&M College, a master’s degree and educational specialist certificate in science education from Louisiana State University and a doctorate degree in educational leadership, research and counseling from Louisiana State University. Her research interests focused on the persistence of students in higher education and minority participation in science, technology, engineering and mathematics education. Dr. Young is currently the Founder and President of the Shaw Consulting Group, a multi-faceted consulting firm.
The National Association of African American Honors Programs (NAAAHP) grants students the opportunity to present scholarly research, network, debate, and compete academically. Moreover, the organization fosters students' development in an undergraduate environment that promotes scholarship and an appreciation of African American culture. NAAAHP is proud to have instituted an annual scholarship for a deserving student.

The Dr. Freddye T. Davy Humanitarian and Service Award is instituted because of Dr. Davy's many years of service to NAAAHP and the Honors education community. Dr. Davy served as Honors Director at Hampton University from 1994 until her death in 2012. Under her leadership, The Freddye T. Davy Honors College was established at Hampton. The memorial is in the form of a scholarship to a deserving student and presented as the Dr. Freddye T. Davy Humanitarian and Service Award.

Honors directors of each active NAAAHP institution are allowed to submit one active student nominee for the award. The winner is announced at the 28th NAAAHP Annual Conference.

Eligibility:
- **Deadline:** October 14, 2019
- Student must be financially active within their Honors College/Programs (dues paid).
- Student must demonstrate service in a role within their Honors program during the 2019 school year.
- Student must hold a 3.5 cumulative GPA or higher.
- Student must be a well-rounded campus community member, actively involved in other campus organizations.
- Student should be active in community service.

Required Application Materials
- Official Undergraduate Transcript(s)
- Proof of current college enrollment for 2019 fall semester
- Three letters of recommendation
- Personal Statement
- Professional Resume'

Please mail application packages to:
Eric G. Pugh  
Program Associate/Recruiter  
Dolores Margaret Richard Spikes Honors College  
Southern University and AM College  
Post Office Box 9413  
Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70813

Please Note: Three letters of recommendation must include endorsements from an Honors director, Honors faculty, and community service supervisor.
Beloved Administrator and Professor Emerita, Dr. Beverly Dixon Wade, passed away peacefully on December 25, 2018 in Baton Rouge, Louisiana while surrounded by family and friends.

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