



# Alumni Council

## Black Alumni Union

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*Regina Glenn*

## National Association of Minority Contractors Diversity Advocate of the Year

On October 4th Regina Glenn '70, MBA '71 was not only awarded the Diversity Advocate of the Year award, but learned that it was to be named for her as well.

After receiving the award Regina shared, "Advocacy is what I have been about most of my

life, so I am deeply honored by this privilege. To be recognized by my colleagues from the agencies and the business owners is an affirmation that my efforts have borne fruit for many business owners. That was always my goal. Our company's theme is to advocate, collaborate, inform, and engage with our clients to help diverse businesses grow. This award personifies that."

The entire article can be found here: <https://seattlemedium.com/national-association-minority-contractors-names-diversity-award-regina-glenn/>.

# Celebrate over 30 years of Alumni Sharing Knowledge

*Save the Date: February 6, 2020*

ASK Night is an annual gathering designed to support students' career development—providing them with an opportunity to connect with you, benefit from your knowledge, and practice their networking skills with a Logger-friendly audience.

To learn more visit: [pugetsound.edu/about/offices-services/ces/career-events/ask-night/](https://pugetsound.edu/about/offices-services/ces/career-events/ask-night/). Registration information will be available soon.

## Why attend ASK Night?

"ASK Night facilitates professional networking in a relaxed environment that makes it accessible. I was a bit nervous initially, but everyone was really encouraging, supportive, and easy to talk to. It's a great opportunity that is essentially handed to you on a silver platter once a year."

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*Professor Gordon*

## Dolliver Professorship

Congratulations to our own Professor Dexter Gordon, recently named James Dolliver National Endowment for the Humanities Distinguished Teaching Professor. The professorship, awarded every three years, was established at UPS in 1996 and was named for James Dolliver, a longtime UPS Board member and a Washington State Supreme Court Justice.

Dr. Gordon, who has been at the University for 17 years, teaches rhetoric, media, culture, and African American studies. He also directs the African American Studies Program and the Race and Pedagogy Institute. The Institute's mission is to foster critical thinking about race among students and teachers. The ultimate goal, to transform

society and take steps to eliminate racism.

A list of other recipients of the Dolliver Professorship can be found [here](#).

## Community Events

- Tacoma Urban League Holiday Luau | Friday, December 6 | 6:30 p.m. | Asia Pacific Cultural Center

For more information or to register please visit their page [here](#).

TACOMA URBAN LEAGUE'S 8TH ANNUAL  
**HOLIDAY  
LUAU**  
**Friday, December 6, 2019**  
6:30 pm - doors open at 6:00 pm  
**BRING THE WHOLE FAMILY**  
MUSIC - Live Island Band  
ENTERTAINMENT - Representing the South Pacific Islands of Tonga, Fiji, Tahiti, Hawaii, New Zealand, and Samoa.  
**WHERE:**  
Asia Pacific Cultural Center  
4851 South Tacoma Way  
Tacoma, WA 98409

*Help support T'wina Nobles '06, MAT '07 and the Tacoma Urban League*

# Calendar for 2019-2020

- January 21st | UPS 34th Annual MLK Celebration Event | 7 - 8:30 p.m. | Kilworth Chapel
- May 17th | African American Studies Graduation and Award Ceremony | 12 - 1:30 p.m. | Thompson Hall, Room 195

## Officers

- President - Regina Glenn '70, MBA '71
- Vice President - Vacant
- President-Elect (and university Trustee) - Lyle Quasim '70
- Past President, Sarah Lee '94
- Secretary - Vacant
- Historian - Henry Johnson '71
- Community Liaison - T'wina Nobles '06, MAT '07

Interested in getting involved? Let BAU President Regina know at 425.503.7212 or Haley Harshaw in the Office of Alumni and Parent Relations at 253.879.3451 or [harshaw@pugetsound.edu](mailto:harshaw@pugetsound.edu).

## Monthly Bulletin

This monthly communications piece is to act as a platform to inform you of the happenings on campus regarding current students in our Black Student Union (BSU), African American Studies Program, and The Race and Pedagogy Institute (RPI). It also serves as a space to highlight our very own UPS black alumni. If you have news to share, let us know! Email [Regina Glenn](mailto:Regina.Glenn@pugetsound.edu), editor, or [Haley Harshaw](mailto:Haley.Harshaw@pugetsound.edu), alumni office.

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