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NEWS ARCHIVES

01/13: Langley attends The Face of Disproportionate Minority Contact in Durham County Conference

DeWarren K. Langley attended the Face of Disproportionate Minority Contact (DMC) in Durham County Conference, *Leading Youth Toward a Brighter Future*, held at the Durham Public Schools Staff Development Center on January 25, 2013.

The Conference was the first step in heightening awareness of DMC and improving the coordination of agencies and personnel involved at decision points of intervention including: the education, social services, health care, housing and justice systems. DMC is the overrepresentation of certain populations in selected systems at higher rates than they present in the general population. There are more minority children in the juvenile justice system as well as in arrest and detention rates. Additionally, there are more children of color in the social welfare system in the filing of abuse and neglect petitions and in the number of children in foster homes.

The Conference was sponsored by the Durham County Juvenile Justice Crime Prevention Council.

01/13: DeWarren honored with 2013 Martin Luther King, Jr. Service Award

DeWarren K. Langley was awarded the 2013 Martin Luther King, Jr. Service Award in recognition of outstanding commitment and diligent service to the Durham Community Martin Luther King Jr. Steering Committee, Inc. and Durham community which embodies the spirit of Dr. King's service to humanity.

The 2013 Martin Luther King, Jr. Service Award was conferred by the MLK Steering Committee, Inc. during the Annual Religious Service, *Liberation through Learning: Education & the Future of our Youth*, held at St. Mark A.M.E. Zion Church on January 21, 2013.

Langley currently serves as Secretary of the MLK Steering Committee, Chair of the Publicity Committee and member of the Awards Committee. He is credited for timely responses to correspondences to and from members and the community; disseminating and collecting nominations for the 2013 Keeper of the Dream Award, maintaining the website for the MLK Steering Committee, publicizing the 2013 MLK Holiday Celebration Events and completing the Application for Recognition of Exemption. Additionally, he demonstrates a spirit of service and commitment to making Durham a better place by improving communities and the lives of youth as shown in his record of service to nonprofits and local boards & commissions.

11/12: Langley attends 2012 Fall Conference of North Carolina Juvenile Services Association in Carolina Beach, North Carolina

DeWarren K. Langley attended the 2012 Fall Conference of North Carolina Juvenile Services Association, *Sailing Toward New Horizons*, in Carolina Beach, North Carolina held November 7-9, 2012.

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The purpose of the Conference was to develop and extend services for youth in North Carolina and promote quality standards and practices in all services offering care, treatment, prevention, education and protection for children and youth.

NCJSA works to develop interest and extend services for youth in North Carolina, as well as promote quality standards and practices in all services offering care, treatment, prevention, education and protection for youth. The goals of NCJSA are to cultivate interest and enlist public support for services for children and youth and promote professional growth of staff and programs serving youth and to encourage the initiation of preventive services.

11/12: DeWarren facilitates Election discussion at John Avery Boys & Girls Club

DeWarren K. Langley facilitated a discussion on voting, candidates and issues important to students at the John Avery Boys & Girls Club (JABGC) on Monday, November 5, 2012 on behalf of Kids Voting Durham.

Langley discussed the importance of voting, the democratic process and candidates for NC State Governor, Council of State and U.S. President with 38 elementary, middle and high school students. The students demonstrated a depth of awareness and knowledge on candidates and express concern on crime, education and local recreational & employment opportunities for youth. DeWarren urged the students to be advocates and participate in policy/program development to improve efforts to serve youth. After the discussion, the students enter booths to cast their ballots.

The JABGC is a private, nonprofit organization dedicated to educating and protecting children while preserving the beauty and innocence of childhood. The mission of JABGC is to inspire and enable all youth of Durham, ages 6-18, particularly those who need us most, to reach their full potential as productive, caring, and responsible citizens.

10/12: Langley elected Secretary of Durham County Criminal Justice Advisory Committee

DeWarren K. Langley was elected Secretary of the Durham County Criminal Justice Advisory Committee.

As Secretary, DeWarren ensures procedures and policies are followed during meetings, accurate minutes of meetings are taken and approved including actions of the CJAC during meetings, send notices of meetings, and manage general correspondence to and from the CJAC.

The purpose of the Criminal Justice Advisory Committee (CJAC) is to develop a comprehensive continuum of services for the adult criminal justice system, identify services gaps, and develop intervention strategies and comprehensive solutions. The shared values of CJAC are to reduce the demand for County jail beds, reduce the number of Durham County residents in state prison facilities, develop a continuum of programs, services and sanctions that provides options to the criminal justice system, pursue initiatives that are respectful towards victims, offenders and the community, and pursue funding for initiatives through grant opportunities and requests to local and state government.

CJAC was created by the Durham Board of County Commissioners after the enactment of the Justice Reinvestment Act of 2011 which repealed the Criminal Justice Partnership Advisory Board.

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Langley was appointed by the Durham Board of County Commissioners on June 25, 2012 with a term expiration of June 30, 2014.

09/12: DeWarren volunteers for sub-committees of Juvenile Crime Prevention Council

DeWarren K. Langley volunteered to serve on the Risks & Needs Assessment/Strategic Planning Committee, Public Awareness/Publicity Committee & Monitoring Committee of the Juvenile Crime Prevention Council (JCPC).

The Risk & Needs/Strategic Planning Committee is responsible for assessing the risk factors, needed services, community resources and recommending funding priorities which comprise a major part of developing the county's annual plan.

Public Awareness/Publicity Committee works to increase public awareness of the causes of delinquency and of strategies to reduce the problem.

The Monitoring Committee reviews each funded program annually for program performance and the degree to which the program operation is consistent with the program agreement.

DeWarren was re-appointed to the JCPC by the Durham Board of County Commissioners on August 27, 2012 with a term expiration of June 30, 2014

09/12: Langley presents on Resume Development & INROADS at North Carolina State A&T State University

DeWarren K. Langley presented on Resume Development & INROADS at Why Should I Hire You? Program of the Sophomore Class Council at North Carolina State A&T University on September 19, 2012.

The purpose of the program was to give students the tools that they will need to build their brand and become marketable in the contemporary world, therefore, reaching their ultimate destination.

Langley presented on the components of an effective resume and information on the INROADS application process. He also provided one-on-one consultation to students on their resumes and assisted them with making necessary revisions. Additionally, he provided recommendations on how to approach recruiters at career fairs.

