



**DILLARD UNIVERSITY NATIONAL ALUMNI ASSOCIATION
 SPRING NATIONAL MEETING
 MAY 14, 2021
 MEETING MINUTES**

Due to the COVID-19 Pandemic, the 2021 Spring National Meeting was held on May 14, 2021 via Zoom. As this meeting was the same day as Baccalaureate¹, Shirley J. Williams-Kane, National President, pre-recorded her portions of the meeting. No roll call was completed.

Prior to the meeting start, Erica M. Williams, National First Vice President discussed the Zoom virtual meeting format with attendees around 3:05 PM Central.

Call to Order/Welcome

The Dillard University National Alumni Association May 14, 2021 National Spring 2021 meeting was called to order by Shirley J. Williams-Kane, National President, via pre-recorded message at 3:07 PM Central.

Invocation/Recognition of Deceased Alumni

Life Member Rev. Otto Duncan led the invocation. Erica M. Williams, National First Vice President recognized the deceased alumni below.

Beyond The Oaks

 <u>Past DUNAA Presidents</u>  20th Past President of DUNAA Dr. Louis W. Smith '70  24th Past President of DUNAA Dr. Cottrell Mitchell '63		 <u>Past DUNAA</u> <u>National Executive Board Members</u>  Mrs. Barbara Julian '56  Mrs. Charline Jacob '59
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Beyond The Oaks

 Mrs. Ruth Handy, '49 Clarence Lee Carter Smith, '56 Arometa Evans, '58 Leonard Washington, '61 Henry L. Irvin, Sr., '62 Willie Hudson, '68 Daryl Clark, '69 Shirley Holt-Hill, '73 Dr. Judy Smith, '75 Sharon Hudson, '88	 Dwayne Crawford, '02 Tremaine Wiley-Cobb, '06 Britney Lavell Boudreaux, '12 Garion Eave, '14 Rev. Fleet Bell Yvettes Stith Chapman Byron Cleggett '78 Johnnie B. Cunningham James Russell Westerfield, Sr. Marigold Hardesty	 Yvonne Ross Royale Wallace Julian Dr. Bruce Butler, '73 Patricia Baham, '67 Mildred Ford, '56 Herbert Bartley, '66 Richelle Soniat, '89 Harold Clay, Jr., '98
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¹ The National President represents the Association in person at Baccalaureate and Graduation.



President's Update

In a pre-recorded message, Shirley J. Williams-Kane, National President, shared an overview of the last two fiscal years based on the following slides:

2019 Executive Board Retreat



Fall 2019 Activities





Fall 2019 National Conference



2019 National Fall Conference Schedule
October 19, 2019

Time	Description
08:00	Registration/Networking
08:30	Prayer by National Chaplain Ronald Lee, National Chaplain
08:35	Welcome by National President Shirley J. Williams-Kate, National President
08:40	Welcome by Dillard University Vice President of Institutional Advancement Mara Rames, Dillard University Vice President of Institutional Advancement
08:50	Director of Alumni Relations Presentations Alyson Anderson, Dillard University Alumni Relations Director
09:05	Director of Development Presentations Kimberly L. Woodard, Dillard University Director of Development
09:20	Chapter Round Up (Chapter reports) DUNAA Chapter Presidents
09:45	Break
09:50	Breakout Session #1: Membership Quincy Jones, National Board Vice President Mark McElmish, DUNAA-New Orleans Chapter President Juliana Brown, DUNAA-Memphis Chapter President
10:30	Break
10:40	Breakout Sessions #2 and #3 will be held concurrently. Breakout Session #2: Recruitment Sharon M. White, Dillard University Director of Recruitment, Admissions & Programming Breakout Session #3: Fundraising Erin M. Williams, National Past Vice President Cheryl Reed, DUNAA-Washington, DC State President Phyllis Bell, DUNAA-New York Tri-State President
11:20	Break
11:30	Abbreviated Fall Meeting (Approval of Minutes, Financial Reports, Committee reports: Awards & Contributions and Release)
12:00	Lunch Break
01:00	Breakout Sessions #4 and #5 will be held concurrently. Breakout Session #4 - DUNAA Chapter President Breakout Session This session is for DUNAA Chapter presidents only. Breakout Session #5 - Alumni Photo-a-thon
08:30	Conference Wrap-up / Awards / Prayer



56 Registrants
5 Pre-Alumni
Volunteers

2020 Bleu Devil Classic





Early Covid Updates



Shirley J. Williams-Kane
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Chaplain

Sidney Green
Immediate Past President

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New Orleans, LA 70122

March 12, 2020

Dear DUNAA Executive Board, Board of Governors, and Members,

As you well know, the coronavirus (COVID-19) situation is evolving rapidly. Dillard University National Alumni Association is working to keep you informed and aid in navigating potential National/Chapter challenges with regards to meetings and national events. I am requesting all Chapter Presidents to review alternative methods for traditional meetings that may expose members to potential COVID-19 risks.

