Esters to Serve as 146th Founders’ Convocation Speaker
Recently joined Kentucky State University Administration

Rust College is pleased to announce the return of Dr. Lorenzo L. Esters, ’98, who will serve as keynote speaker during the 146th Founders’ Convocation in November. Dr. Esters received his Bachelor of Arts in English, graduating summa cum laude, from Rust College; a Masters’ in English from Jackson State University, and his doctorate in Higher Education Administration from Morgan State University in 2007.

Dr. Esters was recently named Vice President for Student Success and Enrollment Management at Kentucky State University. He previously was vice president for the Association of Public and Land-Grant Universities’ Office for Access and the Advancement of Public Black Universities (APLU).

He has also served as Senior Advisor to the President (2008-09) at Dillard University in New Orleans, Louisiana, providing leadership to achieve the administration’s goals and addressing complex and sensitive campus issues. Before working at Dillard, Dr. Esters was a management and program analyst for the U.S. Department of Education.

Esters will join hundreds of his fellow alumni and current students and friends of the institution as Rust College celebrates 146 years of education and service November 9-11. The 146th Founders Convocation will be held in Morehouse Auditorium of the Doxey Alumni Fine Arts-Communication Center at 11:00 a.m. Sunday, November 11.

146th Founders’ Celebration Schedule ~ November 2012

**Sunday, November 4**
Bell Ringing Ceremony, 9:30 a.m.
Asbury United Methodist Church
225 West College Avenue, Holly Springs

Worship Service, 10:00 a.m.
Asbury United Methodist Church

**Friday, November 9**
Alumni Registration & Fellowship, 1:00 p.m.
Oakview Mansion

Alumni & Friends Awards Banquet, 6:00 p.m.
Honoring the Classes of 1962 & 1987
Shaw Cafeteria

Coronation of Miss Rust College, 8:30 p.m.
McMillan Multi-Purpose Center

**Saturday, November 10**
Founders’ Parade, 11:00 a.m.
Holly Springs Square

Concert of Bands, 1:00 p.m.
McMillan Multi-Purpose Center

Homecoming Basketball Game, 5:30 p.m.
Rust College vs. LeMoyne-Owen College
McMillan Multi-Purpose Center

**Sunday, November 11**
President’s Breakfast and Photo Session, 8:00 a.m.
Brown Mass Communications Building

Memorial Service, 9:30 a.m.
Hillcrest Cemetery, 380 South Maury Street

146th Founders Convocation, 11:00 a.m.
Morehouse Auditorium, Doxey Building
Division of Business Student Academic Council
Elects New Officers

L-R: Nakeshia Bennett, Treasurer; Shtoria Fox, SGA Representative; Faderricka Harvey, President; Terrell Watson, Vice President; Lauren McLin, Recorder

Congratulations to the newly elected officers of the Division of Business Student Academic Council (DOBSAC). DOBSAC was established within the Division of Business as a means of allowing students a voice in the overall well-being of the division.

DOBSAC is charged with the duty of seeking opportunities for improvement, and the enhancement of the division through academic, social & cultural programs and activities. DOBSAC should also be actively involved in the recruiting and retention efforts within the division by offering suggestions and recommendations.

DOBSAC meets monthly to hear suggestions from business students about areas of concern within the division and to determine if any recommendations need to be made. All Division of Business students are encouraged to join DOBSAC. Students interested in DOBSAC may call the Division of Business for more information: 662-252-8000 ext. 4352.

Alumnae Receives Nursing Degree, Ranked 2nd in Class

Pauline Adhoch, a 2002 biology graduate, was awarded the M.S. Degree in Advanced Practice Nursing from the University of Memphis, Loewenberg School of Nursing, on August 11, 2012. Pauline finished second in her graduating class and spoke to a capacity audience in the Michael D. Rose Theatre where she stated, “I came to this country with a suitcase and $5.00 in my pocket. I entered Rust College, completed my degree in biology, went on to complete a B.S. in nursing (2006) and stand here as the second ranking student in my graduating class. Rust College provided the foundation”.

English Majors Invited to Participate in Conference
Submitted by Dr. Alisea W. McLeod

English majors Naomi Rahn and Joshua Stampley Gardner have been invited to participate in the Mid-South Undergraduate Research Conference October 12 and 13 at Southern Arkansas University.

Rahn and Gardner submitted to the upcoming conference abstracts of research papers completed in English 136. Rahn's paper, "Considering the Ethics of Slavery Today", focuses critically on the perceived benevolence of Marshall County, Mississippi slave owner Ebenezer Davis, while Gardner's paper describes the range of genealogical materials available on the Internet. The focus of Gardner's research was William Finley, another Marshall County slave owner. Dr. Alisea W. McLeod and Dr. Sharron Sarthou will travel with Rahn and Gardner to the conference, to be held in Magnolia, Arkansas.
Greek Life: Showing up and Showing Out!

Members of Zeta Phi Beta Sorority and Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity help new students during Orientation by assisting them with moving in and handing out water and snacks.

Members of Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity hosted a Voter Registration Drive in the BCS-Heard Auditorium.

SGA and Miss Rust presents: “Greeks Greet the Yard”, September 4, 2012
IN CASE OF EMERGENCY…

Emergency notifications for students, faculty and staff will be handled by mass email, Channel 19, WURC 88.1 FM, RC-TV 2, and campus loud speakers. If you would like to receive emergency notifications by text message, please submit your cell phone number to Mrs. Carolyn Hymon, Dean of Students. The numbers will be used for emergencies ONLY and will not be distributed.

Emergency Numbers:
Security office: 662-252-8090
Security guard on duty: 662-216-3429

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Journey to Reduce Breast Cancer through education and prevention

The Fall 2012 Human Growth and Development Class at Rust College will be hosting its 10th Annual Breast Cancer Awareness program in October 2012. This year’s program will include a Silent Auction and as well as our Breast Cancer walk; two exciting days of a breast cancer educational outreach initiative to the college and local community, October 5 and 6 on the campus of Rust College. Please contact Martha Stovall x 4404 or Monique Lewis x 4352 for more information.

Important Financial Aid Information

Rust College Loan Disbursement and Refund Policy

Loan disbursement and refunds will be issued after authorized charges have been deducted (tuition, room & board, etc.). Student must be enrolled in at least six hours each module at the time refunds are disbursed.

Loan Disbursements

All students with 30 hours or less will have their loans disbursed in two equal payments each semester:

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Our Deepest Condolences

...To the family of Mrs. Cornelia Powell, whose husband, Mr. Casey Powell, passed away August 29, 2012.

...To the family of Mrs. Annie Jones Davis, whose mother, Mrs. Janie Echols, also passed away last week.

May loving memories comfort you. Though the ones we love may leave life, in our memory, the love we know will always carry on...

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