06/12: DeWarren attends 2012 Durham Conference on Housing

DeWarren K. Langley attended the 2012 Durham Conference on Housing, Building Stronger Communities, held at the Durham Marriott Convention Center on June 13, 2012.

The Conference focused on areas that affected developing and sustaining affordable housing opportunities with panel discussions and presentations on examining key areas that are essential to maintaining viable neighborhoods.

Langley attended plenary sessions which investigated ways to enhance the prospects of improving housing, schools, healthcare and public safety. He specifically attended discussion on A Spectrum of Options on Housing Affordability, Schools Serving the Next Generation, Healthcare Access: Quality Care & Fair Housing and Public Safety: Our Homes, Our Streets, Our Durham.

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The keynote address was delivered by Sandra B. Henriquez, Assistant Secretary for Public & Indian Housing for the U.S. Department of Housing & Urban Development. The luncheon featured an address by Saul Ramirez, Jr., CEO of the National Association of Housing & Redevelopment Officials.

The Conference was sponsored by the Durham Housing Authority.

06/12: Langley speaks at 2012 Graduation Recognition & Celebration of the Durham Housing Authority

DeWarren K. Langley served as Keynote Speaker at the 2012 Graduation Recognition & Celebration of the Durham Housing Authority (DHA) held at the Community Family Life & Recreation Center at Lyon Park on June 11, 2012.

The mission of DHA is to be a leader for affordable housing in Durham County by serving as a housing safety net, promoting individual self-sufficiency, leveraging core housing competency to support DHA's mission, managing real estate and facilitating and participating in mixed income housing development.

Langley encouraged the students as they continued on their journey of discovery, growth and challenges in life to listen, be humble, seize opportunity, set high goals, prioritize, remain focus, manage their time and resources, take time to thank those who have helped them and most importantly, to take time to help someone else. DeWarren also spoke on the benefits of mentorship while also advising the students to always find a mentor.

DHA had 18 students' graduate high school and 2 students graduate from college.

05/12: DeWarren selected as Semi-finalist for 2012 Man of the Year Award of Spectacular Magazine

DeWarren K. Langley was selected as one of three semi-finalist for 2012 Man of the Year Award in the Emerging Leader category by the NC Juneteenth Planning Committee of Spectacular Magazine.

Langley was nominated by a member of the community for demonstrating a spirit of service and commitment to making Durham a better place by improving communities and the lives of youth as shown in his record of service.

Spectacular Magazine is a bi-monthly publication which includes features, columns, calendars and commentaries that empower, enlighten and entertain African Americans in Durham, Wake, Orange, Granville, Vance and Person counties.

03/12: Langley shares 2012 Proud Shoes Award

DeWarren K. Langley shared the 2012 Proud Shoes Award with the Board of Directors of Calvary Ministries of the Westend Community, Inc. awarded by the Southwest Central Durham Quality of Life (QOL) Project during the 2012 Volunteer Appreciation Banquet.

The Award was in recognition of working tirelessly to advocate for, strengthen, and improve the general welfare of the neighborhoods of Southwest Central Durham in addition to working to encourage and empower other community members to be involved in the community. The Award was created to honor those in the community who play an integral part in improving

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the quality of life in Southwest Central Durham and whose outstanding work goes far beyond community membership.

The QOL Project works to develop a road map or a strategic plan to improve the quality of life for the six neighborhoods of Southwest Central Durham. QOL is an enduring presence that links history and place with a vision for inclusive, sustained solutions that address the community's needs and reflect its many assets. The organization empowers community members to collectively shape their own destiny. While brokering relationships with Duke University and other institutions, QOL fundamentally reflects and pursues the interests of its neighborhoods first. QOL builds the capacity of its participants and the community overall so they will continue to grow.

02/12: DeWarren appointed to the Juvenile Crime Prevention Council

DeWarren K. Langley was appointed to the Juvenile Crime Prevention Council (JCPC) by the Durham Board of County Commissioners during the regular meeting on February 27, 2012.

JCPC is a statutory authorized advisory council appointed by the Durham Board of County Commissioners and charged by the North Carolina General Assembly to plan, organize and evaluate locally-based programs designed to prevent and mitigate juvenile delinquency in Durham County. JCPC reviews the needs of juveniles, assess local youth service needs & address the gaps and recommends an annual service proposal and submit a written funding plan for the expenditure of over \$500,000 appropriated by the North Carolina General Assembly to the Board of County Commissioners for its approval. Additionally, JCPC works to develop community based delinquency and substance abuse prevention strategies and programs to prevent juveniles who are at-risk from becoming court involved.

In addition, JCPC works to increase public awareness of the causes of delinquency and of strategies to reduce the problem, develops strategies to intervene and appropriately respond to and treat the needs of juveniles at-risk of delinquency and provides funds for services for treatment, counseling, or rehabilitation for juveniles and their families.

Langley's term expires June 30, 2012.

02/12: Langley elected to the Board of Directors of Antioch Builds Community, Inc.

DeWarren K. Langley was elected to the Board of Directors of Antioch Builds Community, Inc.

ABC is a community-based organization committed to identifying needs in the Durham community and responding with compassion through collaboration, support and education. ABC works to assist in the support of individual lives and work cooperatively to improve the quality of our community through programs such as Transitional Housing, Christmas Dinner for the homeless, Youth Summer Camps, Faith Teams, African-American Male Leadership Program and hosting Faith Partnership meetings.

Langley will also serve as Chair of the Marketing Committee to strengthen ABC, Inc.'s external network and outreach activities to raise awareness about ABC, Inc. by developing the website, brochures, newsletters, press releases and videos to enhance and improve ABC's visibility in the community.

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Langley's term expires February 28, 2014.

12/11: Langley receives 2011 Perseverance Award from the Dropout Intervention Program of the Durham Housing Authority

DeWarren K. Langley was awarded the 2011 Perseverance Award from the Dropout Intervention Program of the Durham Housing Authority.

The Award was in recognition of exceptional performance in providing a continuum of academic & professional development support and services on a personal basis to 25 elementary, middle and high school youth who reside in the Club Boulevard Community.

The Dropout Intervention Program targets students who reside in Durham Housing Authority communities and scored below their grade levels in either the reading and/or math End of Course/End of Grade Tests and provides academic services and programs to address the personal and academic needs of those students.

As a Dropout Intervention Counselor, DeWarren focuses on improving school attendance, academic performance, End of Course/End of Grade test performance, and professional development & exposure to significantly reduce the dropout rate, increase academic proficiency, high school graduation and post-secondary enrollment.