What You Can Do

It is best practice to stay informed and pay attention to trusted health resources such as the World Health Organization, Centers for Disease Control, and your local health authorities.

What DUNAA Members Can Do
DUNAA Members should take preventive measures, as recommended by health officials.

- Wash your hands often with soap and water for at least 20 seconds, especially after using the restroom, blowing your nose, coughing or sneezing. Also, wash your hands before eating. [Click here for the CDC's best practices for handwashing.](#)
- If you do not have immediate access to soap and water, use an alcohol-based sanitizer with at least 60% alcohol.
- Cover your cough or sneeze with a tissue, then throw the tissue away.
- If you do not have tissue available and are forced to use either a handkerchief or other type of cloth to blow your nose, either throw it away or wash it immediately. Keeping a moist piece of the fabric means keeping contaminated fabric.
- Avoid close contact with people who are sick.
- Clean and disinfect areas frequently using a spray or wipes.
- Avoid touching your eyes, nose, or mouth.

In closing, I pray that we all remain safe and healthy during this COVID-19 pandemic. And, I urge each of you to follow the above simple preventive measures as recommended by health officials.

Forever Fair Dillard,

Shirley J. Williams-Kane

Shirley J. Williams-Kane, National President



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March 27, 2020

Dear Members,

Although these are uncertain times, our belief in God will lead us. I wanted to start this communication with what I believe is true. This is a time for us to reflect on the good we can do for our families and neighbors by staying home and safe. Here are a few updates as to what is going on at Dillard University:

- The campus now has around 100 students left (down from 600 last week)
- The campus entrance has been closed (no outside persons allowed)
- The university is cleaning and sanitizing [exterior](#) to keep students safe
- All classes are now online

What can you do now?

Your gift to [give.dillard.edu](#) will be used to provide for the financial needs of the university and the students in crisis situations caused by the COVID-19 outbreak. With your gifts to the Fair Dillard Fund (unrestricted), Dillard Emergency Fund or the SAFE Fund, Dillard University has committed to helping the students with all COVID-19 related issues, including but not limited to:

- Helping students to get home
- Helping students get the technology they need to do their studies online
- Helping students to get broadband access to continue studies online
- Helping students get the supplies needed for their health and hygiene

The gifts that have been received thus far through Reunion donations, as well as personal contributions, have already helped countless students get home safely as well as providing them a means to utilize online classes. We still have a long way to go before this crisis is over, but remember, "Together We Are Strong."

Forever Fair Dillard,

Shirley J. Williams-Kane '97

Shirley J. Williams-Kane, National President



Thank you for your support!

Virtual Pride Week April 6 - 10, 2020

#DILLARDALUMNIPROUD

The Bleu Book
Alumni Business Directory

Raised \$850 from 44 donors

Dillard University National Alumni Virtual Pride Week
April 6 - 10, 2020

- April 6 - Dillard Pride Monday
- April 7 - The Network 2020: Welcoming Class of 2020
- April 8 - Let's Make A Deal: Support Alumni Businesses
- April 9 - Dillard+BCU Trivia Happy Hour with Professor Giani Clarkson
- April 10 - Midnight Breakfast with DJ Raj Smoove

FOR MORE INFORMATION & TO REGISTER, VISIT [WEAREDU.EVENTRITE.COM](#)

#DILLARDALUMNIPROUD

SHOW OFF YOUR DILLARD PRIDE

Post your photos on the #DILLARDPRIDE hashtag

PUT FIVE ON IT
OR \$15, \$25, \$50, \$100

DONATE AT LEAST \$5 DOLLARS TODAY TO DUNAA'S SCHOLARSHIP & PROGRAMMING

Visit [WeAreDU.eventrite.com](#)

Midnight Breakfast with DJ Raj Smoove

April 10, 2020 - 11 PM CT

Facebook Live/Instagram @RajSmoove

Bring your Midnight Breakfast meal and drinks!



Dillard University Virtual Degree Conferral
 May 9, 2020
 11am Central Time
 Facebook Live or Youtube
<https://www.facebook.com/dillarduniversity/>
<https://www.youtube.com/user/dillard1869>

2020
 Congrats
 Graduates

Dillard University
 Class of 2020
 Welcome to the Alumni Club!

