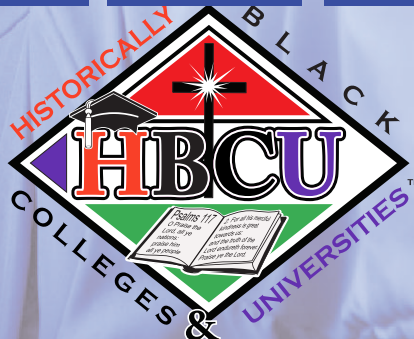
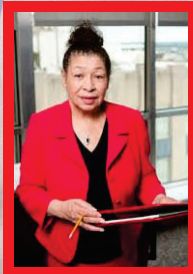
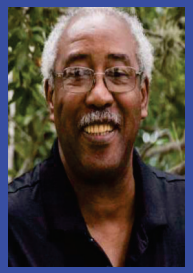
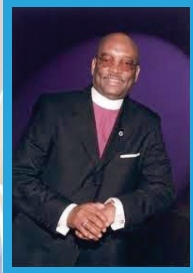
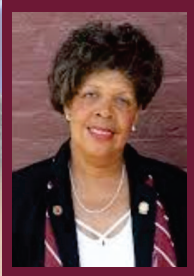
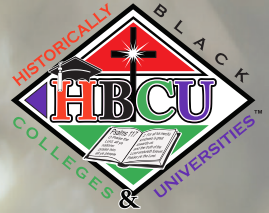
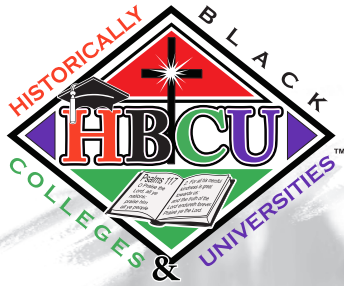


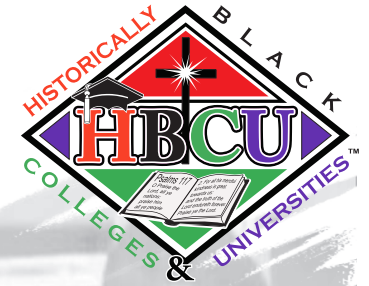
# NORTH CAROLINA LIVING LEGENDS 2018 Commemorative Calendar







# "We Stand on the Shoulders of Those Who Have Gone Before Us"



*This calendar is dedicated to the countless forefathers who forged through unthinkable adversities, sustained their courage and tenacity to ensure that African Americans would have the opportunity to a formal education. The early visionaries who founded Cheyney State (PA) in 1837, University of the District of Columbia in 1851, Lincoln University (PA) in 1854 and Wilberforce University (Ohio) in 1856, established solid foundations.*

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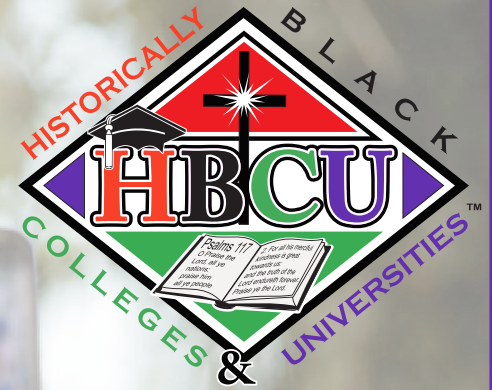
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**Barber-Scotia College**  
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**Bennett College**  
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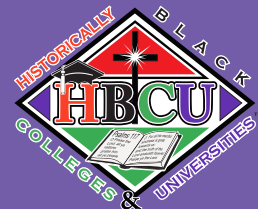
**North Carolina Central University**  
Durham, North Carolina

**Shaw University**  
Raleigh, North Carolina

# JANUARY 2018



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	1 New Years Day	2	3	4	5	6
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14	15 Martin Luther King Jr. Day	16	17	18	19	20
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# SHAW UNIVERSITY



## **JAMES BONECRUSHER SMITH, PROFESSIONAL BOXER, RETIRED**

James Smith was born in Magnolia, North Carolina. After graduating from high school, he earned an associate degree from James Sprunt Community College in Kenansville, North Carolina, earning an associate's degree in business administration, in 1973. Two years later, he earned a bachelor's degree in business administration from Shaw University. Following military service and working as a prison guard, Mr. Smith became an amateur boxer, and compiled a record of 35-4. In 1981, at the age of 28, his professional career started and would last until 1999. He held the World Boxing Association heavyweight title from 1986 to 1987. He was the first heavyweight champion to have a college degree. During his career he fought against James "Broad-Axe" Broad, Ricky Parkey, and Chris McDonald. In November 1984 he fought the long reigning Larry Holmes for the IBF heavyweight championship. In his next fight, he demolished hard-punching ex-world champ Mike Weaver in one round. He followed it up with two 10 round decisions over Jesse Ferguson (14-2) and David Bey (15-2), arguably his most important decision wins. "Bonecrusher" fought WBA champ Tim Witherspoon and won the WBA title in a first-round knockout. He hung up the gloves, at age aged 46 with a record of 44-17-1 (32 KOs). In 1995, Mr. Smith helped establish the North Carolina Boxing Commission and served as its first chairman. In 1996, he became an ordained minister and dedicated his life to helping young people stay clear of crime and drugs. In 2004 Smith started the non-profit organization, Champion for Kids Inc. to provide scholarships to high school students. Deeply committed to helping impoverished fighters, Mr. Smith was a guest at the Ring 10 Veterans Boxing Foundation 2nd Annual Fundraiser in 2012 where he expressed his support of initiatives to better provide for those in need.