Langley was also named Employee of the Month for December 2011 in recognition for serving as an outstanding Dropout Intervention Counselor who embodies commitment, efficiency, initiative, diligence and helpfulness to the students in the Dropout Intervention Program.

11/11: DeWarren re-elected as Secretary of Durham Community Martin Luther King, Jr. Steering Committee, Inc.

DeWarren K. Langley was re-elected Secretary of the Durham Community Martin Luther King Jr. Steering Committee, Inc.

The Durham Community Martin Luther King Jr. Steering Committee, Inc. is a community-based organization committed to preserving the legacy and example of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. by planning appropriate ceremonies and programs in recognition of the King Holiday.

The MLK Committee works to improve the quality of life for all citizens by reaching out to those who continue to struggle with issues of poverty, unemployment, drug addiction, homelessness and other social problems. The MLK Committee honors Dr. King for his work toward racial equality and economic justice for all people, for his commitment to nonviolence, and for his stand against war and militarism.

As Secretary, DeWarren ensures procedures and policies are followed during meetings, accurate minutes of meetings are taken and approved including actions of the MLK Committee during meetings, send notices of meetings, manage general correspondence to and from the MLK Committee and maintain the membership database & MLK Committee's website.

Langley is also Chair of the Publicity Committee. His term expires in March 2014.

10/11: Langley receives 2011 Student Pro Bono Public Service Award from the North Carolina State Bar

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DeWarren K. Langley was awarded the 2011 Student Pro Bono Public Service Award by the North Carolina State Bar during the 2011 Fifty-Year Lawyers Luncheon held at the Marriott Raleigh City Center Hotel in Raleigh, North Carolina on Thursday, October 20, 2011.

The Award was in recognition of dedicated and selfless service while a student at North Carolina Central University School of Law. Mr. Langley was recommended for the award by North Carolina Central University School of Law.

While a student at North Carolina Central University, DeWarren completed 800 hours of pro bono service. Langley's contributions centered on his passion for mentoring young African-Americans, assisting them achieve academic success and exploring careers in law.

DeWarren help found and was an active member of Future Lawyers for Community Advancement, a student organization that mentors students at two Durham high schools. He also volunteered for two summers as a Team Leader with the Summer Legal Institute of the Just the Beginning Foundation in Chicago, Illinois, a week-long intensive program that introduces diverse middle and high school students to law and the legal profession. In summer 2009, he participated in a day-long pre-law symposium for minority students at Georgetown Law School, sponsored by the Fund for American Studies.

Most notable, Langley created the Charles Hamilton Houston Pre-Law Program. As the founding Program Director, he developed pre-law resources for undergraduate and graduate students, made presentations in classes, conducted mock LSAT exams and strategy sessions and mentored over 65 individual students in the law school admission process.

Langley says: "Service is an integral part of my life. I firmly believe public service should not be something practiced if extra time permits, rather it is an obligation and a responsibility owed to my community. I prescribe to the mantra, to whom much is given, much is expected and required."

08/11: DeWarren elected as Chair of the Citizens Advisory Committee

DeWarren K. Langley was elected Chair of the Citizens Advisory Committee for the City of Durham during its Regular Meeting held in the Conference Room of the Department of Community Development for the City of Durham on August 29, 2011.

The Citizens Advisory Committee (CAC) works to enhance the quality of life for citizens of Durham by advising the Durham City Council and the Durham Board of County Commissioners on housing and community development needs to improve housing quality & affordability and economic opportunities for low-and-moderate income families. Specifically, the CAC evaluates applications and makes annual recommendations to the Durham City Council and the Durham Board of County Commissioners concerning the allocation of Community Development Block Grant (CDBG), HOME Investment Partnership Program (HOME) and Emergency Solution Grant (ESG) funds to sub-recipients; provides advisory oversight for the Durham City-County HOME Consortium and provides an initial evaluation, rank and recommendations of applications pertaining to the Continuum of Care Grant Program and other homeless initiatives to the Homeless Services Advisory Committee.

As Chair, Langley, in collaboration with the Vice Chair, provides leadership to the CAC to fulfilling its duties, ensures the CAC functions efficiently and effectively, develops the agenda with the staff of the Department of Community Development, presides over all meetings, serves

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as a liaison between the staff of the Department of Community Development and CAC members by requesting and disseminating information, sends regular updates to interested citizens about community development activities and submits an annual report to the Durham City Council and Board of County Commissioners.

Langley says, "As Chair, I will work to ensure citizens have an active role in community development by inviting neighborhood associations to present to the CAC, sending quarterly reports to the Durham City Council and Board of County Commissioners regarding citizens' concerns, ideas and input on community development, and regularly tour community development projects in target areas. The engagement and leadership from neighborhood residents is imperative for the sustainability of community development projects."

08/11: Langley reappointed to Civilian Police Review Board & Elected Vice Chair

Durham City Manager Thomas Bonfield has reappointed DeWarren K. Langley to the Civilian Police Review Board. He was also elected Vice Chair.

The Board hears appeals of complaints submitted by citizens concerning actions taken by Durham police officers. The Durham Police Department's Professional Standards Division initially investigates these complaints. If a complainant is not satisfied with the outcome of the investigation, he or she may file a request for a hearing with the board.

The board's mandate is to determine whether or not the investigation was conducted in an appropriate manner, specifically, whether the police department abused its discretion in the conducting of the investigation. The board will examine the written evidence submitted by the complainant and the police department to determine whether a hearing should be held. The board will hold a hearing only if that evidence persuades the board that a hearing is justified. The board's findings are submitted to the City Manager for his action.

Board members are required to complete the Citizens Police Academy of the Durham Police Department, sixteen hours in a patrol car ride-along program and a comprehensive training program administered by the Attorney's Office of the Durham Police Department. Members are compensated at a per meeting rate of \$25, paid semi-annually and receive complimentary parking in a designated City of Durham parking lot for each meeting attended.

As Vice Chair, Langley, in collaboration with the Chair provides leadership to the CPRB with fulfilling its duties, serves in the absence of the Chair, assist with completing an Annual Report to the City Manager and performs other duties as assigned by the Chair.

DeWarren was first appointed October 27, 2009 and his current term expires June 30, 2015.

08/11: DeWarren reappointed to Citizens Advisory Committee by the Durham City Council

DeWarren K. Langley was unanimously reappointed to the Citizens Advisory Committee by the Durham City Council on August 1, 2011.