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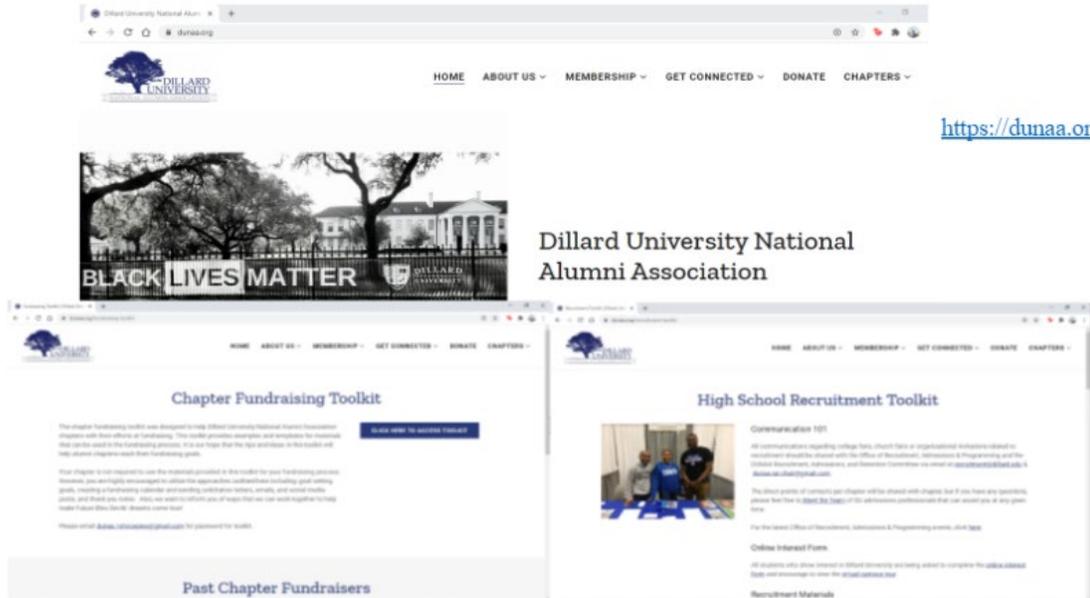
15 Days of DUNAA Chapter Excellence

<p>Amber Brooks HOUSTON CHAPTER PRESIDENT</p>	<p>Jassaland Kelly-Demease LAKE CHARLES CHAPTER PRESIDENT</p>	<p>Arlayn M. Ladson-Castle, JD LOS ANGELES</p>	<p>Tiffany Patterson SAN ANTONIO</p>	<p>Mack McGinnis GREATER NEW ORLEANS CHAPTER PRESIDENT</p>
<p>Jhoilan Brown MEMPHIS CHAPTER PRESIDENT</p>	<p>Darilyn Washington Peterson DALLAS FT. WORTH CHAPTER PRESIDENT</p>	<p>Cheryl Reid WASHINGTON, DC METRO CHAPTER PRESIDENT</p>	<p>Gabrielle High Davis JACKSON (MAGNOLIA) CHAPTER PRESIDENT</p>	<p>EshiQita E. Washington ATLANTA CHAPTER PRESIDENT</p>
<p>Phyllis Hall 2020 INCE NATIONAL ALUMNI COUNCIL DILLARD UNIVERSITY OF ESTANDING ALUMNI HALL OF HONOR INMORALE OF NEW YORK STATE CHAPTER PRESIDENT</p>	<p>15 DAYS OF DUNAA CHAPTER EXCELLENCE Since Fall 2019, Our Chapters Have...</p> <p>DONATED OVER \$5000 TO THE UNIVERSITY AND/OR DIRECTLY TO DILLARD STUDENTS VIA CHAPTER FUNDRAISERS</p>	<p>15 DAYS OF DUNAA CHAPTER EXCELLENCE This summer, our chapters have held Summer Send Offs.</p>	<p>15 DAYS OF DUNAA CHAPTER EXCELLENCE 2019 Chapter Fundraisers</p>	<p>15 DAYS OF DUNAA CHAPTER EXCELLENCE 2019 Chapter Fundraisers</p>
<p>15 DAYS OF DUNAA CHAPTER EXCELLENCE OUR CHAPTERS RECRUIT OUR ALUMNI PIPELINE</p>				