## **MR. JULIUS CROMWELL, COMMUNITY ADVOCATE, PHILANTHROPIST**

After graduating from Orange High School in his hometown of Orange, New Jersey, Julius Cromwell accepted an athletic scholarship to Shaw University where he majored in business administration and lettered in football and track. He was the first Business Administration student to complete an internship at the Raleigh Branch of the North Carolina Mutual Insurance Company. He earned a master's degree in social work from Fordham University and a master's Degree in public administration from Baruch College, City University New York. He has held administrative positions in the areas of foster care, mental health, hospital administration, children and family services, substance abuse treatment, nursing home administration and affordable housing for low income seniors. As executive director of multi-purpose community centers in the South Bronx and Brooklyn New York, he worked with street gangs, troubled families, and adolescents in need of supervision. He and two other colleagues started a fathers' group to assist young African American fathers in developing positive and constructive relationships with their children, improve parenting skills, and dealing with authority issues. He was a charter member and president of the Brooklyn, NY Shaw Club and he served as president of the Philadelphia Alumni Chapter. Presently, Mr. Cromwell is president of the Raleigh-Wake Alumni Chapter of the Shaw University National Alumni Association and a member of the Shaw Bears Boosters Club. He was inducted into the Shaw University Alumni Hall of Fame in 2012 and the Athletic Hall of Fame in 1996. Mr. Cromwell is currently involved with the Boy Scout Troop at Watts Missionary Baptist Church where he has been the Family Life Merit Badge Counselor for five years and taught Sunday school. Mr. Cromwell has been an active member of the Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc. for 61 years. He served two terms as Basileus of the Brooklyn, NY Chapter Alpha Upsilon where he was named Omega Man of the Year in 1990. He was also selected as Man of the Year in 2003 by the Philadelphia Chapter Mu Omega. He is currently a member of the Iota Iota Chapter in Raleigh, NC. Mr. Cromwell married his college sweetheart, and they have five children and 10 grandchildren. As staunch supporters of Shaw University, they recently established a \$25,000 Endowed Scholarship Fund to provide a \$1,000 scholarship annually to a worthy Shaw University student.



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# FEBRUARY 2018



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11	12 President's Day	13	14 Valentine's Day	15	16	17
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# BARBER-SCOTIA COLLEGE



## REV. DR. KATIE CANNON, WOMANIST THEOLOGIAN, PROFESSOR, UNION PRESBYTERIAN SEMINARY

A native of Kannapolis, North Carolina, Dr. Cannon, is the first African American woman to be ordained in the United Presbyterian Church (USA) and in 1983 she became the first African American woman to earn the Doctor of Philosophy degree from Union Theological Seminary in New York City. Dr. Cannon holds a Bachelor of Science degree in education from Barber-Scotia College, magna cum laude (1971) and a Master of Divinity degree (with honors) from Johnson C. Smith Seminary at the Interdenominational Theological Center (1974). She is the Annie Scales Rogers Professor of Christian Ethics at Union Presbyterian Seminary in Richmond, VA. She has been a Visiting Professor at Union Theological Seminary in teaching *Womanist Theological Ethics* and *Codes of Ethics in Freedom Narratives*, a Distinguished Visiting Lilly Professor of Religion at Davidson College and a Sterling Brown Visiting Professor in Religion and African American Studies at Williams College in Williamstown, MA. She has been an Associate Professor of Religion at Temple University, Associate Professor of Christian Social Ethics at the Episcopal Divinity School in Cambridge, MA and on the Administrative Faculty at New York Theological Seminary. In March 2003, she was elected to serve as President of the Society for the Study of Black Religion. Dr. Cannon is the 2011 recipient of the American Academy of Religion Excellence in Teaching Award. In January 2014, Dr. Cannon was the inaugural *Sankofa Scholar in Black Church Studies* at Candler School of Theology, Emory University. In May 2016, Dr. Cannon received the UNION MEDAL, the highest award of distinction presented by Union Theological Seminary in New York City. Dr. Cannon is the author or co-editor of six books including *Teaching Preaching: Isaac R. Clark and Black Sacred Rhetoric*, *Katie's Canon: Womanism and the Soul of the Black Community*, *Black Womanist Ethics*, and the anthology, *The Womanist Theological Reader*. She co-edited with Anthony B. Pinn the anthology, *The Oxford Handbook of African American Theology* (fall 2014).



## COACH JAMES STINSON, HEAD MEN'S BASKETBALL COACH, LIVINGSTONE COLLEGE

James Stinson has been an athlete and scholar most of his life. He attended North Mecklenburg High School where he was a solid athlete and student. He accepted a basketball scholarship to Barber-Scotia. As a college student, he was named All-Conference in the Eastern Intercollegiate Athletic Conference and was named to the Dean's list. Before coaching at Livingstone College, Mr. Stinson was the basketball coach at Barber-Scotia College. He brought discipline and fire to the Barber-Scotia men's basketball program. He organized outreach campus programs, spoke at various churches and gave free basketball clinics. He also spent four years as a NAIA Division I basketball rater. Coach Stinson led the Barber Scotia Sabers to eight 20-win seasons, four regular season championships, three EIAAC tournament championships and two NAIA Elite Eight appearances. He was voted Coach of the Year three times and was a three-time EIAAC Top Tournament coach. James Stinson was hired as head coach of the Livingstone College men's basketball team in June 2004. Under his leadership the teams have won the CIAA highest GPA award. During the 2012-2013 season, the team won their first CIAA Southern Division Championship, topped Livingstone's most wins in a single season record with a 22-7 overall record, reached the championship game of the CIAA Tournament, and made their first NCAA Tournament appearance. He is known for turning a program around with a philosophy of total student development, strong discipline, fairness, consistency and enthusiasm. He was privileged to have coached the late Mark Thomas, the first African American student from a HBCU to be selected to the Top 10 NCAA Student Athletes. Coach Stinson is a member of the NCAA Black Coaches Association, Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity and University Park Baptist Church in Charlotte. He is father to one son.



## JOYCE TRUITT, CYTOTECHNOLOGIST, SOLTAS LAB PARTNERS

A native of Battleboro in Edgecombe County, NC Ms. Truitt, grew up on the family farm where she developed core values at an early age. Through her grandfather, she learned the value of hard work and discipline. He was an advocate for early education and required his grandchildren to read and do math problems. Of thirty grands, all but two went to college. Farm life isolated and shielded her and her siblings from the harshness of segregation. It would be trips to the city of Rocky Mount, NC where she would be exposed to the colored water fountain and colored toilets. Ms. Truitt graduated from Phillips High School where she was a member of the debate team. At Barber Scotia, she earned a Bachelor of Science degree with a major in biology and minor in mathematics. After a short period, teaching middle school math in Darlington SC, Ms. Truitt attended Emory University, where she was one of the first two African Americans to finish the Allied Health School with a certificate in cytology. A true "hidden figure", for 46 years Ms. Truitt has examined approximately 932,880 slides of cells to identify disorders like cancers, infections, fungus, herpes, and chlamydia. During her work career, she has often been the only African American employee. She has worked at Atlanta Pathology Professional Association, Marietta Pathology, and Spectrum Labs (now Soltas which was bought by Quest Diagnostics). Her current and past professional affiliations include Southern Association of Cytotechnologist (past treasurer), Georgia Society of Cytology (Past President), American Society of Cytology, American Society of Clinical Pathology, and the American