The CAC works to enhance housing quality and affordability for the citizens of Durham by advising the Durham City Council and the Board of County Commissioners on housing and community development needs. Additionally, the CAC evaluates applications and makes annual recommendations to the Durham City Council and the Durham Board of County Commissioners concerning the allocation of Community Development Block Grant (CDBG),

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HOME Investment Partnership Program (HOME) and Emergency Shelter Grant (ESG) funds to sub-recipients. The CAC also provides an initial evaluation, rank and recommend applications pertaining to the Continuum of Care Grant Program or other homeless initiatives to the Homeless Services Advisory Committee. The Committee consists of 15 members, 12 of which are appointed by the City Council and 3 appointed by the Durham Board of County Commissioners.

Langley works with fellow citizens to advise the Durham City Council and Board of County Commissioners housing and community development needs, make annual recommendations to the Durham City Council and the Board of County Commissioners concerning allocation of Community Development Block Grant, HOME Investment Partnership Program and Emergency Shelter Grants funds to sub-recipients, and work with the Department of Community Development to prepare, review and amend the Citizens Participation Plan for the Five-Year Consolidated Plan.

DeWarren was first appointed on September 4, 2007 and reappointed on June 16, 2008. Langley's current term expires June 30, 2014.

06/11: Langley named 2011 Outstanding Pro Bono Student of the Year by North Carolina Central University School of Law

DeWarren K. Langley was named 2011 Outstanding Pro Bono Student of the Year by the Pro Bono Program at North Carolina Central University School of Law.

The mission of the Pro Bono Program at North Carolina Central University School of law is to instill in students a commitment to public service which meets the needs of under-served and under-represented people and communities.

Langley was chosen for having the most pro bono hours of the Class of 2011. While a student at North Carolina Central University, DeWarren completed 800 hours of pro bono service.

04/11: DeWarren re-elected to Board of Directors of Calvary Ministries of the Westend Community, Inc.

DeWarren K. Langley was re-elected to the Board of Directors of Calvary Ministries of the Westend Community, Inc.

Calvary Ministries of the Westend Community, Inc. (CMWC) was created in July 1993 to enhance the quality of life of the Westend community by address the economic, educational and human enrichment needs of the community, its residents and surrounding areas. CMWC also owns the Community Family Life & Recreation Center at Lyon Park.

Since joining the Board, DeWarren has recommended and lead efforts to ensure compliance with the North Carolina Charitable Contribution Solicitation License requirement for nonprofits, wrote a comprehensive five year, 2010-2015 Strategic Plan and Conflict of Interest Policy which were approved by the Board, and drafted the Personnel Manual.

Langley's term expires May 17, 2013. He is also Co-chair of the Personnel Committee.

04/11: Langley awarded the 2011 H.M. Michaux Award for Public Service

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DeWarren K. Langley was awarded the 2011 H.M. Michaux Award for Public Service during the Law School Awards Ceremony held in the Moot Courtroom at North Carolina Central University School of Law on April 20, 2011.

“Mr. Langley has completed 800 hours of pro bono service while a student at North Carolina Central University School of Law assisting with programs such as Street Law, Future Lawyers for Community Advancement, the NCCU Mentor Program and a host of other organizations focused on preparing the next generation academically and professionally,” said Wendy Scott, Associate Dean for Academic Affairs when presenting the award.

The Award was awarded for distinguished & outstanding contribution to the community while enrolled as a student at North Carolina Central University School of Law.

04/11: Langley awarded 2011 Outstanding Service & Commitment Award

DeWarren K. Langley was awarded the 2011 Outstanding Service & Commitment Award for serving as President of the Lemarquis Dejarmon-Daniel George Sampson Chapter of the Black Law Students Association at North Carolina Central University School of Law during the End of Year Banquet, Empowerment through Service, held in the Great Hall at North Carolina Central University School of Law on April 3, 2011.

BLSA seeks to articulate and promote the professional needs and goals of black law students, foster and encourage professional competence and bring about change in the legal system in order to make it responsive to the needs of the black community.

As President, Langley appointed and supervised the work of directors and officers; created 3 first-year representatives to serve as spokespersons for the Executive Board to their respective sections to keep first-year students informed of programs & events and communicate first-year student concerns to the Executive Board; secured & managed an appropriation of \$7,325, the largest of all student organizations from the Student Bar Association, managed the website by adding and updating content, disseminated information from the national and regional organizations to the local membership, published a weekly newsletter, coordinated the 2010 Judicial Candidate Form and served as Director of Professionalism coordinating speaker events in diverse areas of law.

The Chapter was also awarded the 2011 Largest Chapter Award by the Southern Region of the National Black Law Students Association.

03/11: Langley attended 43rd National Convention of the National Black Law Students Association

DeWarren K. Langley attended the 43rd National Convention of the National Black Law Students Association, *A Legacy of Empowerment*, March 9-13, 2011, held at the Omni Galleria Hotel in Houston, Texas.

The primary purpose of the National Convention was to conduct the business of National Black Law Students Association such as electing officers, receiving reports, appointing staff members, and committees. Convention delegates met in efficient and productive plenary sessions to obtain a report on the current state of the organization and determine its future direction.

As President, Langley served as the official representative of the chapter, expressed the concerns of the membership, and voted for officers and amendments to the bylaws.

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03/11: DeWarren reappointed as Chair of the Publicity Committee of the Durham Community Martin Luther King, Jr. Steering Committee

DeWarren K. Langley was reappointed to serve as Chair of the Publicity Committee of the Durham Community Martin Luther King, Jr. Steering Committee. Inc. by the 2010-2012 Executive Committee.

As Chair of the Publicity Committee, DeWarren is responsible for maintaining the MLK Steering Committee website and publicizing the meetings, programs and events of the MLK Steering Committee to the local news media, organizations and residents.

The MLK Steering Committee is a community-based organization committed to preserving the legacy and example of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. by planning appropriate ceremonies and programs in recognition of the King Holiday.

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Langley also serves as the Secretary of the MLK Steering Committee.

01/11: DeWarren honored with 2011 Martin Luther King, Jr. Service Award

DeWarren K. Langley was awarded the 2011 Martin Luther King, Jr. Service Award for devoted services rendered to the Durham community.

The 2011 Martin Luther King, Jr. Service Award was conferred by the Durham Community Martin Luther King Jr. Steering Committee, Inc. during the Annual Religious Service, *Holding Onto the Dream: Living in Hope, Faith & Reconciliation* held at Kings Park International Church on January 17, 2011.

