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45th Annual Claflin University International Alumni Convention

Hosted by
The Greater SC Coastal Alumni Chapters
of Claflin University

*“VISIONARIES: FROM THE LOWCOUNTRY
TO THE HILLTOP HIGH”*

April 25-28, 2019



North Charleston Marriott
4770 Goer Drive
North Charleston, SC 29406
(843) 747-1900

Visit and follow us online for convention updates and to see what is happening with alumni throughout the year!



Greetings Alumni and Friends



Photo by Scott Oves

The Greater SC Coastal Alumni Chapters of Clafin University (which consists of Berkeley, Charleston, Colleton & Dorchester Counties) welcome you to Charleston, the “birthplace” of Clafin University, where the theme for the 45th Clafin University International Alumni Association Convention is “Visionaries: From the Lowcountry to a Hilltop High.”

As noted in the book, *On a Hilltop High: The Origin and History of Clafin College to 1984* by Dr. Blinzy L. Gore, in Charleston, a small group of black and white ministers gathered for deliberations on the grounds of a local religious institution, and when they concluded their efforts, they had given birth

to the notion of Clafin University.

The merger of Baker Biblical Institute at Charleston and the Normal and Training School at Camden resulted in Clafin University opening its doors in Orangeburg, SC, on October 27, 1869.

These ministers, along with Lee and William Clafin, T. Willard Lewis, Alonzo Webster and many others formed the foundation upon which we stand today. As we celebrate 150 years of the vision birthed in Charleston, we also commemorate the 25th Anniversary of Dr. Henry N. Tisdale, whose tenure at Clafin University has resulted in “Academic Excellence and Visionary Leadership.”

We invite you to “Feel the Vision” as you attend meetings and events, meet and greet old and new friends, and explore Charleston. We have a great weekend planned for you! Enjoy!

Sincerely,
C. Donna McPherson Harris, '70
President, GSCCACC



HOST HOTEL

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HOTEL REGISTRATION

Group Name: Greater SC Coastal Alumni
Special Rate Code: GCA
Room Rate: \$154.00
Deadline: March 25, 2019

Itinerary

THURSDAY, APRIL 25, 2019

8 a.m. CUIAA Golf Tournament Charleston National Golf Club
12-5 p.m. Registration Hotel Lobby
1-7 p.m. Vendor Set up Hallway outside of Compass Ballroom
4- 6 p.m. Executive Committee Meeting Odyssey Boardroom
5-6 p.m. Choir Rehearsal Innovator
6-8 p.m. Student Recruitment Reception..... Reflections
7-9 p.m. Reception
(President Henry N. Tisdale and First Lady Alice Carson Tisdale's residence- Registered attendees ONLY)
7-11 p.m. Hospitality and Registration..... Momentum

FRIDAY, APRIL 26, 2019

8 a.m.-6 p.m. Registration Hotel Lobby
8-9:30 a.m. Corporate Breakfast Compass Ballroom
10 a.m.-6 p.m. Exhibits Hall Open Hallway outside of Compass Ballroom
10-11:30 a.m. CUIAA Business Meeting..... Compass Ballroom (E & F)
11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Seminar/ Workshop..... Compass Ballroom (C & D)
12:30 p.m. Lunch on your own (Clafin t-shirt after lunch)
3-4:30 p.m. Choir Rehearsal..... Innovator
5 p.m.- 12 a.m. Hospitality Room Momentum
5:30-11 p.m. Charleston Harbor Cruise Meet in the Hotel Lobby
(Bus leaving hotel at 5:30 p.m.)

SATURDAY, APRIL 27, 2019

7-8:45 a.m. CUIAA Business Meeting..... Reflections
9-10 a.m. Memorial Service Reflections
(Ladies – White attire, Men – Dark suits)
9 a.m.-3 p.m. Exhibits Open Hallway outside of Compass Ballroom
10:30-11:30 a.m. Choir Rehearsal..... Innovator
10:30 a.m.-12 p.m. Voting Explorer
12:30-2:30 p.m. Presidential Luncheon Compass Ballroom
2:30 p.m. Alumni Photo Compass Ballroom
(Immediately following Luncheon)
3-5 p.m. Clafin History and Charleston Tour..... Meet in the Hotel Lobby
6-8:30 p.m. Hospitality Room Momentum
9 p.m.-1 a.m. Orange and Maroon Ball Compass Ballroom
9 p.m.-1 a.m. 40 Under 40 Mixer Reflections

SUNDAY, APRIL 28, 2019

8-9:30 a.m. Breakfast on your own
10 a.m. Bus leaves hotel for church service at Centenary UMC..... Meet in the Hotel Lobby
11:00 a.m. Church service and Farewell
1:00 p.m. Bus returns to hotel

Registration Form

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ADDRESS _____ CITY _____
STATE _____ ZIP _____
TELEPHONE (H) _____ (C) _____
EMAIL ADDRESS _____
GRADUATION YEAR _____ YEARS ATTENDED _____
ALUMNI CHAPTER _____ OFFICE HELD _____
CURRENT NATIONAL OFFICER (Y/N) _____ PAST NATIONAL OFFICER (Y/N) _____
ARRIVAL DATE _____ DEPARTURE DATE _____

Registration Fee: \$225.00. Includes: (1) Souvenir booklet, (1) Corporate Breakfast, (1) Luncheon Ticket, (1) Orange & Maroon Ball Ticket, (1) Identification Badge (*Badge required for admission to all business meetings*), Hospitality Suite, and Reception at President and Mrs. Tisdale’s home on Thursday.

Young Alumni Registration Fee: Includes Souvenir booklet, Luncheon Ticket, Young Alumni Gathering, and Identification Badge, Hospitality Suite, and Reception at President and Mrs. Tisdale’s home on Thursday.

_____ Alumni/Delegate Registration (*Ends on March 25th*) @ \$225.00 each = _____
_____ Late Registration Fee* (*Starts on March 26th*) @ \$250.00 each = _____
_____ Young Alumni (*Classes 2014-2018*) @ \$125.00 each = _____
_____ Students enrolled at CU (*Pres. Luncheon Ticket*) @ \$50.00 each = _____
_____ Additional Luncheon Ticket @ \$80.00 each = _____
_____ Additional Orange & Maroon Ticket @ \$90.00 each = _____
_____ Friday Night Harbor Cruise @ \$80.00 each = _____
_____ T-Shirt(s) @ \$20.00 each = _____
(all sizes)
_____ Golf @ \$85.00 each = _____
_____ Historical Tour of Clafin’s History @ \$25.00 each = _____
_____ 40 Under 40 Mixer @ \$35.00 each = _____
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Register online at clafinuniversityalumni.com

Early convention registration deadline: March 25, 2019

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