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#### VIRTUAL HBCU COLLEGE FAIR

September 19, 2021 4:00-6:00 pm EST

Link to register: https://capvirtualhbcucollegefair.eventbrite.com

Students who register and attend will be entered into a drawing for a special giveaway.



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Gamma Gamma Omega Nu Rho Omega Gamma Delta Omega Psi Psi Omega Lambda Omega Nu Zeta Omega Alpha Phi Omega Omicron Kappa Omega Lambda Omega Omega

Phi Nu Omega Xi Psi Omega Delta Omicron Omega

#### Welcome Virtual HBCU College Fair

- Thank you for joining us for the HBCU College Fair.
- This webinar will be recorded for future use.
- Photos may be taken for reporting purposes.
- \*All lines will be muted to minimize noise.
- **❖**Use the chat function to post comments or questions.

Let's Make this An Engaging Event!



#### Webinar Objectives



The objectives of this college fair are to:

- \*Expose students to Historically Black Colleges and Universities (HBCU) and share HBCU facts.
- Assist high school juniors and seniors through the college admissions process.
- Encourage students to attend an amazing HBCU.

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- ❖ International Greek-letter non-profit service organization.
- ❖ Founded January 15, 1908 on the campus of Howard University (an HBCU).
- ❖ Over 300,000 members world-wide.
- ❖ Program theme: *Exemplifying Excellence Through Sustainable Service*.
- **❖**We address community needs through **five** target program initiatives:
  - **❖**Target 1: HBCU 4 Life: A Call to Action and #CAP
  - ❖Target 2: Women's Healthcare and Wellness
  - ❖Target 3: Building Economic Legacy
  - **❖**Target 4: The Arts!
  - ❖Target 5: Global Impact



## College Fair Hosted by: (12) Collaborating AKA Chapters



Lead by: Dr. Christie Murray (Psi Psi Omega Chapter, Stafford, VA)

- ❖ Alpha Phi Omega (Danville, VA)
- Delta Omicron Omega (Orlando, FL)
- ❖ Gamma Delta Omega (Portsmouth, VA)
- ❖ Gamma Gamma Omega (Asheville, NC)
- ❖ Lambda Omega (Newport News, VA)
- Lambda Omega Omega (Monmouth & Ocean Counties, NJ)
- ❖ Nu Rho Omega (Hinesville, GA)
- Nu Zeta Omega (Waldorf, MD)
- Omicron Kappa Omega (Lakeland, FL)
- Phi Nu Omega (Alexandria, VA)
- ❖ Psi Psi Omega (Stafford and Fauquier Counties, VA)
- ❖ Xi Psi Omega (Anchorage, AK)

## Join A Local Chapter's #CAP Program (free) High School Students Welcome!

- ❖ Participate in a local AKA chapter's 2021-2022 #CAP program.
- ❖ Students will receive personalized support and attend special events on:
  - Completing college applications
  - ❖ SAT/ACT registration & prep
  - Writing essays
  - ❖ Obtaining letters of recommendation
  - Understanding financial aid
  - Researching and applying for scholarships
  - ...and more

#### **Download the #CAP Application:**

http://www.staffordaka.com/target-1--hbcu-for-life--a-call-to-action.html Submit the application to: <a href="mailto:christiemurrayaka@gmail.com">christiemurrayaka@gmail.com</a>

or

\*\*Indicate your interest in the survey at the end of the webinar\*\*

#### **Upcoming Events**





#### OCTOBER



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Sunday, October 10, 2021 4:00-5:30 pm EST

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### Support HBCU Impact Day - Monday, September 20th Help Us Raise \$1 Million in 1 Day