Langley currently serves as Secretary of the MLK Steering Committee and Chair of the Publicity Committee. He is credited proposing revisions to the bylaws to comply with the NC Nonprofit Corporation Act and best practices for nonprofits, establishing a website for the MLK Steering Committee, managing the process to complete the Application for Recognition of Exemption and volunteering on a number of boards and committees for the City of Durham.

01/11: Langley attends 2011 Mid-Winter Bar Prep Seminar

DeWarren K. Langley was selected to attend the 2011 Mid-Winter Bar Prep Seminar of the Thurgood Marshall Legal Education Opportunity Program hosted by the Council on Legal Education Opportunity. The Seminar was held January 7-9, 2011 at the Sheraton National Hotel in Arlington, Virginia.

The Mid-Winter Bar Prep Seminar is designed for third year CLEO/Thurgood Marshall Fellows and Associates who intend to take the July or February bar examination after graduation. The primary objective of this seminar is to reinforce analytical, writing and test-taking skills necessary to pass the bar examination. This seminar focuses on the bar application process

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and the three major components of the bar exam: Multi-state Examination (MBE), Essay Questions and Multi-State Performance Test (MPT).

This seminar also exposed CLEO/Thurgood Marshall Fellows and Associates to actual bar examiners from various jurisdictions around the country, who provide firsthand insight about their requirements and expectations when grading bar exams.

11/10: DeWarren served as Panelist on OPEN/net to discuss Youth Engagement & Community Involvement

DeWarren K. Langley served as a Panelist on the OPEN/net Program to discuss [Youth Engagement & Community Involvement](#) on Tuesday, January 4, 2011. Other panelists included Stephanie Nantz, the Executive Director of the Youth Advocacy & Involvement Office in the Department of Administration; Alyssa Egel-Johnson, a member of the NC State Youth Council and Caroline Yarnell, the 2010 SADD Student of the Year and member of the SADD Student Advisory Board.

Langley believes that "we can never go wrong when investing in our youth. The time is now. As a community, as long as we directly and actively engage youth in an assessment of their needs and direct programs and services toward those needs, we increase youth engagement and improve our youth's readiness for the challenges of both youth and adulthood. I am living proof of the educational investment of so many people, programs and experiences."

While advocating for the creation of the Durham Youth Commission, DeWarren was the Executive Director of Teenagers Politically Active and obtained information about other youth councils in North Carolina from the Youth Advocacy and Involvement Office. He was also a delegate to both the 32nd and 33rd NC Youth Legislative Assembly and served as a 2010 intern through the North Carolina State Government Internship Program.

OPEN/net reaches about 400 communities across the state by cable, and is streamed live on the web.

11/10: DeWarren volunteers for Second Chance Act Re-entry Task Force.

DeWarren Langley volunteered to serve on the Second Chance Act Re-entry Task Force of the Criminal Justice Partnership Advisory Board.

The Office of Justice Programs of the United States Department of Justice approved the Criminal Justice Resource Center's application for funding under the 2010 Second Chance Act Prisoner Reentry Initiative: Local Demonstration in the amount of \$200,303.

The Second Chance Act of 2007 provides comprehensive resources to the increasing number of people who are released from prison and jail into communities and the subsequent challenges communities face as offenders attempt to reintegrate into society.

The Task Force will oversee the Criminal Justice Resource Center's use of the grant funds to provide pre and post release services to individuals released from the North Carolina Prison system after serving a sentence as a habitual felon. While providing comprehensive and wrap-around services to individuals after release, the focus of the effort will be to enhance contacts and communication prior to the individual's release, as well as long-term support beyond the regular post-release supervision.

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The grant period is October 1, 2010 to September 30, 2011.

10/10: Langley selected for 2010 Student Spotlight at North Carolina Central University School of Law

DeWarren K. Langley was selected for the 2010 Student Spotlight, [Soaring as a Legal Eagle - Student Spotlight on 3L DeWarren K. Langley](#), by the Office of Career Services at North Carolina Central University School of Law.

The Student Spotlight aims to highlight students for their creativity, excellence, and leadership both in law school, employment and their personal lives.

Over the summer, Langley attended summer school, served as Legal Intern for the Office of the President at the North Carolina Community College System through the North Carolina State Government Internship program, attended the 2010 Discover the PATH to Becoming a Public Defender Conference in Washington, DC, served as Team Leader for the 2010 Summer Legal Institute of the Just the Beginning Foundation in Chicago, IL, and continued his community involvements.

08/10: DeWarren serves as Program Director of Charles H. Houston Pre-Law Program

DeWarren K. Langley is the Program Director of the Charles H. Houston Pre-Law Program.

The mission of the Charles H. Houston Pre-Law Program is to provide undergraduate and graduate students with continuous support throughout the law school admissions process and journey to the Juris Doctor degree. Participation in the Program is open to all undergraduate and graduate students attending a community college, college or university in the state of North Carolina.

The Program also includes Road to Law School Saturday Academy by the Council on Legal Education Opportunity (CLEO) which consists of a series of Saturday sessions where students will be provided further guidance, academic enrichment and career development activities designed to continue CLEO's efforts to demystify law school and the legal profession.

The program currently consists of over 50 students.

As Program Director, DeWarren oversees the development and implementation of programs that enhance students' abilities and chances of successful admission and completion of law school. Events include mock LSAT exams, preparing for law school admissions seminar, resume & personal development seminar, law school for a day program, law school fair, panel discussion with law students and other events to develop students' analytical and problem solving skills, critical reading abilities, oral communication and writing skills. Additionally, Langley assists each student on an individual bases by reviewing and revising resumes and personal statements and assisting students with evaluating law schools, completing applications, writing letters of recommendation and securing summer internships.

Langley says, "It is my goal to provide the best quality programming to assist students with preparing for and being accepted to the law school of their choosing."

The Charles H. Houston Pre-Law Program is a program of the Charles H. Houston Foundation.

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08/10: Langley appointed to Admissions Committee & Library Committee by Student Bar Association

DeWarren K. Langley was appointed as the Student Representative to the Admissions Committee and Library Committee by the 2010-2011 Executive Board of the Student Bar Association at North Carolina Central University School of Law.

The Admissions Committee develops and evaluates admissions policies & procedures for admission to North Carolina Central University School of Law consistent with the mission of the school; review admission statistics & data; evaluates & decide applicants for the Performance Based Admission Program and advise the Admissions Office.