# MARCH 2018



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		First Day of Spring				
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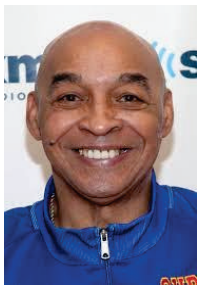
## **THE HONORABLE EVA CLAYTON, LOCAL AND NATIONAL ELECTED OFFICIAL, U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, RETIRED**

The Honorable Eva Clayton is the first African-American woman to represent North Carolina in Congress. She became the state's first black Representative since 1901. Born in Savannah, GA, she received a Bachelor of Science degree in biology from Johnson C. Smith University and a M.S. in biology and general science from North Carolina Central University. The civil rights movement mobilized Mrs. Clayton to become active in civic and political affairs. Her first campaign for Congress was in 1968. In the 1970's she worked for several public/private ventures, including the NC Health Manpower Development Program at the University of North Carolina. She cofounded and served as the executive director of Soul City Foundation. From 1977 to 1981 she served in the appointed position of assistant secretary of the NC Department of Natural Resources and community development. In 1982, she was elected to the Warren County Board of Commissioners. She helped steer more than \$550 million in investments into the county. She was elected to the 102<sup>nd</sup> Congress by special election to fill the vacancy caused by the death of US Representative Walter B. Jones. Representative Clayton was a staunch defender of the rural and agricultural interests of her district, which comprised 20 counties with numerous peanut and tobacco growers. She revived the Rural Caucus and rallied more than 100 members to pledge continued federal aid to farmers, new rural jobs, and technology initiatives. She served four succeeding Congresses (Nov. 1992 – Jan. 2003) before she retired in 2003. She and her husband, are parents to four children.



## **COACH STEVE JOYNER, DIRECTOR OF ATHLETICS AND HEAD MEN'S BASKETBALL COACH, JOHNSON C. SMITH UNIVERSITY**

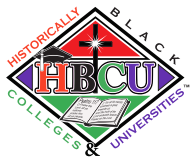
A native of Winston-Salem, N.C., Stephen Joyner's basketball success began at Atkins High School where he was the second leading scorer on the 1969 undefeated NC State 4-A Championship Team. He matriculated at Johnson C. Smith University where he became a star point guard for the Golden Bulls. He earned his bachelor's degree in health and physical education and a master's degree in guidance and counseling from Virginia State University. After a stint as an assistant coach at Virginia Union University, he received his first head coaching position with JCSU's women's basketball team in 1980. He guided the women's team to its first appearance in the NCAA South Atlantic Regional Tournament in 1985 by winning its first CIAA Southern Division Championship and finishing second in the CIAA tournament. After compiling an 82-72 record with the women's team, Joyner took over as the head men's coach in 1987. In 2015, Mr. Joyner claimed his 500<sup>th</sup> coaching win, making him the winningest men's basketball coach in JCSU history. He has been the Director of Athletics since 2005. He was inducted to the John B. McLendon, Jr. CIAA Hall of Fame in 2014. He is an active member of the CIAA Basketball Coaches Association for which he currently serves as president. He has been a member of the National Association of Basketball Coaches for 30 years. He is a NCAA Division II Congressman and member of the All-American Committee. Coach Joyner was inducted into the Atkins High School Hall of Fame, the Winston-Salem Sportsman Club Hall of Fame and the CIAA Hall of Fame. He is a member of the Atkins High School Alumni Association, the JCSU Alumni Association, and the JCSU 100 Club. He is a member of Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc. and Mount Carmel Baptist Church in Charlotte. He and his wife are parents of two sons and a daughter.



## **MR. FRED "CURLY" NEAL, HARLEM GLOBETROTTER BASKETBALL PLAYER, RETIRED**

Fred "Curly" Neal is a professional basketball player best known for his career with the Harlem Globetrotters. Mr. Neal grew up in Greensboro, NC and graduated from Dudley High School. He attended Johnson C. Smith University where he averaged 23.1 points a game and was named All-CIAA guard. With the Harlem Globetrotters, he played for 22 seasons (1963–85) and appeared in more than 6,000 games in 97 countries. In the 1970s, he and other Globetrotters starred in the Hanna-Barbera animated cartoon *Harlem Globetrotters* as well as its spinoff, *The Super Globetrotters*. The animated Globetrotters also made three appearances in The New Scooby-Doo Movies. Mr. Neal appeared with fellow Globetrotters in a live-action Saturday morning TV show, *The Harlem Globetrotters Popcorn Machine*. The Globetrotters retired Mr. Neal's Number 22 in 2008, making him the fifth Globetrotter in the team's 82-year history to do so. A mural commemorating his achievements both as a Globetrotter and during his time at Dudley High School is painted in the basketball gym of the Hayes-Taylor Memorial YMCA in his hometown of Greensboro, NC.

# APRIL 2018



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1 April Fool's Day Easter	2 Easter Monday	3	4	5	6 Good Friday	7
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29 Earth Day	30					

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# FAYETTEVILLE STATE UNIVERSITY



## **MR. RODERICK ALLISON, DIRECTOR FEDERAL AIR MARSHAL SERVICE, TRANSPORTATION SECURITY ADMINISTRATION U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY**

Roderick Allison was named Assistant Administrator for the Office of Law Enforcement and Director of the Federal Air Marshal Service in June 2014. Most recently, he served as the TSA Acting Chief of Staff. Previously, Mr. Allison served as the TSA Acting Deputy Administrator and Assistant Administrator for the Office of Inspection. He began his career with the Federal Air Marshal Service in 1998, when he joined the program while it was part of the Federal Aviation Administration's Civil Aviation Security Program. Subsequently, Mr. Allison accepted a position as a criminal investigator with the Office of the Inspector General, U.S. Postal Service, where he received the Award for Excellence from the President's Council on Integrity and Efficiency in recognition of an outstanding investigative achievement. Mr. Allison's professional career began in 1985 with 13 years in the U.S. Army. His supervisory and operational experience included assignments at the National Security Agency, Ft. Meade Maryland; 7<sup>th</sup> Special Forces Group, Ft. Bragg, NC; and an assignment within the U.S. Army Military District of Washington. Mr. Allison earned a Bachelor of Science in psychology from Fayetteville State University and a Master of Arts in business and organizational security management from Webster University in St. Louis, Missouri.