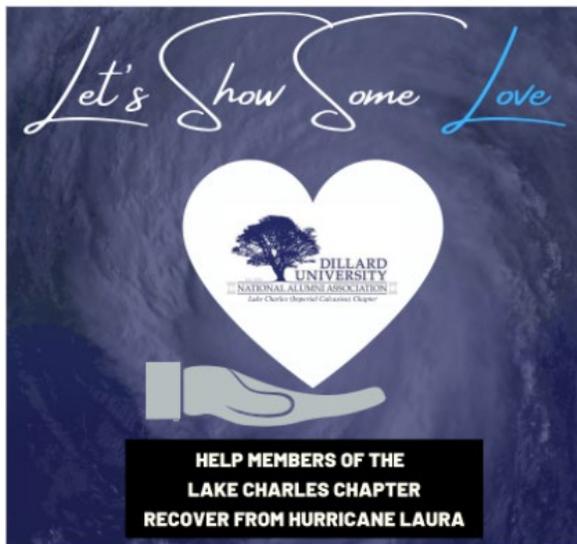
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Website Updates



Hurricane Laura Relief





NATIONAL BLACK COLLEGE ALUMNI
HALL OF FAME FOUNDATION, INC.

HALL OF FAME

2020 LEGACY OF LEADERS AWARDEES

 <p>Shirley J. Williams - Name DILLARD UNIVERSITY National Alumni President of the Year</p>	 <p>Janet H. Botton ALABAMA STATE UNIVERSITY Distinguished Alumnus of the Year</p>	 <p>Marissa Coplus COPPIN STATE UNIVERSITY Alumni Director of the Year</p>
 <p>NAASC Chicago Chapter SPELMAN COLLEGE Large Alumni Chapter of the Year</p>	 <p>Morgan State University Alumni Association MORGAN STATE UNIVERSITY National Alumni Association of the Year</p>	 <p>DC Metropolitan Area Alumni Association DILLARD UNIVERSITY Small Alumni Chapter of the Year</p>

2020 Founders Day





2020 Fair Dillard Forever Campaign



Did You Know?

Alumni Talking Points
Current Top Areas of Study

- ✓ Nursing
- ✓ Physics
- ✓ Film
- ✓ Pre-Law
- ✓ Water Management
- ✓ Public Health

Fair Dillard Forever

Four Separate Groups Work Together to Support Alumni

Dillard University
National Alumni
Association

Dillard University
Office of Alumni Relations

Dillard University
Office of Recruitment,
Admissions & Programming

Dillard University
Office of Development

Fair Dillard Forever

DILLARD ALUMNI - ARE YOU ALL IN?

Investing in your dream of Fair Dillard Forever is a multi-layered process.

As the Dillard University National Alumni Association (DUNAA), we would like to help you develop an "All in" plan!

Key Terms Defined:

Independent Organizations - DUNAA is a separate IRS 501(c)(3) organization from Dillard University.

Fiscal Year - Dillard University and DUNAA use the same fiscal year (July 1 - June 30).

Tax Deductible - Your donations to Dillard University are tax deductible. A portion of life membership dues for DUNAA are tax deductible.

Major Key Alert: Donating to Dillard in the fall gives the alumni giving rate & supports itemized deductions (if you itemize) for 12/31!

2020-2021 Fundraising Education

Dillard University National Alumni Association
Fund Development and Endowment Committee
Presents

**CHAPTER VIRTUAL
FUNDRAISING IDEAS MEETING**

SEPTEMBER 19, 2020
1-2:30 PM CENTRAL

Email:
dunaa.1stvicepres@gmail.com for
more information.

A meeting for
Chapter
Presidents,
Chapter Treasurers,
and Chapter
Fundraising
Chairpersons

Meeting recording in Fundraising Toolkit
Password: 1869
Visit: <https://dunaa.org/fundraising-toolkit>

DUNAA - APR 2021
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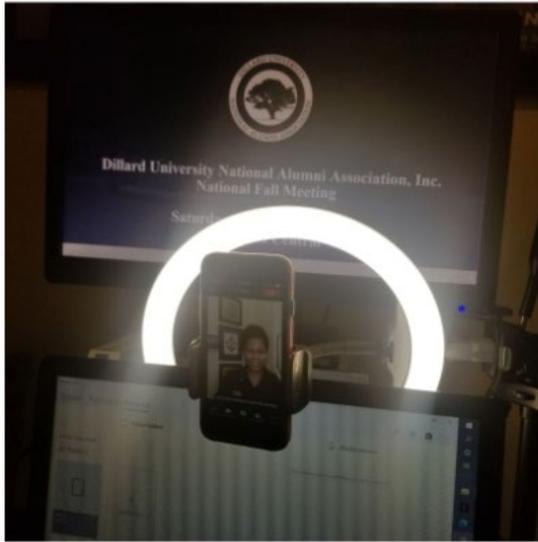
IRS 501c3 Discussion

Understanding the basics
with Mr. William T. Everette, JD, LL.M.
Saturday, April 24, 2021 10:00 AM Central

This meeting is for members that would like to be educated on the IRS 501c3 process.