The Library Committee develops and evaluates library policies & procedures, interview library employees, survey student needs and recommendations, assist with developing library resources and advise the Director of the Library.

As Student Representative, Langley is responsible for attending monthly meetings, ensuring that student perspective was consider in all decisions and submitting written reports to the Vice President of the Student Bar Association outlining the activities and actions taken by the committees.

DeWarren's term expires in May 2011.

08/10: DeWarren appointed Recruitment Coordinator of the North Carolina Central University Mentor Program

DeWarren K. Langley was appointed Recruitment Coordinator of the North Carolina Central University Mentor Program.

As Recruitment Coordinator, Langley recruits graduate students to serve as mentors for undergraduate students, processes applications, serves as a liaison between the Program Director and mentors by disseminating information, assisting with matching mentors and mentees based on similarities indicated in applications and assisting with training and supporting mentors.

The Program is designed to provide a supportive and nurturing experience for the personal and intellectual development of first and second year students. The purpose of the Program is to support, nurture, and guide and facilitates the realization of a dream, by pro-viding students with structured one on one attention, support, encouragement and advice, in addition to providing an avenue for networking.

08/10: Langley attends 2010 Juvenile Defender Conference in Chapel Hill, North Carolina

DeWarren K. Langley attended the 2010 Juvenile Defender Conference, *Building a Better Defense: Motions Practice in Delinquency Proceedings* in Chapel Hill, North Carolina on August 20, 2010.

The Conference addressed topics of interest to attorneys who represent juveniles in delinquency proceedings. Since the best defense is a good offense, the Conference focused on motions practice in juvenile delinquency proceedings. Topics include identifying suppression issues and arguing suppression motions, obtaining discovery, the duty of zealous advocacy, and emerging issues such as electronic evidence.

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The Conference was cosponsored by the School of Government at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill & Office of Defense Services.

08/10: DeWarren serve as Team Leader for 2010 Summer Legal Institute in Chicago, Illinois

The Just The Beginning Foundation (JTBF) hired DeWarren K. Langley as a Team Leader of the 2010 Summer Legal Institute in Chicago, IL. The program ran Tuesday, August 3 through Saturday, Saturday, August 14.

The ten-day program immersed about forty-five high school students in the legal profession through classroom lectures and activities, logic and critical thinking exercises, writing and oral advocacy in mock trial environments, panel discussions of judges and attorneys, and field trips to area law firms, corporations, government offices, and state and federal courthouses.

As a Team Leader, Langley chaperoned fifteen high school students and lead discussions explaining the fundamentals of legal writing and legal analysis, the criminal justice process, court system, jurisdiction, case law, case briefing, constitutional rights prohibiting unreasonable searches and seizures, and appellate advocacy. DeWarren also assisted students with preparing oral arguments by providing direction and constructive feedback.

The JTBF is a multiracial, nonprofit organization comprised of lawyers, judges and other citizens. It is dedicated to developing and nurturing interest in the law among young persons from various ethnic backgrounds underrepresented in the legal profession and supporting their continued advancement

06/10: Langley attends 2010 Discover the PATH to Becoming a Public Defender Conference

DeWarren K. Langley attended the 2010 Discover the PATH to Becoming a Public Defender Conference held July 31, 2010 at Georgetown University Law Center in Washington DC.

PATH is designed to provide law students considering or planning careers in indigent criminal defense representation information and guidance about how public defender offices hire, train and provide advocacy to indigent defendants.

04/10: DeWarren selected to attend luncheon with the United States Court of Appeals for the Fourth Circuit

DeWarren K. Langley was selected to attend a luncheon with the United States Court of Appeals for the Fourth Circuit judges - Chief Judge William Traxler, Judge Allyson Duncan, & Judge Andre Davis held at North Carolina Central University School of Law.

Prior to the luncheon Langley attended three member panel of the United States Court of Appeals for the Fourth Circuit oral arguments with Chief Judge William Traxler, Judge Allyson Duncan, & Judge Andre Davis in the Moot Courtroom at North Carolina Central University School of Law. The calendared cases were MCI Constructor, LLV v. City of Greensboro; United States v. Eric Lee Spiwak; and United States v. Amanda Boulware.

04/10: DeWarren elected Secretary of Future Lawyers for Community Advancement

DeWarren K. Langley has been elected Secretary of Future Lawyers for Community Advancement.

Future Lawyers for Community Advancement (FLCA) is an organization wherein law students mentor to middle school and high school students in the Durham community. Created by

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law students at North Carolina Central University School of Law, FLCA strives to invest in our youth through a hands-on innovative mentoring program, while providing the youth with mentors they can identify with in their community. FLCA encourages minorities to pursue careers in the legal profession.

As Secretary, Langley is responsible for keeping minutes of meetings, corresponding with students and members, writing articles for *The Weekly* and maintaining the Facebook group.

Langley's term expires in May 2011.

03/10: Langley selected for the 2010 North Carolina State Government Internship Program

DeWarren K. Langley has been selected by the North Carolina Internship Council as a summer intern with the 2010 North Carolina State Government Internship Program. Langley was one of 64 interns chosen from 930 applicants through a competitive selection process overseen by the North Carolina Internship Council. DeWarren will serve as Legal Intern with the Office of President at the North Carolina Community College System.

Created in 1969, the program provides legal residents of North Carolina who are students at in-state colleges, universities, community colleges, law or graduate schools to build career-enhancing and leadership skills while benefiting from the civic experience.

The internship is 10 weeks beginning on Monday, May 24, 2010 and concluding on Friday, July 30, 2010.

03/10: DeWarren elected President of Black Law Students Association at North Carolina Central University School of Law & Awarded 2010 Outstanding Service & Commitment Award

DeWarren K. Langley was elected President of the Lemarquis Dejarmon-Daniel George Sampson Chapter of the Black Law Students Association (BLSA) at North Carolina Central University School of Law.

BLSA seeks to articulate and promote the professional needs and goals of black law students, foster and encourage professional competence and bring about change in the legal system in order to make it responsive to the needs of the black community.

Langley was also awarded the 2010 Outstanding Service & Commitment Award for serving as College Student Division Liaison. DeWarren launched and coordinate the Pre-Law Program which paired law students with undergraduate and graduate students to prepare for the law school admissions process and expose them to the law school environment. Over 65 undergraduate and graduate students participated.

NCCU School of Law has the largest chapter of BLSA in the United States.

