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Upcoming/Recent Events

RAYBEN Aurora Site Lead

Congratulations to Bro Vermell Hill on his new role as the Raytheon Black Employees Network (RAYBEN) Aurora Site Lead. Bro Hill is taking over the position from Terrel Repass who had encouraging words to share; "I am pleased to hand over the reins to Vermell, as he takes the Aurora Site on a new and exciting path. Vermell has been an integral member of the ERG the last few years through Covid and has great plans to put into action in the near future." Well one Bro Hill



Cancer Treatment Completed

Bro Ellis has completed his cancer treatment and thanks the Brothers for the prayers and support along the way. The June Chi Phi Cancer Support Group Mtg is Sunday 6/12 2pm at Q's Quisine 5428 S Parker Rd Aurora please RSVP with Bro Bey.



College Journey

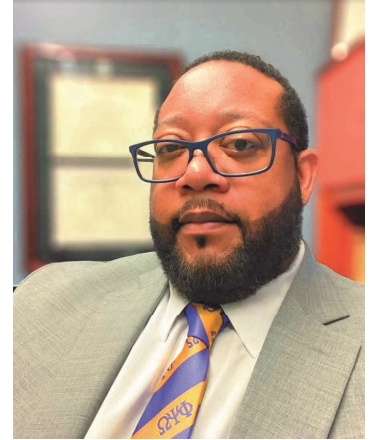
Elijah finished his 1st year at Virginia State University. Thanks for your support and prayers.



Spotlight on Que: Brother Dr. Beverly A. Clark III

By Jeffrey T. Smith

Brother Dr. Beverly Clark is a Christian man with scholarly attainments and professional achievements. He is methodical, well read, conscientious, and has true grit. Brother Clark supports friendship and brotherhood and provides selfless service to others regardless of class and station. He is a recent transplant from Omaha, Nebraska having moved to the Mile High City in 2021. In the short time since his arrival in Denver, Brother Clark has been actively engaged at work, in the community and with Chi Phi Chapter. The four cardinal principles Of Manhood, Scholarship, Perseverance and Uplift will serve as an outline for Brother Clark's journey.



Manhood: Brother Clark was born and raised in a rural farm town in southern Virginia called Java, VA. His mother (deceased) was a school teacher in Pittsylvania County Schools for over forty years, and his father worked for Babcock and Wilcox (energy and environmental company) for the same span of time, 40 years. Brother Clark's mother was a graduate of Virginia Union University and was also a member of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Incorporated. He has a younger brother, Carter who resides in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. Brother Clark has been married for four years to Deremia Clark and she is a Soror of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Incorporated too; they have no children.

Brother Clark was initiated through the Beta Upsilon Chapter, Omaha, NE on November 15, 2020. He was the 'Sixth' of seven on the line, S.S. 7 Series of Unfortunate Liabilities and his line name is "Underlying Conditions." While in Beta Upsilon Chapter, Clark served on the Social Action and Health Initiatives committees. In Chi Phi Chapter, he is the co-chairman on the 2022 Achievement Week committee. Brother Clark's hope is to faithfully serve Omega Psi Phi in any way needed and to steadfastly support her cause. His aspirations include serving as an officer for the Chi Phi Chapter and to one day serve as a state representative and/or at the district level. Clark's current goal is to learn as much as he can about the business of Omega and to grow under the mentorship of past leaders in the Chapter.

Scholarship: Dr. Clark graduated in 1999 with a Bachelor of Science degree in Physics from Emory & Henry College, Emory, VA. He obtained a Master of Science degree and a Doctor of Philosophy degree in Physics in 1999 and 2003, respectively, from North Carolina State University, Raleigh, NC. Brother Clark received a certification in Diversity & Inclusion, September 2020 from Cornell University, Ithaca, New York.

Perseverance: Brother Dr. Beverly Clark III is the Vice President of Academic Affairs and Chief Academic Officer at Red Rocks Community College. He has worked in higher education for eighteen years as an administrator, professor, and researcher. Clark is an advocate for equality and has diligently worked to create and support diverse and inclusive educational environments. Before arriving at Red Rocks Community College, Brother Clark was the Dean of Instruction for the Academic Education Division at Central Community College (CCC) in Nebraska from July 2018 through June 2021. During his three years at CCC, Clark oversaw a divisional budget of over 9.3 million dollars, served as Principal Investigator of the Nebraska Math Readiness Project, and developed a Virtual Innovations Laboratory to support the integration of virtual and augmented reality into classroom instruction and enhance teaching, learning, and training. From January 2013 through June 2018, Dr. Clark served as Assistant and Associate (2016) Professor of Physics at Shaw University in Raleigh, North Carolina. In addition to teaching Physics, Clark performed research on the environmental impacts of microplastics. His work focused on characterizing microplastics using microscopy and spectroscopy and investigating the environmental impacts of microplastics on low income and minority populations. He has also done published research in nanoscience which focused mostly on using microscopy techniques to design methods for measuring electronic properties of nanostructures like capacitance, surface charge and resistance.

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From May 2009 through August 2012, Brother Clark served as Director of Nanotechnology Education at Danville Community College (DCC). While at DCC, he developed a National Science Foundation funded nanotechnology technician program including program curriculum and a nanoscience lab.

Dr. Clark's Professional Career and Accomplishments:

- Vice President of Academic Affairs and Chief Academic Officer, Red Rocks Community College, Lakewood, CO, June 2021 – Present
- Dean of Instruction, Central Community College, Grand Island, NE, July 2018 – May 2021
- Associate Professor of Physics, Shaw University, Raleigh NC, May 2016 – June 2018
- Assistant Professor of Physics, Shaw University, Raleigh NC, January 2013 – April 2016
- Director & Assistant Professor, Danville Community College Center for Advanced Training and Technology, Danville, VA, May 2009 – August 2012
- Honorary Membership into National Society of Leadership and Success, 2021
- Featured Presenter at Nebraska Developmental Education Consortium Virtual Conference, "How Bias Impacts Engagement," 2020
- Leadership Columbus, Columbus Nebraska Area Chamber of Commerce, Class of 2018-2019
- Invited Speaker, Emory and Henry College MTAV Program, "Environmental Impacts of Microplastics," 2018
- Shaw University Faculty Research Symposium Poster Session Winner: Recipient of Best Poster Presentation titled "Environmental Impacts of Microparticles," December 13, 2017
- Member of the National Society of Black Physicists (NSBP)

Brother Clark endeavors to serve as a College Chancellor and/or President and to continue to create opportunities for other students and educators of color to advance their educations and careers in higher education.

Uplift: Brother Clark was raised in a church home and a musical family with most of his family involved in music in some way. Clark's interest in music started with learning to play the bass guitar and continued with playing professionally until 2018. He also learned to play alto and tenor saxophone while in high school. Clark and his wife are new to the Denver Metro area and are currently seeking a church home. Brother Clark is currently serving on the board for the Jefferson County Action Center, a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization. He participates in community service with his job as often as possible.

Brother Clark hobbies include cooking, gardening, and playing music. His interests include science, higher education, and racial equity. Brother Clark's courageous spirit, congenial personality, and quiet confidence will serve him well in the Mile High City and in Chi Phi Chapter. May God continue to bless him and his wife with His good providence always!