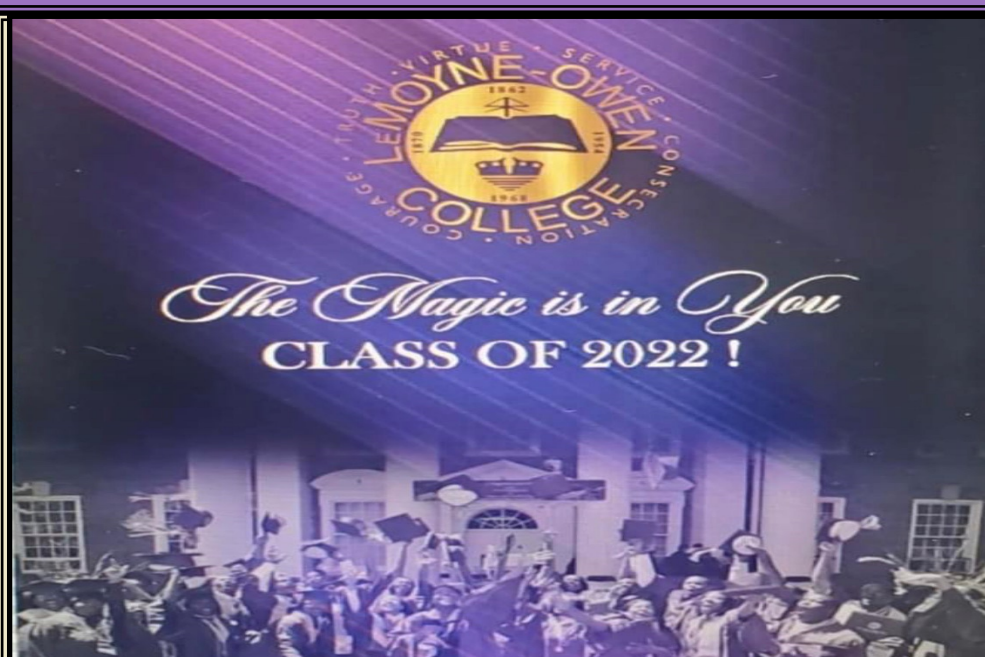


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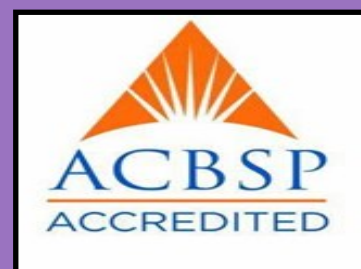


### Congratulations to all LeMoyne-Owen Graduates

It so bitter sweet to see graduates exit the campus on their own particular journeys. The 2022 celebrations' 98 graduates were received at the historic Orpheum Theatre, Memphis, Tn for the 160th celebration of LeMoyne-Owen College on May 7, 2022. The speaker, and recipient of the Doctorate of Humane Letters, Mr. Donald Frieson, also announced the soon to be released \$1M Lowe's donation to the college. Also recognized, Mrs. Beverly Robertson – Doctor of Humane Letters and Rev. Dr. James Lawson, Jr. – Doctor of Divinity. The honor of 2022 class Valedictorian went to WEB Dubois Scholars' President and Accelerated Studies for Adults and Professionals (ASAP) business student, Ms. Tierney Kuykendoll. Also named, Dr. Mekel Richardson was selected as the Theodore Roosevelt McLemore Award recipient for "Excellence in Teaching."

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#### About LeMoyne-Owen College

LeMoyne-Owen College is a four-year liberal arts institution that prepares students to become critical thinkers, to lead productive and successful lives, and to make positive contributions to their respective communities. LeMoyne-Owen occupies a beautifully landscaped campus about ten minutes from downtown Memphis and one block from the Stax Museum and Academy of American Soul Music. With a rich heritage that dates back to 1862, the College promotes diversity in its student body, staff and faculty. Its core curriculum, which emphasizes a multicultural education, is a national model shown to build student confidence. The student is challenged by a rigorous course of study in English communication, literature, African American history, humanities, natural science, biological science, mathematics, social science, and lifetime fitness—all while pursuing the requirements of his or her academic major.