## **MR. DARRELL ARMSTRONG, PROFESSIONAL BASKETBALL PLAYER AND ASST. COACH DALLAS MAVERICKS**

Darrell Eugene Armstrong is a former professional basketball player who played 14 seasons in the National Basketball Association. He is an assistant coach for the NBA's Dallas Mavericks, the team that won the 2011 NBA Finals. In his hometown of Gastonia NC, he was a punter and wide receiver on the football team of Ashbrook High School. At Fayetteville State University, he joined the football team as a walk-on place kicker. Later, he joined the Fayetteville State basketball team and played three seasons. He was the CIAA Slam Dunk champion in 1990 and a first-team All-CIAA selection in 1991. He began his professional sports career with minor and international leagues from 1991-1995. Mr. Armstrong signed with the NBA as a free agent for the Orlando Magic in late 1994-95. The team never posted a losing record and made the post-season competition seven times during his nine years in Orlando. With the Magic Mr. Armstrong received The NBA Sixth Man Of The Year Award, The NBA Most Improved Player Award, The Rich & Helen Devos Community Enrichment Awards and was nominated for The Florida Sports Man Of The Year Award. During the 2003



## **MR. WILLIE GRAY, PROFESSIONAL FOOTBALL PLAYER, ENTREPRENEUR AND PHILANTHROPIST**

Willie Gray is the owner of A. Gray Bail Bonds and the CEO for Family Innovations LLC, both located in Charlotte, NC. Mr. Gray is a graduate of Hillside High School in Durham, NC. He attended Fayetteville State University where he stood out as an outstanding offensive/defensive football lineman. Mr. Gray earned a BS in health and physical education from Fayetteville State University. In 1980, he pursued a professional football career as a free agent with the Houston Oilers. When he was released from the Oilers, he continued his football career with the Carolina Storm of the AFA. In 1984, he began a 17-year career with General Tire and Rubber Company. There he joined Local 850 and became division representative and a member of the executive board. In 1997, he opened A. Gray Bail Bonding Company. A man of deep conviction and dedicated to what he loves, Mr. Gray donates much of his time and resources supporting his beloved Fayetteville State. He has sustained his lifetime membership with the FSU National Alumni Association and the Charlotte Alumni Chapter. From 2011-2016 he served as president of the FSU Athletic Club. Currently Mr. Gray serves on the FSU Foundation Board and is a 2001 FSU Hall of Fame Member. He is a life member of Grove Phi Grove Social Fellowship, Inc. Mr. Gray is a member of St. Luke Missionary Baptist Church where he serves as a deacon.

# MAY

# 2018



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13 Mother's Day	14	15	16	17	18	19 Armed Forces Day
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27	28 Memorial Day	29	30	31		

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# SAINT AUGUSTINE'S COLLEGE



## **DR. BRIAN HEMPHILL, PRESIDENT RADFORD UNIVERSITY AND AUTHOR**

Brian Hemphill is an educational leader, researcher, author and the 7th president of Radford University. Prior to Radford University, Dr. Hemphill was president of West Virginia State University. Dr. Hemphill earned his bachelor's in organizational communication from "St. Augustines University in 1992 and completed a master in journalism and mass communication from Iowa State University. He earned his Ph.D. in higher education administration from the University of Iowa. Dr. Hemphill has developed his administrative gifts at the University of Arkansas-Fayetteville as vice chancellor and dean of students; associate dean of students at the University of N.C.-Wilmington; Iowa State where he coordinated minority recruitment and retention; and at Northern Illinois University where he spent his eight-year tenure as an associate professor, and as vice president for Student Affairs and Enrollment Management. President Hemphill is a published author with a multitude of writings covering topics related to gun violence and threat preparedness on college campuses; emerging financial concerns affecting the collegiate sphere; STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics) and economic-related issues pertaining to education; and a myriad of additional scholarly perspectives pertinent to the higher education environment. President Hemphill recently coedited a book, titled *College in the Crosshairs: An Administrative Perspective on Prevention of Gun Violence*. He and his wife have four children



## **THE HONORABLE MALINDA MILES, MAYOR MOUNT RAINIER, MD**

Malinda Miles has served as Mayor of the City of Mount Rainier, Maryland for twelve years. She is the first African American woman ever elected mayor and the first African American woman to serve on the Mount Rainier's City Council. She has been civically engaged in Mount Rainier, since 1968. She has served on the local and county PTAs; served on the Democratic Central Committee, and served as a councilmember. In her position of Mayor, she has worked diligently and tirelessly for the Maryland Municipal League, Prince George's County Municipal Association, the Maryland Mayors Association, the Maryland Black Mayors Association, Prince Georges Elected Municipal Women, and Women in Government Services. As a self-motivated and hard-working woman, Mayor Miles believes in inclusion and in opening doors for full participation by women and other ethnic groups. She is a retired employee of the National Education Association and the former Executive Director of the Family Crisis Center of Prince George's County, Inc. She has worked with women in domestic violence for more than four years and with ex-offenders for more than ten years. She set up the first food pantry in Mount Rainier. At Armistad Saint Paul United Church of Christ, she has served as Sunday School teacher, Church President, and Chair of the Board. Mayor Miles is the parent of four adult children and the grandmother of sixteen.



## **COACH GEORGE WILLIAMS, ATHLETIC DIRECTOR, SAINT AUGUSTINE UNIVERSITY, AND U.S. OLYMPIC COACH**

From the challenging conditions of growing up in the Overtown section of Miami, Florida, George Williams, found his way to Saint Augustine's College where he excelled on the basketball court. As a faithful Falcon, Mr. Williams has served his alma mater in a variety of roles including director of alumni affairs, admissions counselor, director of student activities and head basketball coach. He was named the men's and women's track and field and cross-country coach in 1976 and named athletic director in 1997. He is one of the most successful track and field coaches in the nation. He has won the most NCAA Division II track & field championships as a coach; and the most NCAA track & field championships at one school as a coach, regardless of division. He is third in the NCAA with the most championships regardless of the sport. His scholarship athletes have achieved a 95 percent graduation rate. He has coached 39 Olympians, including three gold medalists. His coaching credentials outside of Saint Augustine's include men's head coach at the 1992 IAAF World Cup, the 1993 World Indoor Championships, and the 1999 World Outdoor Championships in Seville. He was an assistant coach for the 1996 U.S. Olympic Track and Field Team in Atlanta, Ga, and the head coach of the 2004 U.S. Men's Olympic Track and Field Team in Athens, Greece. He has been the recipient of more than 150 track & field coach of the year honors, including the 2016 NCAA Division II National Outdoor Men's Coach of the Year Award, the 2015 NCAA Division II National Outdoor Men's Coach of the Year Award, the 2014 NCAA Division II National Indoor and Outdoor Men's Coach of the Year Awards and the 2013 NCAA Division II National Indoor and Outdoor Men's Coach of the Year Awards by the U.S. Track & Field and Cross-Country Coaches Association (USTFCCCA).

