

**ELIZABETH CITY STATE UNIVERSITY
NATIONAL ALUMNI ASSOCIATION, INCORPORATED**

CONVENTION PROGRAM

**~ Presiding ~
Rodney Hawkins '99**

THURSDAY, JULY 12, 2018



GOLF TOURNAMENT

(Sponsored by: Washington, DC Metro Alumni Chapter)

Registration Opens – 9am • Shotgun Start – 11am

Andrews Air Force Base
4442 West Perimeter Road
Joint Base Andrews, MD 20762

4:00 p.m.

Check-in | Convention Registration

Greenbelt Marriott, Greenbelt, MD

5:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.

Quarterly Meeting

NAA Board of Directors
James W. Cherry II '96, Chairman

5:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.

Dinner – On Your Own

Restaurant of Your Choice

8:00 p.m. – 9:30 p.m.

Viking Reception

Greenbelt Marriott, Greenbelt, MD
Hosted by: ECSU NAA & DC Metro Alumni Chapter

FRIDAY, JULY 13, 2018

6:30 a.m.

Breakfast

Greenbelt Marriott, Greenbelt, MD

7:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

~ Convention Registration ~

OPENING GENERAL SESSION

8:00 a.m.– 8:30 a.m.

Invocation

Delores McClain '70, Ms. Alumni 2018

William T. Bowser, Sr. Alumni Chapter

Welcome

CAPT USN (ret) Anthony Swain '82, President, DC Metro Alumni Chapter

Abdul Sm Rasheed '71, President, ECSU National Alumni Association, Inc.

James W. Cherry II '96, Chairman, NAA Board of Directors

Roll Call

Keith O. Richardson '03, Corresponding Secretary

Approval of 2017 Convention Minutes

Yvonne S. Walton '76, Recording Secretary

8:35 a.m.– 9:20 a.m.

Icebreaker: Local Chapters Partnering for Success

Mikel Brabham '01, Robert E. Harvey Tri State (DE, NJ, & PA) Alumni Chapter

Michael N. Johnson '96, Raleigh-Durham-Wake Alumni Chapter

9:20

Adjournment

SESSION II

9:30 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.

What's Going on with HBCU Alumni Associations?

Jarrett Carter, Founder, HBCU Digest

10:20 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.

Let's Talk About It: What's Going on with the ECSU NAA?

Abdul Sm Rasheed, Facilitator

11:00 a.m. – 11:10 a.m.

BREAK

11:15 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.

Let's SWOT Our NAA

Facilitated Tabletop Exercise

Marilyn Townsend Pearson, *Philanthropic Consultant & Chair, Scholarship Committee, The ECSU Foundation, Inc.*

12:20 p.m. – 1:00 p.m.

WORKING LUNCH

1:00 p.m. – 2:15 p.m.

SWOT REPORTS & TAKEAWAYS

2:15 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.

BREAK

SESSION III

2:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.

ECSU NATIONAL ALUMNI ASSOCIATION, INC.

ANNUAL MEETING

(Meeting agenda will be distributed separately)

4:30 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.

Dinner, Rest, and Relaxation

8:00 p.m. – 1:00 a.m.

Vikings Blue & White Party

SATURDAY, JULY 14, 2018

7 a.m. - 8:00 a.m.

Breakfast • Registration

SESSION IV

8:00 a.m. – 8:05 a.m.

Invocation

James C. Dance, Jr. '85

8:05 a.m. – 8:10 a.m.

Roll Call

Keith O. Richardson '03

8:15 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.

STATE OF THE UNIVERSITY

Introduction of the Chancellor

Harold Barnes '77, Vice Chair, ECSU Board of Trustees
~ Presenting ~

Dr. Karrie G. Dixon, Interim Chancellor

Dr. Vann Newkirk, *Provost and Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs*

Dr. Althea Riddick, *Associate Vice Chancellor for Enrollment Management*

Dr. Claudie J. Mackey '65, *Athletics / Meet Head Football Coach Anthony Jones*
& *Head Women's Basketball Coach Antonio Davis*

Dr. John Michael Lee, Jr., *Vice Chancellor for University Advancement*

11:00 a.m. – 11:25 a.m.

OPEN MIC / Q & A

CLOSING SESSION

11:30 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.

Introduction of Guest Speaker, Abdul Sm Rasheed

Congresswoman Alma S. Adams (NC-12)

“The Federal Conversation About Support for HBCUs”

12:15 p.m. – 12:30 p.m.

Closing Remarks

Abdul Sm Rasheed

~ The Alma Mater ~



1:00 p.m.

LUNCH

TOURS

DEPARTURE ~ SAFE TRAVELS