Virtual Office hours:

Monday – Friday 8:30am to 4:30pm, ASAP

## CELEBRATING LOC'S 13TH PRESIDENT

THE PRESIDENTIAL INVESTITURE OF  
*Vernell Bennett-Fairs, Ed.D.*  
LEMOYNE-OWEN COLLEGE  
MEMPHIS, TENNESSEE  
*Pure Imagination*  
May 4-6, 2022

LeMoyne-Owen College, enjoyed a rocking week of presidential and commencement activities during the week of May 4-6, 2022.

The Presidential Investiture of Vernell Bennett-Fairs, Ed.D., the 13th president of LOC was formal affair. During the program, she enjoyed well-wishers for who spotlighted the impact of the momentous occasion and that of the HBCUs. Many city and state officials present include: Steve Cohen, Mayor Strickland, Raumesh Akbari, Lee Harris, and others. LOC faculty, staff, and students, with the added exuberance of many community members and visiting member of academe from far and wide, all spoke of the groundwork in place and that of the future for LOC with President Bennett-Fairs at the helm.

Also, among the festivities, the 2022 Presidential Gala was a star studded event at The Columns of Memphis, featuring MS and actress, Malinda Williams, singer, Freddie Jackson, R&B group, Midnight Star and Memphis' own, DJ, Stan Bell on the wheels or steel. It was an evening of music, dancing, and dining. The theme, Pure Imagination, took center stage as President Bennett-Fairs graced the crowd in song. Faculty, staff, students, alums, and college constituents were certainly entertained and dazzled by the fanfare of the evening.





## LOC President's Investiture PHOTOS





# Pure Imagination—President's Gala 2022

## LOC President, Vernell Bennett-Fairs, Ed.D.



# LOC

### ACADEMIC ADVISING BEGINS FOR SUMMER AND FALL 2022

REGISTRATION BEGINS  
MARCH 28TH  
FOR SUMMER AND FALL 2022

LeMoyne-Owen  
COLLEGE  
LEADERSHIP. OPPORTUNITY. CHANGE.



*Register  
for the  
Magic!*

#### Summer

1st Session Registration Deadline is May 31, 2022  
2nd Session Registration Deadline is June 5, 2022

Early Fall Registration **Deadline is June 1** to receive  
a **25%** discount on Tuition (this offer is not available  
after June 1 but you can still register after this  
deadline)



Contact Your Academic  
Advisor TODAY!

### 2022-2023 Campus

SGA President, Barlow

SGA VP: Philencia Moody

SGA Business Manager: Myles Pettigrew

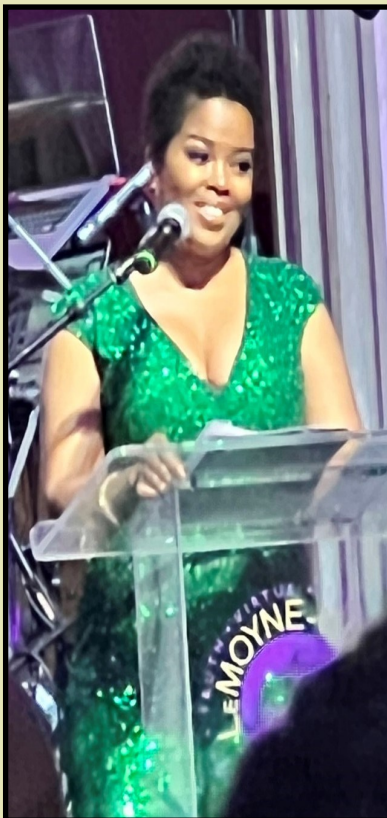
Miss LOC: Alexandria Lowe

Miss UNCF: Brianna Boyce





LOC President's GALA PHOTOS





## Division of Business and Economic Development UPDATE S !!!



### Division of Business and Economic Development Faculty Members

Dr. Katherine Causey,

Division Chair

Dr. Muhammad Anwar

Dr. Austin Emeagwai

Mr. Reo McFarland

Dr. Kusum Singh

Dr. Johnny McDonald

Mr. Douglas Newson

Dr. Michael Minor

### Division of Business and Economic Development Staff

Mrs. Tabatha White, ASAP  
Coordinator

Ms. Marian Hart, ASAP  
Coordinator

Ms. Latecia Davison,  
Administrative Assistant

Located: 990 College  
Park, Suite 202, Memphis,  
TN 38126



### **Business Students' Annual Award Banquet**

**Presented by the Business Students' Association**

Friday, April 29, 2022 ~ Brownlee Hall 31 @ 6:00pm

Speaker: Mr. Brian "Red Fox" Harris

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### **Awards Highest Overall GPA:**