# JUNE

# 2018



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## **THE HONORABLE JOYCELYN JOHNSON, COMMUNITY ADVOCATE, FORMER CITY COUNCILMEMBER WINSTON-SALEM, NC**

Ms. Johnson has a passion for people. She has dedicated her life to helping people professionally, civically, politically and spiritually. A native of Winston-Salem, NC and graduate of Atkins High School, Ms. Johnson earned the B.A. in sociology with a social work concentration. She was awarded the Gerontology Fellowship Certificate from Livingstone College. She has served patients and staff at Wake Forest Baptist Medical Center for 45 years in Respiratory Care, Social Work, Community Outreach, Medical Staff Services, and Graduate Medical Education. Best known as a public servant, she was elected to the Winston-Salem City Council for the East Ward and served sixteen years with a keen focus on the Public Works Committee. Her public service leadership has been at the local, regional, state and national level. Some of her involvements have been with the National League of Cities, National Black Caucus of Local Elected Officials, the North Carolina League of Municipalities, Piedmont Triad Research Park Community Advisory Committee, East Winston Restoration Association, Creative Corridors Coalition, the North Carolina Black Elected Municipal Officials, Lutheran Services of the Carolinas, Western North Carolina Chapter of the Alzheimer Association, and the Tiny Viking Football Booster Club. She currently chairs the N.C. League of Municipalities Foundation and is the Vice Chair of N. C. Housing Foundation. She was the first Winston-Salem Council Member to hold regularly scheduled town hall meetings to address citizen concerns. Her initiatives include the development of SciTech Institute for middle school students, an outreach effort of Wake Forest Innovation Quarters; and a resolution to create the Winston-Salem Historic Marker Program-WSSU Involvement. Ms. Johnson is passionate about promoting economic development opportunities for minority and women owned businesses. She is a long-time member of Mars Hill Baptist Church and an instructor for the Forsyth County Sunday School Union and special worker for Forsyth County Missionary Union.



## **MS. SUSIE RUTH POWELL, LAWYER, AUTHOR, SCREENWRITER**

Susie Ruth Powell came of age in the Jim Crow era of 1950's North Carolina. She majored in English at Bennett College. When she turned 21 in 1964 she tried to register to vote in rural NC without success. This event has motivated her along her life journey. She earned a master's in literature from Smith College and continued her studies at Case Western Reserve law school. At Case Western Reserve she was in the first wave of women law students and was one of two black women to graduate. Soon after passing the Ohio bar, she sued the U.S. on behalf of poor people living in substandard federal housing in the case, Garden Valley Tenants Association v. James Lynn. Ms. Powell practiced poverty law in NC and Ohio. She taught contracts and trial practice at North Carolina Central School of Law. Turning to writing, she has published short stories, articles, and is the editor of OBSIDIUM magazine of literature. Ms. Powell wrote the screenplay for *The Loving Story*. Produced by HBO Documentary Films, *The Loving Story* received an Emmy for Outstanding Historical Programming (Long Form). It won the Writer's Guild of America (WGA) Documentary Screenplay Award at the AFI Discover Channel Silverdocs Festival, the Gabrielle Award, and the George Foster Peabody Award. Ms. Powell has served on the literary panel of the NC State Arts Council for four years. Currently she is focused on a fictional account of the Wilmington race riots of 1898, the seminal event that ushered in Jim Crow to NC.



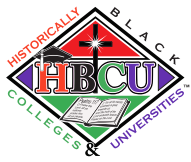
## **COACH JOHANNA WRIGHT, EDUCATOR, NATIONAL GIRLS' BASKETBALL COACH, AND ELECTED OFFICIAL**

Mrs. Wright, a native of Winston-Salem, NC, moved to Montclair, NJ with her family as a child. She is a graduate of Montclair High School and attended Bennett College where she played basketball. Her professional experience included teaching physical education, and coaching basketball at the high school level. A longtime champion for academic and athletic success, her girl teams excelled on the court and academically, generating strong SAT scores. Her exemplary coaching skills led the organizers of the first McDonald's All-American High School Basketball Game for girls to tap her as coach of the East Squad. As the head coach of the girls' basketball team at Columbia High School, Coach Wright compiled a Hall of Fame career that stands out among New Jersey coaches, male or female, in any sport. She guided her teams to many conference, county, and state championships. She coached her teams to the finals of the State Tournament of Champions twice. Coach Wright received the Frank McGuire Foundation National Coaching Award and was honored by the New York Knicks as a Legendary Basketball Coach. She is recognized at the New Jersey State Interscholastic Athletic Association Coaches Hall of Fame and the CHS Athletic Hall of Fame. For more than forty years, Johanna Lee Wright has built an extensive record of service as an advocate for children and their learning environments. As a fierce proponent for equity and excellence she was elected to the South Orange Maplewood Board of Education. She also serves on the Board of Governors for the South Orange Performing Arts Center. She is a member of Holy Spirit Our Lady, Help of Christians Church and affiliated with Elmwood Presbyterian Church.