03/10: DeWarren elected Secretary of the Durham Community Martin Luther King Jr. Steering Committee

DeWarren K. Langley was elected Secretary of the Durham Community Martin Luther King Jr. Steering Committee, Inc.

The Durham Community Martin Luther King Jr. Steering Committee, Inc. is a community-based organization committed to preserving the legacy and example of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. by planning appropriate ceremonies and programs in recognition of the King Holiday.

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The MLK Committee works to improve the quality of life for all citizens by reaching out to those who continue to struggle with issues of poverty, unemployment, drug addiction, homelessness and other social problems. The MLK Committee honors Dr. King for his work toward racial equality and economic justice for all people, for his commitment to nonviolence, and for his stand against war and militarism.

As Secretary, DeWarren keeps records of all meetings and ensures their accuracy and safety, sends notices of meetings and maintains the MLK Committee's website.

Langley is also Chair of the Publicity Committee. His term expires in March 2012.

01/10: DeWarren coordinates 2010 MLK Man Up & Women's Conference at North Carolina Central University

DeWarren K. Langley served on the Martin Luther King Jr. Steering Committee at North Carolina Central University which planned the 2010 MLK Man Up & Women's Conference at North Carolina Central University.

The MLK Man Up & Women's Conference was held on January 10, 2010 with over 100 undergraduate students in attendance.

The purpose of the conference was to educate, empower and inspire students by encouraging healthy lifestyles; social and academic preparedness; professional, community and academic leadership; financial literacy and career planning and development. The speakers included Cindy Love, Director of Student Professional Development at North Carolina Central University; Tonya Winchester, Office of Career Planning & Placement at North Carolina Central University; William S. Robinson, Founder of the Black Men's Health Initiative; Jason Dorsette, graduate student at North Carolina Central University; Zack Hawkins, Field Director of Organizing for America, Devin Brown, Founder & President of the Durham Black Chamber of Commerce and John White, Director of Public Policy at the Greater Durham Chamber of Commerce.

Langley also served as speaker for the workshop, *Are you prepared socially & academically for the next level?*

The conference was hosted by United Christian Campus Ministry at North Carolina Central University School.

10/09: Langley appointed to Civilian Police Review Board

Durham City Manager Thomas Bonfield has appointed DeWarren K. Langley to the Civilian Police Review Board.

The Board hears appeals of complaints submitted by citizens concerning actions taken by Durham police officers. The Durham Police Department's Professional Standards Division initially investigates these complaints. If a complainant is not satisfied with the outcome of the investigation, he or she may file a request for a hearing with the board.

The board's mandate is to determine whether or not the investigation was conducted in an appropriate manner, specifically, whether the police department abused its discretion in the conducting of the investigation. The board will examine the written evidence submitted by

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the complainant and the police department to determine whether a hearing should be held. The board will hold a hearing only if that evidence persuades the board that a hearing is justified. The board's findings are submitted to the City Manager for his action.

Board members are required to complete the Citizens Police Academy of the Durham Police Department, sixteen hours in a patrol car ride-along program and a comprehensive training program administered by the Attorney's Office of the Durham Police Department. Members are compensated at a per meeting rate of \$25, paid semi-annually and receive complimentary parking in a designated City of Durham parking lot for each meeting attended.

DeWarren's term expires June 30, 2011.

10/09: DeWarren appointed to Board of Directors of NC Legal Education Assistance Foundation

DeWarren K. Langley has been appointed to the Board of Directors of the North Carolina Legal Education Assistance Foundation (NCLEAF).

In 1989, students and deans at North Carolina's law schools formed NCLEAF as the nation's first statewide loan repayment assistance program for attorneys working in public service careers. Since the first funding cycle in 1991, NCLEAF has provided over three million dollars in loan repayment assistance to over 300 public service attorneys.

NCLEAF helps North Carolina lawyers pursue careers in public service through our educational loan repayment assistance program.

10/09: Langley coordinates Pre-Law Program of the Black Law Students Association

DeWarren Langley has launched and coordinates the Mentoring Program of the Black Law Students Association at North Carolina Central University School of Law which consists of North Carolina Central University undergraduate and graduate students interested in law school.

The Mentoring Program pairs law students with undergraduate and graduate students to prepare for the law school admissions process and expose them to the law school environment. In addition to one-on-one mentoring, the program hosts academic seminars on resume development, how to write an effective personal statement, pre-law resources and funding a legal education. In partnership with The Test Prep Program at NCCU, the program provides test preparation for the LSAT.

Langley, a second year law student believes that current law students must be committed to passing on the lessons they have learned about the law school application process and the journey to obtaining a Juris Doctor degree.

Langley is the College Student Division Liaison for the Black Law Student Association at North Carolina Central University School of Law and chairs the College Student Division Committee.

10/09: DeWarren teaches at Shepard Middle School

As a student in the Street Law course, DeWarren K. Langley taught at Shepard Middle School during the fall semester of his second year at North Carolina Central University School of Law.

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Street Law is a one-semester field placement offered in partnership with Durham Public Schools. Second and third year law students are placed with a middle or high school social studies teacher and teach a series of classes on legal topics that are part of the course curriculum.

During the first part of the semester, Langley attended a weekly seminar at North Carolina Central University School of Law where he learned about teaching methods and resources, planned teaching activities and created lessons plans. DeWarren spent the second half of the semester teaching two courses at Shepard Middle School which consisted of criminal law, criminal trial process and criminal procedure on Mondays and Fridays.

DeWarren graduated from Shepard Middle School in 1999.

08/09: Langley serves as Team Leader for Summer Legal Institute in Chicago, IL

DeWarren Langley served as a Team Leader for the Summer Legal Institute of the Just The Beginning Foundation (JTBF) in Chicago, IL. The program ran Tuesday, August 3 through Saturday, August 15.

The ten-day program immersed about forty-five high school students in the legal profession through classroom lectures and activities, logic and critical thinking exercises, writing and oral advocacy in mock trial environments, panel discussions of judges and attorneys, and field trips to area law firms, corporations, government offices, and state and federal courthouses.

As a Team Leader, Langley chaperoned fifteen high school students and lead discussions explaining the fundamentals of legal writing and legal analysis, the criminal justice process, court system, jurisdiction, case law, case briefing, constitutional rights prohibiting unreasonable searches and seizures, and appellate advocacy. DeWarren also assisted students with preparing oral arguments by providing direction and constructive feedback.

