HOWARD UNIVERSITY economics department alumni association

Mission
To provide advice and support to the faculty and students of the Economics Department at Howard University.

Officers
Ms. Hazel Robinson, President
Dr. Charles Thorpe, Vice-President
Dr. Sandra Cooke-Hull, Secretary
Ms. Patricia Lott-Smith, Treasurer

Founded: April 2001

Founding members:
Ms. Hazel Robinson  Dr. Sandra Cooke-Hull
Dr. Gwendolyn Flowers  Dr. Charles Thorpe
Dr. Gwendell Waters-Bass  Dr. Connie Hamilton
Dr. Jo Ann Rolle  Dr. Yusef Ahmad
Ms. Doris Newton  Ms. Patricia Lott-Smith
Ms. Susanne Johnson

OBJECTIVES
- Provide career development advice and outreach to the Department
- Identify potential employment and internship opportunities for students
- Improve access to economic data and information for faculty and students
- Provide input into curriculum development
- Assist the Department in fundraising efforts

Career Development Committee
Dr. James Kaiwu, Chair
Goals
- Assist the Department’s coordinator in the development and maintenance of an employment and internship database
- Develop contact information for grants and scholarships
- Review students’ resumes and provide feedback

Public Relations Committee
Dr. Linda Jones, Chair
Goals
- Establish Friends of the Economics Department (FOED) for networking and support
- Organize membership drives
- Develop public relations notices
- Project positive image of organization

Finance Committee
Dr. Gwendolyn Flowers, Chair
Goals
- Develop and maintain the organization’s budget
- Work with the Treasurer on the organization’s funding requirements
- Report to the Executive Committee on financial position of the organization
- General fundraising

Awards Committee
Ms. Doris Newton, Chair
Goals
- Develop award criteria, evaluate applications and select awardees
- Assist with the administration of the Joseph R. Houchins Scholarship Fund

2012-2013 Calendar of Events

Sep 2012  HUEDAA 2012-13 Kickoff Meeting
Oct 2012  Distribution of Student Care Packages
Dec 2012  Graduate Student Travel Award
Dec 2012  HUEDAA Christmas Party
Oct-Dec 2012  HUEDAA Calendar Fundraiser Project
Jan 2013  Support the Department’s Reception at the 2013 ASSA/NEA Meetings in San Diego, CA
Feb/Mar 2013  FAA Career Day Event
Mar 2013  Distribution of Student Care Packages
Apr 2013  Houchins/Bocage Scholarship Fundraiser –Annual ODE Banquet
Apr 2013  Vincent R. McDonald Senior Recognition Award
Apr 2013  HUEDAA Distinguished Alumnus Award
May 2013  HUEDAA Support for COAS Graduation Reception

HUEDAA membership dues are $100 per academic year or $50 per semester. For payment, make check payable to HUEDAA and mail to HUEDAA, P.O. Box 23705, Washington, DC 20026-3705. For more information, contact us huedaa@hotmail.com.

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