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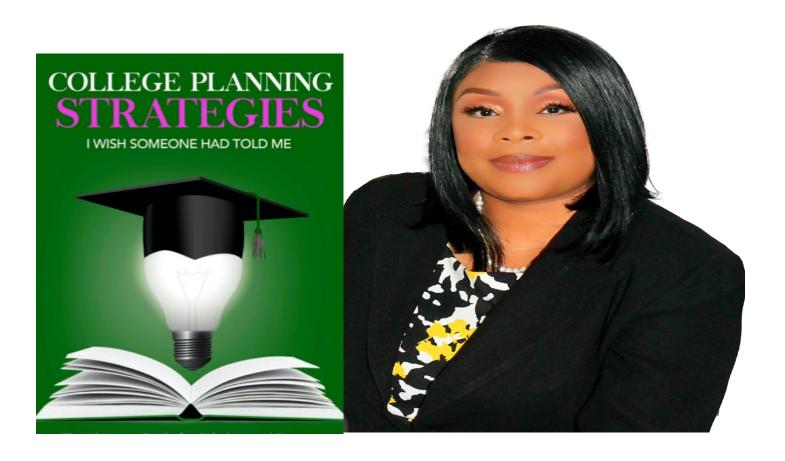
- \* Share HBCU Facts
- Introduce HBCU College Officials
- Breakout for College Fair Discussions
- Closing Remarks/Wrap-up

#### **HBCU Facts**

Dr. Christie Murray

#### Pay Attention for a Chance to Win Give-a-ways

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## Historically Black Colleges or Universities Facts



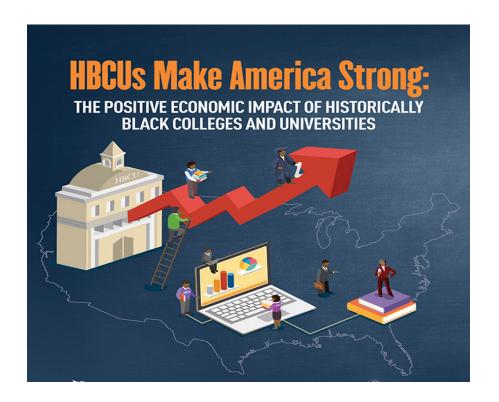
- HBCUs existed for almost 200 years.
- ❖ African-Americans were unable to pursue an education at white institutions so HBCUs were created to educate African-Americans.
- ❖ There are currently 107 HBCU's in the United States.
- Against these odds, HBCUs historically have provided an affordable education to millions of students of color in many professions.

#### Who's Attending HBCUs?

#### Demographics:

- ❖ 74% African American
- **❖** 11.4% White
- ❖ 5.1% Hispanic or Latino
- ❖ 9.7% All other backgrounds





#### **HBCUs** in the United States:

- \* Represent less than 3% of colleges & universities
- \* Enroll 12% of all African American students
- Produce 23% of all African American graduates
- Confer 40% of all African American STEM degrees



#### **HBCUs Educate:**

- ❖ 50% of African American teachers.
- ❖ 40% of African American health professionals.
- ❖ 70% of African American dentists and physicians.
- ❖ 58% of HBCUs offer students the opportunity to study abroad.

#### The Divine Nine (9)

#### **Black Greek Letter Organizations**



#### Fraternities (Males):

- ❖ <u>Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity</u>, Founded 1906, Cornell University
- \* Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity, Founded 1911, Indiana University
- ❖ Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Founded 1911, Howard University
- ❖ Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Founded 1914, Howard University
- ❖ <u>Iota Phi Theta Fraternity</u>, Founded 1963, Morgan State University

#### **Sororities (Females):**

<u>Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority</u>, Founded 1908, Howard University <u>Delta Sigma Theta Sorority</u>, Founded 1913, Howard University <u>Zeta Phi Beta Sorority</u>, Founded 1920, Howard University <u>Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority</u>, Founded 1922, Butler University





## Fraternities











## Sororities





# HBCU Graduates Are Unstoppable!



## **Kamala Harris**U.S. Vice President





## Stacey Abrams Attorney, Voting Rights Activist





#### Booker T. Washington

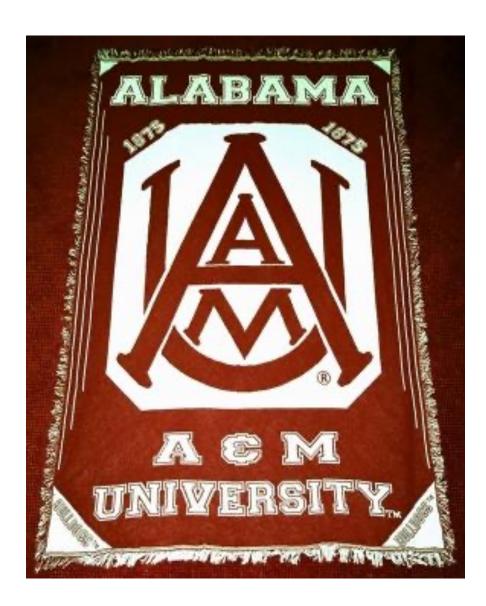
Educator, Founder of Tuskegee University and Political Activist





