


BLACK ALUMNI SUMMIT
TWENTY20
 CONFERENCE


HOSTED BY **FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY BLACK ALUMNI**
"CIVIC ENGAGEMENT & LEADERSHIP"
 WITH SPECIAL GUESTS




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FEBRUARY 28 - MARCH 1
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Twenty20 Conference
 Agenda & Program

Conference Host:



FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 2020

Registration table open Location: Center for Diversity & Inclusion Training Center at Stadium Place, 493 Stadium Drive Tallahassee, FL 32306-2733	10:00 AM
Meet & Greet Lunch	11:30 AM
Welcome: Allyson Reaves Opening and Agenda Overview: Charee Williams & Ahli Moore Opening Remarks: FSU President John Thrasher Keynote Remarks: Former Tallahassee Mayor John Marks	1:00 PM
Session 1: Special Speaker Ben Crump, National Civil Rights Attorney	2:00 PM
BREAK	3:00 PM
Session 2: Mixed Small Group Breakout & Report Back <i>Transforming the Lecture into an Actionable Plan</i>	3:15 PM
BREAK	4:30 PM
Dinner at Madison Social www.madisonsocial.com 705 S Woodward Ave #101 Tallahassee, FL 32304	7:00 PM
Post-Dinner Dessert Reception at Black Student Union Viewing of 'No More Blues' art installation Artist: Cendino Teme	8:30 PM

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 29, 2020

Breakfast Agenda Review: Charee Williams Day 1 Recap: Ahli Moore Keynote Remarks: Mayor Jerry Demings Special Remarks: Joy Webb & Terry Love, Community Investment Network	8:30 AM
Session 3: Panel Discussion <i>How is/can the University be involved in Civic Engagement? What are they looking for from alumni engagement?</i>	10:00 AM
Lunch: Champions Club GROUP PICTURES	11:30 AM
Session 4: Panel Discussion <i>Mobilizing Our Communities through Alumni Associations</i>	1:00 PM
Session 5: Mixed Small Group Breakout & Report Back <i>Civic Engagement Commitment from Black Alumni</i>	2:00 PM
BREAK	3:00 PM
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Black Alumni Summit Discussion ▪ Announcement of 2021 Host ▪ Conference Close & Clean-up 	3:15 PM
Open	4:30 PM
Six Dinners: Pillars of Impact (Locations are forthcoming)	7:00 PM
Evening event at the Doubletree Hotel Rooftop Lounge	9:00 PM

SUNDAY, MARCH 1, 2020: COMMUNITY SERVICE DAY

Civic Engagement Event & Voter Registration Drive

FSU Black Student Union House: 921 W. Jefferson St 32304
Supporting organizations: Color of Change, FSU Black Student Union



10:00 AM

WRAP-UP & DEPARTURE

FSU students and alumni are welcome to remain longer, as the event will continue throughout the afternoon.

1:00 PM

PLANNING NOTES

- 1. Attire:** Be sure to pack your university gear for the conference days on Friday and Saturday (comfortable and casual with your university logos); dress to impress for our evening activities (think upscale tailgate for our nights out on the Tallahassee town), and university pride for our Community Service Day on Sunday (comfortable clothes with university logos). Don't forget to bring your university flags and swag to #CelebrateYourSchools!
- 2. Food allergies and restrictions:** Contact us at blackalumnisummit@gmail.com if you have any specific dietary restrictions.
- 3. Dinner on Friday night:** FSU Black Alumni is glad to offer a Welcome Dinner at Madison Social on Friday night, followed by a dessert reception at the Black Student Union on campus.
- 4. Dinner on Saturday night:** We will be coordinating dinner at 6 different restaurants that reflect the rich culture and spirit of Tallahassee. We decided early on to support locally owned restaurants through our conference, and dinner and beverages will be each person's individual responsibility. At each dinner, there will be facilitators leading a conversation about one of our Six Pillars of Impact and how it relates to everyone's work on campus and in their community. Sign-ups for the dinners will be available in February.
- 5. Host hotel:** The DoubleTree in Tallahassee extended our hotel block, and there are still a few rooms available. Please make your reservations here: <https://doubletree.hilton.com/en/dt/groups/personalized/T/THLAPDT-BAS-20200228/index.jhtml>.
- 6. Community Service Day:** We are planning an on-campus voter registration drive for Sunday March 1, 2020 from 10:00 am - 1:00 pm. We hope that conference attendees will be able to be a part of this service project and be moved to implement it on their own campuses throughout 2020 - that could be a really meaningful movement nationwide! If you are able to join us on Sunday, please let me know. We'll have a brief call in February to share specific details about how this exciting project will come together.