# JULY

# 2018



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## **BISHOP GEORGE BATTLE, JR., PRESIDING PRELATE AME ZION CHURCH**

George E. Battle, Jr., a native of Rocky Mount, NC, is Senior Bishop of the A. M. E. Zion Church and the Presiding Prelate of the Piedmont Episcopal District. He earned an Associate Degree from Clinton Jr. College, a Bachelor of Arts degree from Livingstone College, a Master of Divinity degree from Hood Theological Seminary and a Doctor of Ministry from Howard University. He has received honorary doctorate degrees from Clinton Jr. College, Hood Theological Seminary, Livingstone College, Queens College, and University of North Carolina at Charlotte. He was elected a Bishop of the African Methodist Episcopal Zion Church in 1992. He presently serves the Piedmont Episcopal District that includes the Blue Ridge, West Central and, Western NC, Angola, Africa and Jamaica. Bishop Battle is CEO of the Battle Corporation. He is active in the community as a member of Boy Scouts Advisory Board; a member of the Executive Board of the World Methodist Council; as a member of the Billy Graham Evangelistic Association Board; and as a member of the Board of Directors for Carolinas Healthcare System. He is also Chair of the Connectional Budget Board of the A. M. E. Zion Church; a member of the Board of Visitors, Johnson C. Smith University; a member of the Board of Trustees for Hood Theological Seminary; and Chair for the Livingstone College Board of Trustees. His civic and community involvements include: founder of the Greater (formerly known as the Gethsemane) Enrichment Program; founding Committee Member of the Teen Health Connection; member, River Run Club; member, Leadership Breakfast Group in Charlotte, NC; one of the founders of the Urban League of Central Carolinas; and a member of the NAACP. He is affiliated with the Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Sigma Psi Phi, and the National Council of Churches. He and his wife are parents of two children and four grandchildren.



## **DR. JAMES WALTER FERREE, UNITED METHODIST MINISTER, CHURCH ADMINISTRATOR, RETIRED**

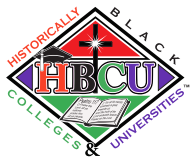
A native of Randleman, NC, Dr. Ferree graduated from Central High School in Asheboro, NC. He received his Bachelor of Arts degree from Livingstone College and a Master of Divinity degree from Hood Seminary. Further study was done at Union Seminary, Richmond, VA. He received an honorary doctorate from High Point University. Dr. Ferree actively served in the Western North Carolina Conference of the United Methodist Church for 46 years. His positions included District Superintendent for the Eastern District of NC-VA Conference of the Methodist Church; Associate Program Director of the Conference on Ministries of the Western NC Conference; pastor of St. Matthews United Methodist Church, Greensboro, NC; District Superintendent of the Gastonia District; and District Superintendent of the Winston Salem District. He served as president of the NC Council of Churches. His long and distinguished career has included a deep commitment and involvement in the cause of Christian unity, social justice, and peace. He retired in 1995. Since his retirement, he has served as director of ethnic church development for the Western NC Conference of the United Methodist Church and as pastor of Simpson-Gillespie Church in Charlotte. He has served on the boards of various organizations: board of trustees at Lake Junaluska and Pfeiffer College; board of directors for the Downtown Church Center in Winston Salem, the Food Bank of Northwest NC and Smart Start of Winston Salem. He continues to serve on the Board of Directors of The United Campus Ministry; Bethlehem Community Center of Winston Salem; The Children's Home; Arbor Acres United Methodist Retirement Community; NC Council of Churches; and Western NC Caucus of Black Methodists for Church Renewal. Dr. Ferree was honored with a wing named for him at Arbor Acres Retirement Community. He was a recipient of the Bishop James Walker Hood Donor Recognition Award as well as the Human Rights Award from Church Women United. He is a member of Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity and was named "Man of the Year" by both the Charlotte and Winston Salem chapters. He and his wife are parents to two children, four grandchildren and a great grandchild.



## **BRIGADIER GENERAL VELMA RICHARDSON, U.S. ARMY, RETIRED**

Brigadier General Velma (Von) L. Richardson, retired from active duty in October 2003. At retirement, she was the Deputy Commanding General, Network Enterprise Technology Command (NETCOM) and served as the Lockheed Martin IS&GS Small Business Development Principal until 2013. BG (R) Richardson is one of only ten African American women to have earned the rank of Brigadier General on active duty in the United States Army and was the senior African American woman in the Army at her retirement. Born and educated in South Carolina, she was raised by her grandmother, the Rev. Vashti O. Jefferies. BG (R) Richardson received a Bachelor of Science degree in mathematics from Livingstone College. Upon graduation, she received a direct commission as a second lieutenant in the U.S. Army Reserve. She earned a Master of Arts degree from Pepperdine University in human resources management and attended the U.S. Army War College at Carlisle Barracks, PA. Her assignments took her all around the globe including assignments in Korea and Germany. She had an assignment as an Assistant Professor of Military Science at Virginia State and considers that assignment one of her most rewarding assignments in her 31-year career. BG (R) Richardson is a 2005 recipient of the Doctor of Laws degree (Honoris Causa) from Livingstone College and the Parren J. Mitchell Foundation 2005 Awardee for Excellence. She was recognized as one of the outstanding graduates of historically black colleges and universities at the 26th National Conference on Blacks in Higher Education in Washington, DC. She was inducted into the South Carolina Black Hall of Fame at Columbia, SC and was twice honored as a Texas Trailblazer while serving at AAFES. She has also been recognized by the White House Initiative on Historically Black Colleges and Universities for outstanding service to the nation's military profession. She is a 2004 and 2005 Livingstone College NAC Outstanding Alumnus and received the Livingstone College Presidential Meritorious Service Award in May 2004. BG(R) Richardson serves on the boards of the Council for a Strong America, the Military Officers' Association of America, and the national board of the ROCKS. She is also one of the 12 Founders of the Annual Stars and Stripes Dinner as part of the Black Engineer of the Year Awards Conference. She also serves on the Board of Visitors for the University of Maryland University College. BG (R) Richardson and her husband, are parents to two sons and three granddaughters.

# AUGUST 2018



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## **MR. MICHAEL GALE, NBA PLAYER, RETIRED**

A native of Chester, PA, Michael Gale played high school basketball at prestigious Overbrook High School in Philadelphia and is one of the twelve former NBA players that graduated from Overbrook High School. He led the Overbrook High School basketball team to the 1967 Public League Championship. He was named All City and received the Markward Award for the City's Most Valuable Player. Being from Philadelphia and 6'4", he was nicknamed "Philly Dog" at Elizabeth City State University. He was a member of the 1968-69 team that led Elizabeth City State to a Central Intercollegiate Athletic Association (CIAA) championship, a National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics (NAIA) District championship, and an NAIA Final Four appearance. Mr. Gale was drafted in the third round of both the NBA draft by the Chicago Bulls and ABA draft by the Kentucky Colonels. He opted to play for the Colonels. His professional career included the Kentucky Colonels (1971–1973), the New York Nets (1973–1975), the San Antonio Spurs (1975–1981), the Portland Trail Blazers (1980–1981), and the Golden State Warriors (1981–1983). Mr. Gale, now affectionately known as "Sugar" was an outstanding defender, he led the Spurs in steals three times, and outstanding free throw shooter, he hit 80 percent from the line five straight seasons. Since retiring, he has worked as director of operations with Integrative Health Technologies, a research company that does clinical trials for various organizations. He is a partner in Chef Sugar's Catering. He has participated in after-school programs where he mentored the youth of the San Antonio Independent School District while working with N.I.S.E.R.R to hold basketball clinics and camps for kids that would normally not be able to afford or attend them. He developed a love for visual arts through photography and can be seen with his camera almost all the time. He is the father of four adult children.