2020 Virtual Fall Meeting



Bleu Devil Love Collaboration

ISSUE NO. 0.1 • FEBRUARY 2021 • \$16.65

Bleu Devil Love

WITH SHIRLEY J. WILLIAMS-KANE AND GLENN KAN
DILLARD UNIVERSITY NATIONAL ALUMNI ASSOCIATION
NATIONAL PRESIDENT AND HUSBAND

Our Story
We met in Rosenwald because Glenn interested in Alpha Phi Omega. How our love story didn't happen until year after the Oaks.
Celebrating 46 Years of Marriage

150 YEAR

A Fair Dillard Forever collaboration by OFFICE OF ALUMNI RELATIONS

Bleu Devil Love

Celebrating Dillard University Alumni Marriages
Deadline: February 1, 2021

DID YOUR DILLARD LOVE STORY ORIGINATE ON OR WITH THE OAKS?

WE WANT TO FEATURE YOU!

Visit Dunaa.org/bleu-devil-love

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Bleu Devil Love

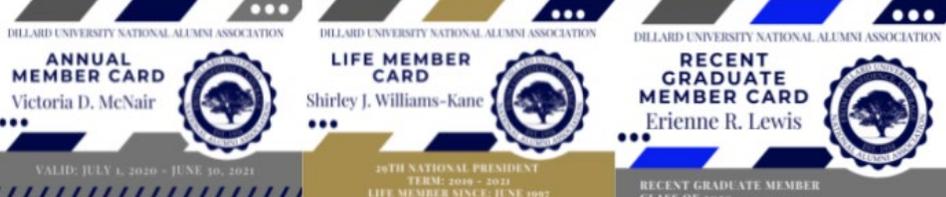
WITH SHIRLEAN AND BRIAN LAW
DILLARD UNIVERSITY NATIONAL ALUMNI ASSOCIATION
AWARDS COMMITTEE CHAIRPERSONS

Their Story
Shirlean saw Brian first inside Dent Hall during her freshman week. Shirlean told her friend, Melvina Finley, Brian would be her guy. Shirlean nervously introduced herself to Brian in front of Campbell. They began dating in Spring 1985. After Brian graduated in 1987, he went back home to Texas to pursue a career in the medical field. He and Shirlean kept in touch and even visited each other often. By this time, they were very serious about the relationship going to the next level. In October 1997, Brian flew down from Houston and set up an engagement dinner with his old roommate's help (Andrew Randall '97). He popped the question that night at Augie's Glass Garden in Metairie. They wed in May 1998.
Celebrating 23 Years of Marriage

A Fair Dillard Forever collaboration by OFFICE OF ALUMNI RELATIONS



2021 Membership Mailing



2019 - 2021 New Life Members



Fiscal Year 2019 - 2020

- Charlette Hayes Gray
- Chasity Reese
- Cheryl Reid
- Davette Johnson-Harris
- Dedorah Brown
- Doretha Weston
- Malik Bartholomew
- Marcus Harris
- Patricia Hall-Summey
- Ronnie Ursin
- Rosalind Shropshire
- Shalandra Jones
- Shawntrica L. Reynolds
- Shelia H. Perine
- Takeya Miller

Fiscal Year 2020 - 2021

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| • Angela Payne | • Leslie Grover | • Shermona Dukes |
| • Calvin Stone | • Lorraine Williams | • Shvon Lowe |
| • Constance D. Parks | • Lowell Taylor | • Tenisha |
| • Crystal Dallas | • Mack McGinnis | • Marcel-Herbert |
| • Dr. Kelvin Spears | • Marlise Weaver | • Theresa |
| • Elizabeth Johnson | • Armstrong | • Newport-Singleton |
| • Eric Harris | • Michael Hartman | • Tywana Glapion |
| • Erica Williams | • Montez Gorrell-Goode | • William Brown |
| • Erroll Williams | • Nelson Demery, III | |
| • Jannie Bonner | • (Jericho Brown) | |
| • Josephine Rodgers | • Percival Kane, Jr. | |
| • Kabrina Smith | • Racquell Garrett | |
| • Kim Whitlock | • Renee C. Airhuoyo | |
| • Kristin Clarkson | • Rochester Anderson Jr. | |
| • Kyle Jones | • Seth Calloway | |
| • Leslie Grover | • Shawnee McFarland | |
| | • Shearon Roberts | |

