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Announcements

2021-2022 Year In Review Video



As the 2021-2022 fiscal year comes to a close, we are excited to share the "DSUAA 2021-2022 Year in Review" highlight video with you, summarizing several of the DSUAA activities and accomplishments over the past year.

We are grateful for your support and look forward to continuing to work with you during the 2022-2023 fiscal year.

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DUvB7ZUxxIU

As we prepare for the 2022-2023 fiscal year, we would greatly appreciate your feedback. We want to ensure you are enjoying your experience as a member of DSUAA. Please provide feedback by completing the brief DSUAA Survey linked here: https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/VXQ9GSK

Join or Renew Today!



The new fiscal year <u>begins July 1, 2022, and it's time to renew</u> your financial membership status in DSUAA. Current membership dues expired on July 1st. Renew your dues today! Thank you for your continued financial support as we work together in supporting the University and reaching our goals.

55th Anniversary Items



Items to commemorate the 55th Anniversary of DSUAA are available for purchase online:

https://my-store-ca4b1b-2.creatorspring.com/listing/dsuaa-55th-anniversary? product=1386

Announcements

Alumni Forum: Alumni Parents



On behalf of DSUAA, we invite all Alumni who have a child currently attending DSU to attend an Alumni Forum: Alumni Parents. The Forum will feature multiple departments from DSU, sharing key details specifically for parents of Hornets.

The goal of this event is to provide our Alumni Hornet Parents with key information to assist their child throughout their University journey.

This forum has been scheduled for Tuesday, July 19th at 7pm ET via zoom. We hope you will join us.

Alumni Forum: DSU's Athletics Ticketing Office



On behalf of DSUAA, we invite you to attend an Alumni Forum featuring Mr. Jeffrey Revel, Tickets & Events Manager within DSU's Department of Athletics.

The goal of this event is to provide an opportunity for Alumni to learn about the ticketing packages available when attending Athletic Sporting events, how to purchase tickets online or in-person, mobile ticket options, and more.

This forum has been scheduled for Tuesday, July 26th at 7pm ET via zoom. We hope you will join us.



Welcome Affinity Groups!



An Alumni Affinity Group is any group of alumni having a common interest or affiliation, whether through degree, major, ethnicity, athletic or student club involvement. At the 2022 National Convention, Affinity Groups were approved within DSUAA. DSUAA is excited to officially welcome the DSU Aviation Affinity Group and the Wesley College Affinity Group as the first two Affinity Groups within DSUAA.

If you are interested in joining the DSU Aviation Affinity **Group please contact Maurice Ellis:**

mellis0247@gmail.com

If you are interested in joining the Wesley College Affinity Group please contact Jessica Wescott: jessmwescott@gmail.com

If you are interested in starting or joining an affinity group, please contact DSUAA at dsuaa@alumni.com.

Charlotte (NC) Chapter

Meet Our Delaware State University Alumni Association Charlotte Chapter Executive Board



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Congratulations to the newly elected **Executive Board of the Charlotte Chapter** for the 2022-2024 term.

Greater Hampton Roads Chapter



Greater Hampton Roads Chapter 2022-2024 Officers











Secretary Gerald-Bond









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Treasurer

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Congratulations to the newly elected **Executive Board of the Greater Hampton** Roads Chapter for the 2022-2024 term.

New Castle County Chapter



Congratulations to the newly elected **Executive Board of the New Castle County** Chapter for the 2022-2024 term.

DSUAA, NCC, President - Carmen D. Harmon DSUAA. NCC. Vice President - Kia Wyatt Woolfolk DSUAA, NCC, Treasurer - Waverly A. DeBraux III DSUAA, NCC, Financial Secretary - Dr. Lisa Lancaster DSUAA, NCC, Secretary - Darlene Bond



Charlotte Chapter



The Delaware State University Charlotte Alumni Chapter wants to see all Hornets at the 3rd Annual Queen City HBCU Cookout on July 31st!