## **COACH ROBERT L. VAUGHAN, HEAD MEN'S BASKETBALL COACH, ATHLETICS DIRECTOR ECSU, RETIRED**

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# SEPTEMBER 2018



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## **MR. ALVIN AUSTIN ATTLES, JR. NBA PLAYER AND NBA COACH, RETIRED**

Born in Newark, NJ, Alvin Attles finished Weequahic High School and completed the bachelor's degree in physical education and history at NC A&T and the master's degree in curriculum and instruction from the University of San Francisco. He was drafted by the Philadelphia Warriors in 1960 and became the team's second-leading scorer. One of the most aggressive and hard-nosed players in the league, he was nicknamed "The Destroyer". Attles is one of six players in Warriors history to have his jersey retired and is one of the most publicly recognizable sports figures in the Bay Area. He became one of the first African-American coaches in the NBA when he was named player-coach of the Warrior during the 1969-70 season. He guided the Warriors to the 1975 NBA championship making him the second African-American coach to win an NBA title. Mr. Attles coached the Warriors until 1983. During his 13-year coaching run, Attles guided the Warriors to six playoff berths, two division titles and amassed an overall 557-518 record, which ranks 25th on the NBA's all-time coaches winning list. He is the longest serving coach in Warriors history. He went on to be the Warriors' general manager. He now serves as a team ambassador. He is the longest tenured employee of any NBA team with 56 seasons with the franchise. His endless contributions locally as a player, executive and civic leader resulted in his much-deserved induction into the Bay Area Sports Hall of Fame in 1993. In the summer of 2006, the newly refurbished outdoor basketball court at Lincoln Square Park in downtown Oakland was permanently renamed "Alvin Attles Court" in his honor. He was inducted into the Bay Area Sports Hall of Fame in 1993 and honored by the Naismith Memorial Basketball Hall of Fame with the John R. Bunn Lifetime Achievement Award in 2014. He and his wife reside in Oakland. They have two adult children.



## **MRS. DEBRA HOGAN, MUSICIAN, CHEMIST, CITY OF LEXINGTON, NC, RETIRED**

A native of Lexington, N.C. Debra Hogan has been an achiever since childhood. In elementary school, she danced with the school's ballet and tap groups, was May Queen and a Girl Scout. As a seventh grader, she was an accompanist for the Dunbar High School Glee Club. She won intramural tennis championships for the recreation department of the City of Lexington. During her early teens, she was an active demonstrator with the NAACP Youth Movement supporting the efforts of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. and the Rev. Jesse Jackson, often picketing for inclusion. She was one of the first students to integrate the Lexington School System, the city pools and the movie theaters. Mrs. Hogan graduated from Lexington Senior High and was a member of the National Beta Honor Society. Music has been a passion. She has served as organist for various churches in Lexington for over 40 years. She performed as a vocalist with the late Jessie Hairston and as an accompanist for Brazile Dennard, when they performed in Lexington. Mrs. Hogan attended Pfeiffer College (now Pfeiffer University) and earned a Bachelor of Science degree in biology with a minor in chemistry from NC A&T State University. Her love for science made her a real "hidden figure". For 35 years, she was the chemist for the Lexington Water Plant, where she was responsible for the water quality of the city's drinking water. In that capacity, she developed tests to monitor and meet EPA and state rules and standards. She determined research test methods and best practices. If there was a bacteria crisis, she determined the source and took the necessary actions to keep the water safe. She is certified by the state in water and wastewater operations and process control. Mrs. Hogan was the only lab analyst/chemist in the water department. She is a community servant at heart. She is a charter member of the Lexington Alumnae Chapter of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority Inc., and a member of the NAACP and the National Council of Negro Women. She presently serves as a Commissioner on the City of Lexington Human Relations Commission. She is a member of St. Peters Church and World Outreach Center, where she has served as a Cell leader, a member of the Women's Choir, and as a teacher in the School of Leaders. She is a daughter, a wife, a sister, a mother and grandmother.



## **MS. SANDRA HUGHES, TELEVISION NEWS ANCHOR, RETIRED**

Journalist Sandra Hughes was born in Durham, North Carolina. Ms. Hughes graduated from Notre Dame High School and attended North Carolina Agricultural and Technical State University, where she earned her B.S. degree in English education. She worked briefly as a technical publications editor for Western Electric but was hired as a general assignment reporter by WFMY-TV in 1972. She served on air at WFMY News 2 for 40 years. She became the first African American woman to host her own daily talk show in the Piedmont, with *Sandra and Friends*. In 1976, she was the first female broadcaster invited to participate in the European Communities' Visitors Program. Ms. Hughes was the first African American woman in the Southeast to host the nationally syndicated *PM Magazine*. She joined Lee Kinard in hosting the *Good Morning Show* in 1985. That same year, she was appointed manager of WFMY-TV's community affairs department, where she started the "2 Those Who Care" initiative. In 1990, she returned to the newsroom as the 6 p.m. evening news anchor. She spearheaded the Minority Broadcast Development Program. Throughout her career Hughes gave everything she could to be consistent at what she called "an important job." She retired from WFMY-TV in 2010, and began teaching at North Carolina Agricultural and Technical State University the following year as an adjunct professor of journalism. Ms. Hughes received the Edward R. Murrow award for news reporting from the Greensboro Chamber of Commerce in 1981, and was the first African American in the Piedmont to receive the award. She was recognized by North Carolina Agricultural and Technical State University in 1995 as a Distinguished Alumnus. In 2002, she received the North Carolina Governor's Order of the Long Leaf Pine, and July 24th of that year was proclaimed "Sandra Daye Hughes" Day by the Guilford County Commissioners. She has won multiple "Best of Gannett" awards for news anchoring and specific programs, and was named an "Unsung Hero" by the International Civil Rights Center and Museum in 2006. Ms. Hughes was given the Sojourner Truth Award by the National Association of Negro Business and Professional Women's Clubs, Inc. in 2009, and the newsroom at WFMY-TV was renamed "The Sandra Daye Hughes Information Center" the following year. Also, in 2010, The National Academy of Television Art & Sciences inducted Ms. Hughes into the Silver Circle, the North Carolina Association of Broadcasters inducted her into the Broadcaster's Hall of Fame, and she received an honorary doctorate of humanities from North Carolina Agricultural and Technical State University. In 2014, she received the Chuck Stone Lifetime Achievement Award from the National Association of Black Journalists. She and her husband have two children and two grandchildren.