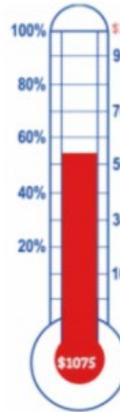


Board of Governors Donors

All Board of Governors who donated gave a minimum of \$100



BOARD OF GOVERNORS
\$25 X 4 CAMPAIGN
GOAL: \$2,000



Four (4) donations of \$25,
Ten (10) donations of \$10, or
One (1) \$100 donation to
DUNAA from August 2020 - June 2021

**Thank You To Those Who
Have Donated!**

- Constance Parks
- Ronald Lee
- Candis Turner Milbourne
- Shirley J Williams-Kane
- Erica Williams
- Eshiqita Washington
- Arlayn Ladson-Castle
- Mack McGinnis
- Cheryl Reid
- Amber Brooks
- LaQuinta Golliday

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Donor Honor Roll (received as of 5/14/21)

Donors who donated \$100 or more are bolded.

- Otto Duncan**
- Arielle Edwards
- Jeannette Hughes
- Christina Fontenot
- Breanna Turnley
- Lauren Uddyback
- Bethany Williams
- April LaSalle
- Meca Grant
- Kristin Clarkson
- Bruce McClue
- Shvon Lowe
- Zanda Miller
- Racquell Garrett
- Trina Stewart
- Morgan Davis
- LaDoris Politte
- Shanelle Staten
- CHIBUZOR RICE



- Dr. Umieca Hankton
- Donna Teno**
- Antoinette Silas

- Katina Johnson
- Erika McMillan
- Maisha Nash
- Nicole Williams
- Schandalita Allen
- Jessica Nash
- Jasmin Vann
- Danielle Raphael
- Christina Witt
- Linda Terry
- Juanita Morris
- India McDougale
- Sheena Bankston
- Bethany Williams
- Rhonda Johnson
- Mamie Clark**
- Rosalind Shropshire**
- Jessica Jones
- Mary Stanton



2020 & 2021 Dillard University Alumni Awards

2020 University Awardees

Life Member David Sullivan
2020 Henry "Plook" Lucas Service Honoree

Life Member Col. Sharon Singleton
2020 Dave Dennis Lifetime Achievement
Award Honoree

Member Jennifer Stimpson
2020 Justice Revius O. Ortique
Professional Excellence Award Honoree

2021 University Awardees

Life Member Ms. Rhea Lucien
2021 Frank Mason Leadership Award Honoree

**22nd National President &
Life Member Ms. Margaret F. Washington**
2021 Henry "Plook" Lucas Service Honoree

Life Member Erica Williams
2021 Young Alumni Award Honoree

Life Member Jericho Brown
2021 Justice Revius O. Ortique
Professional Excellence Award Honoree

2021 Dillard University 40 Under 40 Awards

Life Member Rev. James Parrish Smith

Life Member Kyle Jones

Life Member Crystal Allen Dallas

Member Dr. Monica E. Jackson

Member Dr. Umieca N. Hankton

Member Christopher Stewart



Special President's Leadership Award





University Updates

Dr. Walter M. Kimbrough, Dillard University President, provided pre-recorded greetings to the Association and its members. He shared he would provide a more thorough State of the University address in the upcoming weeks. However, he shared the following during his message:

- No major COVID-19 outbreaks on campus.
- Dillard has been reaffirmed with accreditation body for a 10-year term.
- The Freshman class has record class GPA and most talented academically.
- The graduating pre-law students have all been admitted to law school (13 students attending - 100% law school admission rate) In addition, 4 or 5 students have admissible LSAT scores and GPAs who chose to defer.
- No audit findings this fiscal year. In 2012, there were over 20 audit findings, so Dr. Kimbrough is excited that the University has reduced this number to 0.
- The first artist-in-resident is PJ Morton. He hosted a DU got talent, and the winner won a record deal with Morton Records.
- Board of Trustees Chair and DUNAA Life Member Michel Jones led the Maryland HBCU Settlement case.
- Dillard University's endowment hits new record with \$105 million. This places Dillard in the top 8 HBCU endowments.
- This was a record fundraising year with the largest gift ever from Mackenzie Scott of \$5 million. In addition, Dillard received \$1 million from the Ray Charles Foundation. Giving Tuesday 2020 produced \$750,000 in 24 hours. So, the goal is to shoot for \$1 million for Giving Tuesday 2021.