Tickets can be purhcased here:

https://www.eventbrite.com/e/3rdannual-queen-city-hbcu-cookout-tickets-369663843507?aff=ebdssbdestsearch

Atlanta Chapter



The Atlanta Chapter is looking for students from Georgia attending Delaware State University in the Fall. Scholarships are available for Freshmen, Sophomores, Juniors, and Seniors. Please contact president.atldsuaa@gmail.com for more information.

New Castle County Chapter



Delaware State University Alumni Association New Castle County Chapter

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Our Delaware State University Alumni Association Monthly Meetings are held at 6:00 p.m. every 4th Tuesday of the Month

For Meeting Credentials Contact:

dsuaanewcastlecounty@gmail.com



The DSUAA, New Castle County Alumni Chapter continues to meet virtually and our monthly meetings are held at 6:00 p.m. every 4th Tuesday of the month.



Philadelphia Chapter



If you are interested in serving as a member of the Philadelphia Chapter's Leadership Team, please reach out to Chapter President Tyrone Manning: tmanning314@yahoo.com.

Maryland Chapter



If you are interested in joining the Maryland Chapter, please reach out to Chapter President Thomas Berry at dsuaamdmetro@gmail.com.

Leadership roles are available.



Greater Hampton Roads Chapter



Join the Greater Hampton Roads Chapter!
All are welcome! Connect with us today!
Please reach out to Chapter President
Anordia Weatherly for more information:
anordia.weatherly@gmail.com

New Castle County Chapter



DSUAA, New Castle County Alumni Chapter and the DSU Class of 1973 - 2nd Annual Scholarship Golf Classic at Back Creek Golf Club - Middletown, DE 19709

Florida Chapter



The Florida Chapter invites you to support their DSU Aviation Scholarship Programs by purchasing a t-shirt.

The full flyer and T-shirt Order Form can be downloaded using the link below. T-shirts can be purchased using cash app, zelle, or money order. Please fill out your t-shirt order form below online and email it back to Gail Obas - LAWSY2575@YAHOO.COM.

Please also feel free to contact Chapter President Arnold Nearn at arnoldnearn72@gmail.com with any additional questions.

Flyer & T-shirt order form:

DSUAA Florida T-shirt Order Form



New Castle County Chapter



DSUAA, New Castle County Alumni Chapter's 39th Annual Scholarship Luncheon at the Chase Center on the Riverfront - Wilmington, DE

The Annual Scholarship Luncheon

will be held at 2:00 p.m. on Sunday, August 14, 2022, 2:00 at the Chase Center on the Riverfront. The key note speaker will be Dr. Tony Allen, President of Delaware State University and our Mistress of Ceremonies will be Kaylynn Pride, DSU Class of 2021.

> Please use the link below to purchase your tickets and advertisement space for the souvenir booklet.

https://www.desu.edu/events/2022/ 08/14/dsuaa-new-castle-county-39thannual-scholarship-luncheon

Greater New Jersey Chapter



If you are interested in joining the Greater New Jersey Chapter, please contact Chapter President, Jacquelyn Gilbert at Jgilbert.gnjchapter@alumni.com

Atlanta Chapter



ATL Hornets, come join the DSUAA Atlanta Metro Hornets for the 2022-2023 Alumni Year. We look forward to you joining us.



Life Member Feature



Class of 1973



With more than 30 years of experience in facilities and construction management, in both government and private corporations, Herman's expertise includes oversight of contractual services including: engineering and facilities management with fiscal responsibility of operating, expense and capital budgets, account personnel, client reporting, profit & loss statements, forecasting, vendor management, policies and procedures, metrics and benchmarking operational impacts, energy savings initiatives and space planning activities. As a Senior Manufacturing Engineer and Administrator for Crown, Cork, & Seal for more than 15 years, Herman Wood directed manufacturing engineers in trouble-shooting 33 manufacturing facilities throughout the

U.S., Canada, and Virgin Islands. Herman is a holder of a Bachelor's of Science Degree in Mathematics from Delaware State University, and matriculated in Masters of Science in Applied Mathematics at then Beaver College.

