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19th Annual
Joseph C. Andrews
Mentoring Celebration
Thursday, January 31, 2013



“Getting Connected”



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PROGRAM

Master & Mistress of Ceremony
Mr. Erik Range and Ms. Zakiya McGhie

Invocation
Mr. A. J. Range
Assistant Vice-President, SDES

Greetings
Ms. Rachel Brill
UCF Student Government Association Vice-President
Ms. Germaine Graham
*Associate Director, Student Leadership Development
President, Black Faculty & Staff Association*

Solo "Lift Every Voice" written by John Weldon Johnson
Sung by Jasmine A. Jones

Introduction of Keynote Speaker
Ms. Shelby Birch

Keynote Speaker
The Honorable Penny Brown-Reynolds
Judge, Author, Motivational Speaker, Entrepreneur

Presentation of Scholarships
Ms. Pamela Edwards

BFSA Mentoring Awards
Mrs. Rita Simpson

Closing Remarks
Mr. Wayne Jackson



The Joseph C. Andrews Mentoring Breakfast



Joseph C. Andrews (1939-2002) was a faithful UCF employee for 14 years. At his passing, he held the position of Head of UCF Library Collection Management Department, in the Information Technologies and Resources Division. Joseph was dedicated to making UCF a welcoming and successful environment for all students in general and multicultural students in particular. His life embodied the spirit of this Mentoring Breakfast.

LEGACY

A Leadership and Mentoring Program

UCF Black Faculty and Staff Association and the Office of Diversity Initiatives launched a leadership development and mentoring program in 2006 – LEGACY. The LEGACY Program is an effort to increase retention and success, develop leadership, and assist students in reaching their personal, academic, and career goals by pairing underrepresented students of color, who are sophomores, juniors, and seniors, with a mentor at the University of Central Florida and/or the surrounding community.

If you would like to receive more information about the LEGACY Leadership and Mentoring Program, please contact Zakiya McGhie at legacy@mail.ucf.edu or 407-823-6479.





The Honorable Penny Brown Reynolds

Judge Penny Brown Reynolds is a multi-gifted, national, motivational and inspirational speaker who is a voice for change. She is an Emmy nominated television personality and Executive Producer who draws on her legal and personal background to address the conflicts faced by Americans. The Honorable Judge Penny Brown Reynolds was the first African American to hold the position of Executive Counsel, making her the first African American to serve as an Attorney for a Governor in the Southeast. The judge is one of America's provocative intellectuals and authors.

She is the former Assistant Attorney General and Prosecutor. Some of her accomplishments includes being an ordained minister, preacher, scholar, theologian, and entrepreneur who provides straight forward and relevant messages. She has earned an undergraduate degree from Georgia State University, with highest honors, in only three years, a Juris Doctorate from Georgia State University's College of Law. She earned a Master of Theology degree and graduated first in her class with a perfect 4.0 GPA from the Interdenominational Theological Center.

Judge Brown Reynolds is the recipient of numerous awards and honors. She is a proud inductee of the prestigious Gate City Bar Association Hall of Fame for her distinguished legal career and was awarded the National Council of Negro Women's National Woman of the Year. She is a licensed mediator and is the Founding Chair of the Judicial Section of the Gate City Bar Association, President Emeritus of the International Women's Forum of Georgia and a former member and Legal Counsel of the Georgia Commission on Women. She is a proud member of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc., where she has served as the Sorority's National Founders' Day speaker and the 2012 Convention Ecumenical speaker.

She is President and CEO of Divine Destiny Enterprises, LLC. In addition, she founded The Judge Penny Brown Reynolds Foundation, Inc. a 501(c) (3) non-profit corporation for the purpose of restoring families. Also, she is the founder of Girls in P.E.A.R.L.S. a mentoring academy for girls ages 12-18. Judge Brown Reynolds is the author of two books. Her newest book is entitled, "7 Steps to Peace of Mind" and she co-authored "Women in the Law: A Guide to Women's Legal Rights in Georgia".

Judge Brown Reynolds has conveyed the same passion and commitment she delivered in law to her ministry. She serves as Associate Pastor, of Midway Missionary Baptist Church in College Park, Georgia. She is married to Rev. Edward S. Reynolds and has two adult sons. Michael is a graduate of Dillard University. Fela is a graduate of Hampton University.

The Black Faculty & Staff Association at UCF would like to say "Thank You" to the many individuals, departments, offices and colleges for supporting the Mentoring Celebration. Your support is greatly appreciated and received.

Mentoring Breakfast Committee Members 2013

**Wayne Jackson
Tammie Nadeau
Angelia Jones**

**Rita Simpson
Phyllis Kornegay**