Traditional: Derrick Craig & Non-Traditional: Tierney Kuykendoll

### **Faculty of the Year (Poplar Student Vote):**

Fulltime: Dr. Katherine Causey & Parttime: Mrs. Tabatha White

### **Graduates Honors:**

LOC 2022 Valedictorian: Ms. Tierney Kuykendoll

Graduate with Distinction: Ms. Jacqueline Latiker and Mr. Oscar Enyang

### **Keep An Eye OUT for Business Adjunct Faculty!**

Running for Office. . .

Mischelle Best, General Sessions Criminal Court, Division 12

Danny Kail, Shelby County General Sessions Court, Division 14 (Environmental)

Damita Dandridge, Circuit Court, Division 8



# Business Students Association Presents





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## BSA Events & Updates

LeMoyne-Owen College  
Lessor Owen Center

**Business Students' Association presents**



Vanessa Debose, CEO  
His & Her Assignment

Chrissy Williams, CEO  
The Greater You Leadership Series

Tavia L. Williams-Dumas, CEO  
T.L. Williams Academy of Dance

Mitty Rosser-White, Agent  
State Farm Insurance

**How I became an Entrepreneur**

Capstone Business Plans are a great roadmap to your successful career. As future entrepreneurs, you will enjoy our guest panelist who will discuss business plans, building your brand, lessons learned and how they give back to the community. Join us virtually via TEAMS on **Friday, April 8, 2022 from 6:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.** [Click here to join the meeting](#)

**BSA**

BUSINESS STUDENTS' ASSOCIATION - BSA LeMoyne-Owen College  
Lessor Owen Center

**The Importance of Networking**



Please join us  
Friday, April 15, 2022  
6:00 p.m. — 7:00 p.m.  
Via Teams

**Presenter**



Joyce Kyles Consulting, LLC



## New to LOC

Mr. Stanley L. Robinson, Interim Chief Financial Officer  
(3/30/2022)

## Best of LOC Student Leadership Awards Banquet

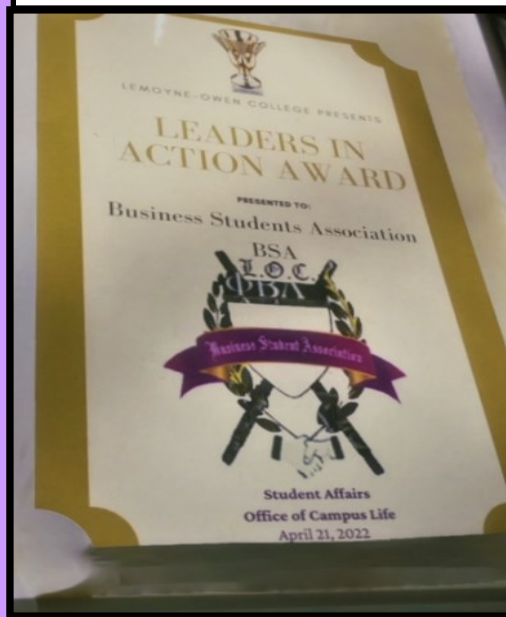
### Ms. Jacqueline Latiker



Awarded the LeMoyne-Owen College "Commitment to the Magic Award" for her leadership in steering the Business Students' Association (BSA) in her role as president for the 2021-2022 school year.

LOC Business Students' Association (BSA), BETA Chapter, received the **"Leaders In Action Award."**

*Student Affairs Office of Campus Life  
April 21, 2022*



## BSA

Joining the Business Students Association (BSA) is a great opportunity to network and share information and resources with your peers and people in industry.