Herman is proudly married to Yvonne Rivers Wood for over 41 years with two sons ages 39 & 25. Herman is a grandfather of 4 (Granddaughters 16 & 2 months of age, Grandsons 14 and 3 years of age), and has resided in Voorhees, New Jersey for over 35 years.

WORK HISTORY

2019 - 2021 Associate Vice President Facilities Management, Construction and Planning

2001 - 2019 Sr. Director, Operations & Supply Chain Management, Commercial & Government Services/Mentor Protégé

2000 - 2001 Director of Construction and Business Development (PRWT-Hylan, LLC) PRWT Services, Inc.

1998 - 2000 Construction / Project Management Consultant, HLW Professional Services

1996 - 1998 Construction Program Manager, The Temple Group, Inc.

1993 - 1996 Master Mathematics Instructor/Curriculum Developer, City of Camden, NJ

1979 - 1993 Senior Manufacturing Engineer and Administrator, Crown Cork & Seal Company, Inc.

1978 - 1979 District Sales, Ortho Diagnostics Division, Johnson & Johnson

1977 - 1978 Sales Representative, Proctor & Gamble Paper Products

1973 – 1977 Assistant Controller, Allstate Insurance Company

EDUCATION

MS Mathematics (1973) - Delaware State College now Delaware State University
MS Mathematics (Matriculated 1974-76) - Beaver College now Arcadia University

AFFILIATIONS/CERTIFICATIONS

International Facilities Management Association (IFMA), Member (Current)

Philadelphia Sustainable Business Network, Member (Current)

Turning Points for Children, Board Member (Current)

Kappa Alpha PSI Fraternity (DSU '72 - Beta Sigma Chapter) current Member Philadelphia Alum

Society Manufacturing Engineers, Senior Grade (1985-92)

Wharton School of Business, Certified Property Underwriter (1974)

Delaware State University National Alumni Representative (2015-17)

DSUAA Philadelphia Chapter - President (2015-2019)

California Building Commission General Contractor A, Business Law (2001)

Secondary Education –NJ and PA, Mathematics (Life Certification) Siemens XML Fire Panel Operation (2005)

8 Hour OSHA Hazwoper (2002);

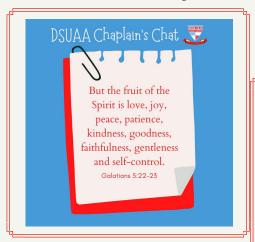
OSHA Ten Hour Course (2002)

Supervisor Training (2004)



Chaplain's Chat

Some words of inspiration shared by our DSUAA Chaplain throughout the month of June



These are all the tools you need to manage life!



Whatever you resist, persists. Trust God and forge ahead... even when it's tough! Have a terrific Tuesday, Hornets!



He's always on time, Hornets! Have an awesomely blessed week!



Are YOU blessed?



Past Events

Greater Washington (DC) Chapter



On Saturday, June 11th the Greater Washington Chapter held their End of the Year Social event which was a Brunch at Creole on 14th. Everyone had a wonderful time together.

DSU Downtown



Past Events

Greater Washington (DC) Chapter



On Saturday, June 25th, the Greater Washington Chapter participated in the DC Metro HBCU Alumni Alliance 5k. During the event, member Rachelle Roberts' daughter Kayla was awarded the DC Metro HBCU Alumni Geico Changemakers' scholarship today!

Atlanta Metro Chapter



Past Events

2022 National Convention



The DSUAA Annual National Convention took placed on Saturday, June 18, 2022. Thank you to everyone who was able to attend the 2022 National Convention as we celebrated the 55th Anniversary of DSUAA.