#### Rueban Studdard Singer and Actor





#### Dr. Ralph D. Abernathy, Sr. Civil Rights Activist and Baptist Minister





#### Reverend Jesse Jackson Politician, Activist





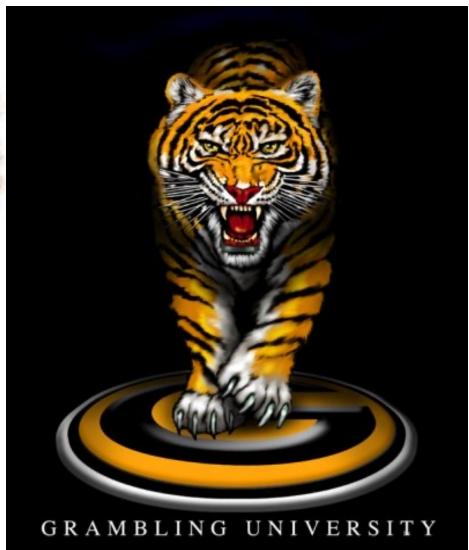
#### Samuel L. Jackson Actor and Producer





## **Eryka Badu**Singer-songwriter, record producer and actress





#### Lonnie Lynn (aka) Common Rapper, writer, actor, activist





#### **Kyle O' Quinn** NBA Basketball Player Philadelphia 76ers





#### Kim Coles Actress, Comedian





#### **Wale** Rapper, Musician





#### Capt. Donnie L. Cochran, Retired First African American Blue Angels Pilot





#### **Oprah Winfrey**

Talk show host, television producer, actress, author, and philanthropist





## Stephen A. Smith ESPN Sports Analyst





#### **Consider Applying to HBCUs**



### The Common Black College Application (App)

#### www.commonblackcollegeapp.com

- ❖ Students can submit one college applications to about 55 HBCUs.
- Create an account and apply to multiple colleges for about \$20.
- Select your top HBCUs to apply.
- Upload your test scores.
- Research and apply to multiple colleges through one website.
- Reused when applying for multiple colleges on the site.



Robert Mason, Founder

### Reasons to Attend an HBCU

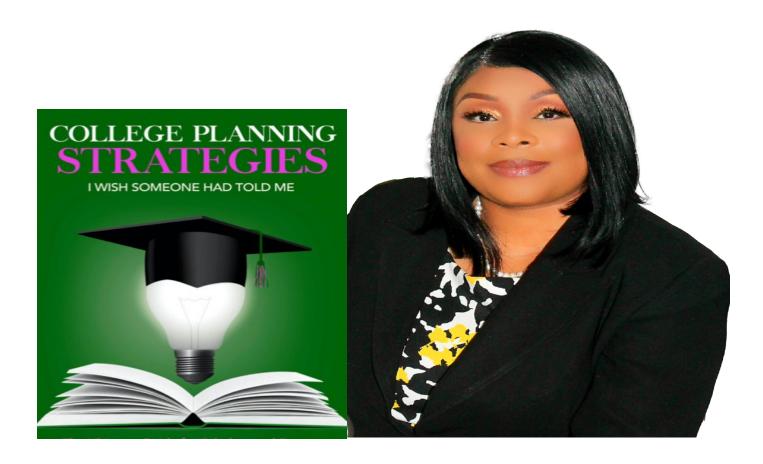
- Competitive institutions with long histories of academic excellence.
- Outstanding preparation for life after college.
- Close knit family-oriented environment.
- Stronger connection with black heritage and culture is prioritized.

### What's Your Reason?

### Give-a-ways (2)

Share one HBCU fact you learned so far.

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### (18) HBCUs Represented! Introductions (2 - 3 minutes each)



- Name
- College Name
- College Location
- ❖ Title or Role
- ❖ Greek Affiliation (Divine 9), if applicable
- Share interesting facts about the college
- Student opportunities? (waiving college application fees, acceptance, scholarships, etc.?)