Dr. Marc Barnes, Dillard University Vice President Institutional Advancement, provided pre-recorded greetings to the Association and its members. He shared thanks to the outgoing executive board for their tireless commitment and welcomed the incoming executive board. Dr. Barnes shared that our alumni contributions are important. With the relevance of HBCUs, the common thread is the alumni. Dillard will continue to count on its alumni to sustain. With so many of students dealing with food insecurities, housing insecurities, homelessness, and other issues, Dillard comes to its alumni for support in the effort of ensure these students are able to achieve their dream of a Dillard degree.

He thanked the alumni for stepping up the plate as 8 years ago the alumni giving rate was at 4%. Together, we have reached over 23% in recent years. While last year, we had a dip in the alumni giving rate due to the pandemic, we still achieved nearly 13%. We want to get to 30% to show that Dillard alumni are true to this.



2021-2023 Executive Board Election Results

Erica M. Williams, National First Vice President presented the 2021-2023 Executive Board election results as presented below.

<p>Dillard University National Alumni Association</p> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <p>ELECTION RESULTS 2021</p>
<p>2021-2023 NATIONAL EXECUTIVE BOARD</p>
<p>PRESIDENT: WINNER: JOSHUA WILLIAMS, JR.</p> <p>FIRST VICE PRESIDENT: WINNER: CHARLIE W. COLEMAN, III</p> <p>SECOND VICE PRESIDENT: WINNER: AMBER BROOKS</p> <p>RECORDING SECRETARY: (WRITE-IN) WINNER: SHONTRA VARNADO</p> <p>CORRESPONDING SECRETARY: (WRITE-IN) WINNER: TEVON BLAIR</p> <p>TREASURER: WINNER: DR. RONNIE URSIN</p> <p>FINANCIAL SECRETARY: WINNER: LAQUINTA GOLLIDAY</p> <p>CHAPLAIN: WINNER: RONALD LEE</p> <p>PARLIAMENTARIAN: WINNER: SHARON A. CANNON</p> <p>SERGEANT-AT -ARMS: WINNER: ERIENNE RENIAJAL "RJ" LEWIS</p>



2021-2023 Executive Board Installation Ceremony

The pre-recorded 2021-2023 Executive Board Installation Ceremony was presented to meeting attendees. The 2021-2023 Executive Board Installation Ceremony was led by Life Member Rev. Otto Duncan.

Announcements

In a pre-recorded video, Shirley J. Williams-Kane, National President, presented the following announcements.



Unsung Alum Award
Tatiana Britten '10
 Dallas/ Fort Worth Chapter

Tatiana deserves the Unsung Alum Award for her can do attitude and support. She joined the chapter after attending her first meeting. She successfully planned and hosted our 2019 and 2020 Summer Send off.



As submitted by
 Brian K. Law '97
 Shirlean McEwen-Law '98
 DUNAA Awards Committee Co-Chairs

Unsung Alum Award
Katrina Johnson '99
 Houston Alumni Chapter

Our alum has been very committed to supporting and assisting in organizing our DU Summer Send off, planning and organizing check ins during Winter Storm Uri and sending out gift cards to show love for our senior alums during the pandemic. She also works diligently on our Membership Committee. Katrina is full of wonderful ideas and she is truly a catalyst to our chapter!



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 Shirlean McEwen-Law '98
 DUNAA Awards Committee Co-Chairs

Unsung Alum Award
Bobby Smith '70
 Jackson-Magnolia Chapter

Our alum attends every meeting and every basketball game for our Bleu Devils. Mr. Smith makes sure everything is ready as well as gets the Dillard University information to each and every member. Mr. Smith donates to help feed the basketball team and gives monetary gifts to the undergraduates from our state when he visits the campus. He is more than deserving of this honor.



As submitted by
 Brian K. Law '97
 Shirlean McEwen-Law '98
 DUNAA Awards Committee Co-Chairs



Unsung Alum Award

Dedora Brown '03

New Orleans Alumni Chapter

Alum Dedora Brown has provided numerous hours of volunteer service with Alumni Relations, from administrative assistance, telephone solicitation, participation with Pre-Alumni Council and visiting with seasoned alumni members. Ms. Brown serves populations such as: students, veterans, widows, the homeless, grieving children of incarcerated parents, high school females and college seniors experiencing financial hardships.