Some of the key highlights from the 2022 National Convention include:

- DSUAA announced having largest financial membership count in history during the 2021-2022 fiscal year.
- DSUAA approved the establishment of a new Graduate Student Endowment Scholarship. This endowment will provide scholarships to alumni who return to DSU for graduate studies.
- The DSUAA proposed bylaws revisions were accepted, including the approval of Affinity Groups within DSUAA. DSUAA welcomes the Aviation Affinity Group and the Wesley College Affinity Group.
- DSUAA received a
 Resolution from the
 University
 commemorating the 55th
 Anniversary of DSUAA.



Thank you everyone for your support!



Upcoming Events





Tuesday, July 19, 2022, 6pm via zoom Alumni Forum: Alumni Parents





Friday, July 22, 2022

DSUAA, New Castle County Alumni Chapter and the DSU Class of 1973 -2nd Annual Scholarship Golf Classic at Back Creek Golf Club -Middletown. DE 19709





Saturday, July 23, 2022 **Bayhealth Free Sports** Physicals

Click here to learn more and schedule an appointment:

https://bayhealth.info/3b GeXpH

Does your child or grandchild need sports physical for next season? Or maybe there's no requirement, but you'd feel safer getting yourself or your loved one checked out before physical activity. As part of our commitment to the health of our community, Bayhealth is offering FREE sports physicals on Saturday, July 23 from 8 a.m. to noon at Bayhealth Family Medicine, Dover.

Click here to learn more and schedule an appointment

https://bayhealth.info/3bGeXpH



Upcoming Events

July 26



Tuesday, July 26th, 7pm via zoom Alumni Forum: DSU Athletics Ticketing Office

August

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Sunday, August 14, 2022

The NCC 39th Annual Scholarship Luncheon will be held at 2:00 p.m. on Sunday, August 14, 2022, at the Chase Center on the Riverfront.

DSUAA New Castle County 39th Annual Scholarship Luncheon



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Friday, September 16, 2022 Hall of Fame Banquet and Induction Ceremony

Hall of Fame Banquet and Induction Ceremony |
Delaware State University (desu.edu)



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For your reference anytime

Join DSUAA Today

Local Chapter Contact Information

Join a Committee



Join DSUAA Today!



Membership is available to all graduates and former DSU students who attended for one year or more. Active DSUAA membership is achieved by paying annual dues, ranging from \$50.00 to \$1,000.00 for Life Memberships.

Payment of dues to the DSUAA provides the funds for the organization to carry out its goals and objectives, specifically for its operations and initiatives relative to the support of university programs and the achievement of university goals.

As members of the association, alumni can also take advantage of great benefits including voting privileges in the DSU Alumni Association, 10% <u>discount at the DSU Bookstore</u>, Networking Opportunities, and more!

The fiscal year shall be July 1 to June 30. Membership dues are to be paid during each fiscal year. More information on the types of Memberships, Rights and Benefits of Membership, and the link to pay your Membership dues is listed below.





Types of Membership

CLASS A (REGULAR)

Any person who received a degree from Delaware State University or who was in attendance for one or more years shall be eligible for Class A membership in the Association

Class A Membership dues are \$50 per year.

Class A Membership Dues are active from July 1 to June 30th of the current fiscal year.

CLASS B (ASSOCIATE)

Husbands, wives, parents of alumni members and Delaware State University faculty and staff members shall be eligible for Class B membership in the Association

Class B Membership dues are \$25.00 per year.

Class B Membership Dues are active from July 1 to June 30th of the current fiscal year.

LIFE MEMBERS

Class A and Class B members shall be eligible to be Life Members in the Association upon payment of Life Membership dues.

Class A Life membership dues are \$1,000. Class B Life membership dues are \$500. Payments of any amount can be made to complete the life membership dues, as long as the dues amount is paid in full within the three year time period.

Life Membership dues do not expire.





DELAWARE STATE UNIVERSITY ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

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The Names and Emails of Chapter Presidents is Listed Below



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DELAWARE STATE UNIVERSITY ALUMNI ASSOCIATION



Please contact our Committee Leads at the contact information provided below.



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