The BSA is currently recruiting new members for the 2022-2023 school year. Interested students should complete and submit the BSA application along with \$25 to mari-an\_hart@loc.edu

Division of Business and Economic Development

WW Herenton Renaissance Center, second floor, 990 College Park, Memphis, TN 38126

See BSA President, Ms. Jacqueline Latiker at bsa@loc.edu or Ms. Marian Hart (BSA Advisor) 901-435-1255

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**Return application with your \$25 application fee.**

Office hours:

Monday  
8:30am

- Friday  
to 4:30pm



**\*\*BSA presents the Business Students' Award Banquet Friday, April 29, Brownlee Hall 31 @ 6:00pm**







# Business Students Association Workshops



LeMoine-Owen COLLEGE  
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**Business Students' Association presents**



Vanessa Debose, CEO <i>His &amp; Her Assignment</i>	Christin Williams, CEO <i>The Greater You Leadership Series</i>	Twitta L. Williams-Dumas, CEO <i>T. L. Williams Academy of Dance</i>	Misty Rosser-White, Agent <i>State Farm Insurance</i>
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**April 2022**

**“How I became an Entrepreneur and Building your Brand”**

via MS Teams on April 8, 2022

Panel discussion featuring:

Misty Rosser-White (State Farm Insurance Agent,

Vanessa Debose ( Owner of His & Her Consignment Boutique, LLC), and

Christin Webb (CEO, The Greater You Leadership Series)

**AND**

**“The Importance of Networking”**

Via MS Teams on April 15, 2022

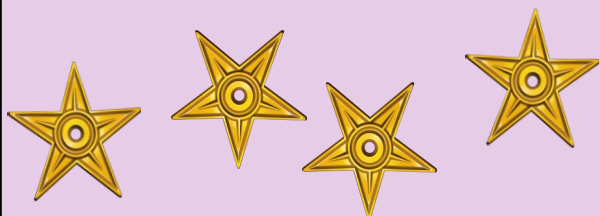
Speaker: Joyce Kyles (Joyce Kyles Consulting LLC)

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**May 2022**

**Mental Health Awareness Month**

Many Thanks to Our Guests!





# LOC Commencement 2022



**Congratulation to**  
**Ms. Tierney Kuykendoll (BBA, 2022)**  
**LeMoyne-Owen College**  
**Class of 2022, Valedictorian.**

- Non-traditional student
- Pursued the Accelerated Studies for Adults and Professionals Program (ASAP) for Business.
- President, W.E.B DuBois Scholars Program, and
- Business Students' Association (BSA) member

***We Salute You!!!***

***Congratulations Tierney!!!!***

**Pictured: Tierney Kuykendoll and LeMoyne-Owen College President, Vernell Bennett-**





## MY LEMOYNE-OWEN COLLEGE MATTERS



### **Kayla Wright, BBA (2022), Traditional Business Student**

Kayla Wright is a native Memphian and she graduated from Immaculate Conception Cathedral High School. She is currently a graduating senior majoring in Business Management at LeMoyne-Owen College, graduating with Magna Cum Laude honors. Kayla has held many roles and positions on campus throughout her four years. Some of those roles include Vice President of the Business Student Association, SGA chief of staff, as well as SGA business manager. She recently completed her internship at Memphis Wesley as the Communications & Content Strategist. The organization is a faith/justice-based organization in the Memphis area on the campuses of University of Memphis, LeMoyne-Owen College, Rhodes College, and Christian Brothers University. Kayla is a member at her father's local congregation in Frayser at Christian Love Fellowship Church. She is also a member of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Incorporated, where she continuously promotes the values of sisterhood and service amongst all of her sorority sisters. She is a frequent volunteer at MIFA meal, Volunteer Memphis, Downtown River Parks, and multiple other organizations. She also actively volunteers with United Way and Women's United. Outside of volunteering, she has interests in the fine arts world, fashion, trying new foods, and reading. Her future plans are to go into the field of sports media specifically in marketing, and she would like to obtain her license in real estate as well. Hopefully in the future, she will earn her esthetician license as well, to focus on a skin care line later in life.



## Calendar

3/11/2022

**Last Day to Apply for Graduation**

3/14/2022

**Spring Break (Traditional student only)**

4/4/2022

**Faculty Staff Mixer**

4/13/2022

**Honor Convocation—Metropolitan Baptist Church**

4/15/2022

**Good Friday Holiday**

4/29/2022

**Business Students' Graduate Award Banquet**

5/4-6/2022

**Presidential Investiture  
President Gala**

5/7/2022

**Commencement**

6/1/2022

**Summer I courses begin**



***LeMoyne-Owen College provides a transformative experience educating students for urban-focused leadership, scholarship, service and professional careers.***

- LeMoyne-Owen's Mission Statement

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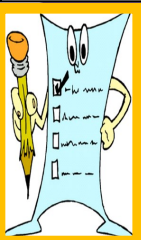
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