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### Represented HBCU Colleges

- 1. Alabama State University
- 2. Cheyney University
- 3. Coppin State University
- 4. Elizabeth City University
- 5. Fisk University
- 6. Grambling State University
- 7. Livingstone College
- 8. Miles College
- 9. Norfolk State University

- 10. NC A&T State University
- 11. North Carolina Central University
- 12. Paine College
- 13. Savannah State University
- 14. Southern University and A&M College
- 15. Stillman College
- 16. Talladega College
- 17. Texas Southern University
- 18. Virginia State University

### HBCU College Representative Breakout Room Instructions

- **A** Each **HBCU** has a breakout room.
- **Select a breakout room** at the bottom of the screen.
- ❖ College representatives will join and **stay** in their breakout room.
  - ❖ Share information about their HBCU.
  - Can share their screens.
  - Provide college application waiver information and more.
  - **❖** Answer student questions.
- Students can choose to join and visit multiple breakout rooms.
  - ❖ Turn on your cameras and engage with HBCU College reps.
  - ❖ Ask questions that you always wanted to ask.
- \* Rejoin the main room after breakout ends for closing remarks.
  - ❖ All participants will **rejoin the main room at 5:45 pm**.
  - ❖ Will receive a 2-minute warning to wrap up conversation.

### **Breakout Room Discussions**

Be back at 5:45 pm!

## **Closing Remarks**

# Thank you HBCU College Representatives!

- We thank each of our HBCU College Representatives!
- Your participation has enriched student's experience with HBCUs.
- To show our appreciation, we are gifting each of you Amazon eGift cards.



# Complete the Evaluation Survey We appreciate your feedback!

- Survey Monkey evaluation:
  <a href="https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/3XJM372">https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/3XJM372</a>
- Click the survey link in the chat function or scan the QR code.
- Tell us about your needs or future topics
- Email will be sent to participants with the:
  - Evaluation Survey Monkey link
  - Student slides
  - ❖ Future webinar dates/registration



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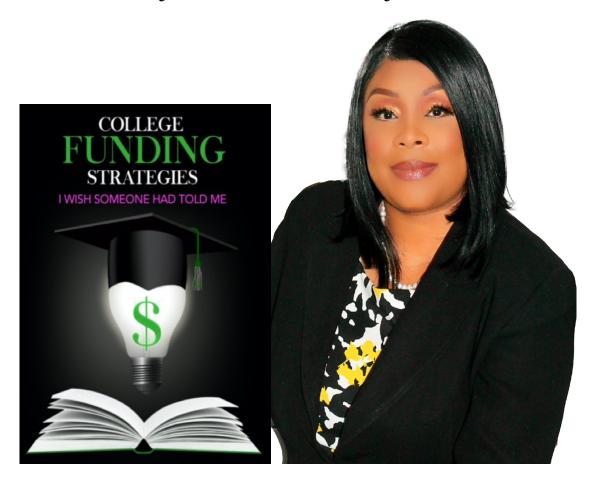
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### Give-a-ways (2)

Share one take-a-way from the HBCU breakout room. (unmute)

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### Past Webinar Recordings and Videos



- Top Strategies for Taking the SAT/ACT: <a href="https://youtu.be/U2x9hIJngao">https://youtu.be/U2x9hIJngao</a>
- Writing Essays & Letters of Recommendation: <a href="https://youtu.be/KlJ9SvbMVyo">https://youtu.be/KlJ9SvbMVyo</a>
- General College Information & HBCUs: <a href="https://youtu.be/EzR-Vk9pRKI">https://youtu.be/EzR-Vk9pRKI</a>
- College Planning Made Easy: <a href="https://youtu.be/RTfeZNL-BvA">https://youtu.be/RTfeZNL-BvA</a>
- College Funding and Financial Literacy: <a href="https://youtu.be/FFavH7H5m88">https://youtu.be/FFavH7H5m88</a>
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- SAT Prep Webinar: <a href="https://youtu.be/u-Y2L58YZ50">https://youtu.be/u-Y2L58YZ50</a>
- ACT Prep Webinar: <a href="https://youtu.be/hllxrEqU0gw">https://youtu.be/hllxrEqU0gw</a>

## Questions



(Unmute Your Line or Submit a Chat Question)

### Thank You!



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