# OCTOBER 2018



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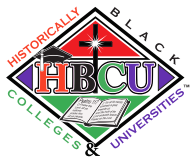
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# NOVEMBER 2018



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## **CUMBERLAND COUNTY, NC**

Glenn B. Adams received his Bachelor of Arts degree from NC State University and his Jurist Doctorate from North Carolina Central University School of Law. He also attended Oxford University, Oxford England. He was elected to the Cumberland County Board of Commissioners as a District 1 representative in 2014. His current term expires in 2018. Mr. Adams served as the board's vice chairman in 2016 and chairman in 2017. Mr. Adams is a member of the Cape Fear Valley Hospital System Board of Trustees and served in an appointed position on the Cape Fear Valley Hospital System Board of Trustees prior to being elected as a County Commissioner. He is a current or former Board of Commissioner liaison to the Library Board of Trustees, Cumberland Community Action Program and Public Works Commission, and is an appointed member of the Juvenile Crime Prevention Council and the Southeastern Economic Development Commission. He served on the Cumberland County Policy and Facilities committees and the Fayetteville-Cumberland Liaison Committee. Mr. Adams also served on the Mayor's Coalition. Mr. Adams has been involved in various professional and civic organizations. He has been chair of the NCCU Board of Trustees. He is affiliated with Kappa Alpha Phi Fraternity, Inc., E.E. Smith Giving Circle, Cumberland County Sheltered Workshop, Fayetteville Urban Ministry, Fayetteville Museum of Art, and the Fayetteville YMCA. He is a member and has been president of the Cumberland County Bar Association. Mr. Adams is a member of the North Carolina Bar Association, the North Carolina State Bar, the North Carolina Advocates for Justice and Fayetteville Area Minority Lawyers Association. He is a senior partner with Adams, Burge and Boughman, P.L.L.C. Mr. Adams is the recipient of numerous professional and public awards that include the Order of the Long Leaf Pine, Lawyer of the Year - North Carolina Black Lawyers Association, Boss of the Year - Legal Support Staff of Cumberland County, Strathmore Who's Who, Smith Chapel FWB Church Man of the Year and the Fayetteville Observer Readers' Choice Award for Best Attorney. Mr. Adams attends Smith Chapel FWB Church where he has served as the treasurer, Youth Department president and Sunday school teacher. He and his wife are parents to five children.



## **THE HONORABLE CORA COLE-MCFADDEN, MAYOR PRO TEMPORE, DURHAM, NC**

Cora Cole-McFadden received a Bachelor of Arts degree in business education and a Master of Arts degree in counseling and sociology from North Carolina Central University. She has done post graduate work at the School of City and Regional Planning at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. She is a committed public servant who retired from Durham City government after serving as the Equal Opportunity/Equity Assurance Director, and as Community Service Supervisor. Additionally, she was a housing counselor, social worker, and foster care supervisor with the Durham County Department of Social Services. She is currently the Mayor Pro Tempore of the City of Durham, North Carolina and was elected to the Durham City Council (Ward 1) in 2001. She was appointed by the Mayor to the following committee positions: Chair, Council Procedures Committee; Alternate, Joint City/County Committee; Joint City/County Planning Committee; and Vice Chair, Legislative Committee. Other appointments by the Mayor include; Durham Convention and Visitors Bureau; Housing Appeals Board; and Mayor's Committee for Persons with Disabilities. She also serves on the Audit Services Oversight Committee, Equal Business Opportunity Program (EBOP) subcommittee, Insurance Subcommittee; NECD Subcommittee, Passenger Vehicle for Hire subcommittee, and Personnel Subcommittee. She also serves on the following professional committees: Board of the Upper Neuse River Association; Carolina Theatre; Durham-Chapel Hill-Orange County Work Group; and Homeless Services Advisory Committee. Ms. Cole-McFadden is equally involved in community and civic organizations: President, Ebonettes Service Club; 1<sup>st</sup> Vice Chair Durham Branch NAACP; Durham Community Martin Luther King Steering Committee; Human Development Committee- National League of Cities; Old Farm Neighborhood Association; People's Alliance- Member; Political Committee- Durham Committee on the Affairs of Black People; Youth Committee- North Carolina League of Cities; and Zeta Phi Beta Sorority; and Eastern Star. She is affiliated with the West Durham Baptist Church where she is a member of the Celestial Choir and Superintendent of the Sunday School.



## **MR. PATRICK DOUTHIT AKA 9<sup>TH</sup> WONDER, COLLEGE LECTURER, RAPPER,**

**RECORD PRODUCER AND RECORDING ARTIST** Born Patrick Douthit in Winston-Salem, N.C., 9th Wonder is a Grammy Award-winning producer, rapper, DJ, college lecturer, and social activist. His first significant breakthrough came in 2003 when, as an up-and-coming producer, he released an unofficial remix album of Nas' 2002 album *God's Son* entitled *God's Stepson*. Released through internet outlets, the album garnered attention and acclaim. He has produced songs for artists including Jay-Z, Destiny's Child, Mary J. Blige, Erykah Badu, Ludacris, Common, Drake, and David Banner. He has appeared on BET's *Rap City* and *106 & Park*. In 2007 he made a sideline move into music academia when he, along with Christopher "Play" Martin from hip hop group Kid-n-Play, was appointed Artist-In-Residence by the Chancellor of North Carolina Central University, and began instructing a hip hop history class in NCCU's music department. In spring 2010, 9th Wonder taught a class at Duke University alongside Professor Mark Anthony Neal entitled *Sampling Soul*, as well as a hip-hop history course entitled *A Retrospect: 1968 - 1997*, at Barber Scotia College in Concord, North Carolina. He is the NAACP's National Ambassador for Hip Hop Relations and Popular Culture. His involvement with some of the top academic institutions (Harvard University, University of Michigan, University of Pennsylvania, University of Virginia) in the country has validated hip hop as a true art form. Mr. Douthit was appointed

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