As submitted by
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Shirlean McEwen-Law '98
DUNAA Awards Committee Co-Chairs



Outstanding Young Alumnus of the Year

Erienne R. Lewis '20

Jackson Magnolia Chapter

Thank you to the Dillard University National Alumni Association for choosing me as the recipient of the 2020 Outstanding Young Alumnus Award. It is my aim to continue giving my time, talent, and resources to help sustain our beloved institution and support both current and future students.

As submitted by
Brian K. Law '97
Shirlean McEwen-Law '98
DUNAA Awards Committee Co-Chairs



Outstanding Alumnus/ Hall of Honor Award

Dr. Creaque Charles '96

Houston Alumni Chapter



Thank you for the nomination and selection for this very prestigious award! I am truly honored and excited to be this year's recipient.

As I celebrate 25 years as a graduate of our Fair Dillard, I could not be more proud to receive this award. Many thanks to the committee!!!

As submitted by
Brian K. Law '97
Shirlean McEwen-Law '98
DUNAA Awards Committee Co-Chairs



Note: Unsung Award was presented by the Awards Committee during the Fall 2020 National Meeting. Recipients were nominated by members of their chapter for the "Unsung Alum" as they go above and beyond to support their local chapter.



LIVESTREAMED EVENTS

<https://www.dillard.edu/live/index.php>

RELIVE THE 2020 CORONATION OF MR. & MISS DILLARD!

WATCH THE 2020 FOUNDER'S DAY CONVOCATION
DOWNLOAD THE PROGRAM

POST-ELECTION PANEL DISCUSSION

POLICING AND POLICE REFORM INSTITUTE
Friday, November 13th, 9 a.m.-4 p.m.



Baccalaureate 2021 will be 6:00pm, Friday, May 14. The service can be viewed via live stream at <https://vimeo.com/534519049>.

Commencement 2021 will be 8:00am, Saturday, May 15. The service can be viewed via live stream at <https://vimeo.com/534519730>.



FAIR DILLARD FOREVER

Mentoring Program



VIRTUAL SPEED Mentoring Session

WEDNESDAY, MAY 19, 2021 - 7 PM CENTRAL

During the session, you will



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After announcements, Erica M. Williams, National First Vice President, provided an opportunity for attendees to ask any questions. While brief dialogue was had, no questions were asked.

Meeting ended at 4:17 PM Central with the playing of Fair Dillard.



Meeting Attendee List

Meeting attendees for the May 14, 2021 Meeting are listed below.

1	Shelita	Cannon-Hoey	Annual
2	Arlayn	Ladson-Castle	Annual
3	Prophet Afreda	Hygh	Annual
4	TAMIYAH	FLETCHER	Annual
5	Tanisha	Johnson	Annual
6	Linda	Haughton	Annual
7	Arielle	Edwards	Annual
8	Katina	Johnson	Annual
9	Kristin	Clarkson	Annual
10	Nicole	Williams	Annual
11	Rebecca	Armstrong	Annual
12	Tevon	Blair	Annual
13	Christine	Mitchell	Annual
14	Pedronia	Turner	Annual
15	Charlie	Coleman III	Annual
16	Erica	Williams	Life
17	Sharon	Cannon	Life
18	Phyllis	Ball	Life
19	Mack	McGinnis	Life
20	Candis	Milbourne	Life
21	LaQuinta	Golliday	Life
22	Joshua	Williams	Life
23	Crystal	Allen Dallas	Life
24	Otto	Duncan	Life
25	Jerome	Wilson	Life
26	Kabrina	Smith	Life
27	Jannie	Bonner	Life
28	Renee	Airhuoyo	Life
29	Cheryl	Reid	Life
30	Malik	Bartholomew	Life
31	Racquell	Garrett	Life
32	SHERMONA	JOSEPH	Life
33	Shirley	Williams Kane	Life
34	Rev. James Parrish	Smith	Life
35	Constance	Parks	Life
36	Ronnie	Ursin	Life
37	WARREN	JONES, MD	Life



38	Regenia	Moore-Lee	Life
39	Cherylann Foster	Westerfield	Life
40	Erienne	Lewis	Recent Graduate

Note: Members who attended the Spring 2021 meeting received post-meeting via email the following documents:

- April 2021 Financial Secretary Report
- April 2021 Treasurer Report
- Chapter Reports (Received Prior to May 2021)
- November 14, 2020 Fall National Meeting Minutes (Note: These meeting minutes still need to be approved.)

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May 14, 2021, 5:46 PM ☆ ↶ ⋮

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Thank you for attending the 2021 National Spring Meeting.

We wanted to share important reports for your review.

Thanks for your continued support.

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