JTBF is a multiracial, nonprofit organization comprised of lawyers, judges and other citizens. It is dedicated to developing and nurturing interest in the law among young persons from various ethnic backgrounds underrepresented in the legal profession and supporting their continued advancement.

07/09: Langley completes Legal Studies Institute in Washington, DC

DeWarren K. Langley completed the Legal Studies Institute of the Fund for American Studies and received a Certificate of Completion during the 2nd annual Commencement Ceremony held in the Gold Room of the Rayburn House Office Building in Washington, DC on July 28, 2009.

The Legal Studies Institute is a ten-week summer program designed for first and second year students which combines legal internships, academic coursework, networking opportunities and professional development. The Institute gives participants the opportunity to meet and interact with leaders in the legal profession - enabling them to build a valuable professional network as they enter careers in the legal field.

The Keynote Speaker was the Honorable Trent Franks (AZ) of the U.S. House of Representatives.

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TFAS is a nonprofit organization that sponsors educational programs in partnership with Georgetown University. Since 1967, TFAS has hosted more than 10,000 students in its academic and internship programs

07/09: DeWarren elected Chairman of Board for Standing Tall for Success, Inc.

DeWarren K. Langley has been elected Chairman of the Board of Directors for Standing Tall for Success, Inc. (STFS)

STFS, a 501 (c)(3) organization, provides empowerment programs for minorities and economically disadvantaged youth, ages 12-18 in Greensboro, North Carolina. STFS strives to create long-term relationships and high-quality enrichment activities that affect every aspect of students' lives with a goal of supporting and motivating each student as they develop their aspirations for the future and the skills they will need to become successful, contributing members of the community.

Langley's term expires in June 2011.

06/09: Langley attends briefing by Associate Justice Antonin Scalia of the United States Supreme Court

DeWarren K. Langley attended a briefing by Associate Justice Antonin Scalia of the United States Supreme Court on June 30, 2009 as a participant in the 2009 Legal Studies Institute of The Fund for American Studies of The Fund for American Studies.

Justice Scalia spoke about textualism in statutory interpretation and originalism in constitutional interpretation.

An advocate of national power and a strong executive, Justice Scalia was appointed by President Ronald Reagan in 1986.

06/09: DeWarren speaks at YO: Durham Class of 2009 Graduation

DeWarren K. Langley served as Keynote Speaker at the YO: Durham Class of 2009 Graduation on Sunday, June 7, 2009 held in the auditorium of North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Building in downtown Durham.

YO:Durham is a program of Durham Congregations In Action which includes a Summer Career Academy, mentoring, service learning, and job internships. The program significantly supported by Blue Cross Blue Shield of North Carolina and North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Company.

Langley encouraged the students as they continued on their journey of discovery, growth and challenges in life to listen, be humble, seize opportunity, set high goals, prioritize, remain focus, manage their time and resources, take time to thank those who have helped them and most importantly, to take time to help someone else. DeWarren also spoke on the benefits of mentorship while also advising the students to always find a mentor.

YO: Durham had 25 students graduate from the program.

06/09: Langley accepted for admissions to 2009 Legal Studies Institute

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DeWarren K. Langley has been accepted for admission to the Legal Studies Institute (LSI) of The Fund for American Studies (TFAS) in Washington, DC. and awarded the Fund for American Studies Scholarship in the amount of \$2,500.00.

A ten-week summer program, LSI combines legal internships, academic coursework for credit, networking opportunities, and career development activities. The Institute will give participants the opportunity to meet and interact with leaders in the legal profession – enabling them to build a valuable professional network as they enter careers in the law. The first week of the program is dedicated to the academic seminar, the Federalist Understanding of the Constitution. Students work full time legal internships for the remaining nine weeks.

TFAS is a nonprofit organization that sponsors educational programs in partnership with Georgetown University. Since 1967, TFAS has hosted more than 10,000 students in its academic and internship programs.

05/09: Langley appointed College Student Division Liaison for Black Law Student Association at North Carolina Central University School of Law

DeWarren K. Langley has been appointed College Student Division Liaison for the LeMarquis DeJarmon-Daniel George Sampson Chapter of the Black Law Students Association (BLSA) at North Carolina Central University School of Law by the 2009-2010 Executive Board.

As the College Student Division Liaison, DeWarren will assist the NCCU College Student Division in any capacity necessary; implement and maintain the mentor program for members of the college student division and law student members at NCCU; conduct and implement programming to assist undergraduates with the law school admission process.

BLSA seeks to articulate and promote the professional needs and goals of black law students, foster and encourage professional competence and bring about change in the legal system in order to make it responsive to the needs of the black community.

04/09: Langley selected to attend luncheon with Chief Justice John G. Roberts, Jr. of the United States Supreme Court

DeWarren K. Langley was selected to attend a luncheon with Chief Justice John G. Roberts, Jr. of the United States Supreme Court.

Chief Justice Roberts presided over a moot court competition at North Carolina Central University School of Law. He was joined on the bench by former NCCU law professor and Fourth Circuit Court of Appeals Judge Allyson Duncan and retired Chief Justice of the North Carolina Supreme Court Henry Frye. Afterward, Chief Justice Roberts attended a luncheon with selected students of NCCU School of Law.

Chief Justice Roberts professes a conservative judicial philosophy. As the 17th Chief Justice of the United Supreme Court, Chief Justice Roberts was appointed by President George W. Bush.

03/09: DeWarren K. Langley spoke at the 39th North Carolina Youth Legislative Assembly

DeWarren K. Langley gave the opening address at the 39th session of the North Carolina Youth Legislative Assembly (YLA) banquet on Friday, March 13, 2009 held at the Sheraton Capital Center in Downtown Raleigh.

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YLA is a mock legislative session, patterned after the North Carolina General Assembly, where high school youth voice their opinions and vote on issues concerning local and state government. This session dealt with such issues as: An Act To Legalize the Institution of Civil Unions in the State of North Carolina, and An Act To Legalize Prostitution in Private Places in The State of North Carolina.

Langley spoke on public service and how one can be an effective leader. Langley said, "Public service and leadership go hand in hand in that both require putting other people first. To lead people, we would do well to check our own egos at the door and focus on what is best for others and our community." DeWarren also noted: "Service must be an integral part of our lives, not something we practice if we have extra time or if the mood strikes us or if our schedule permits or if it happens to be convenient. We must consider it an obligation and a responsibility, something we owe society."

While a student at C.E. Jordan High School, DeWarren was a delegate to the 32nd session of the Youth Legislative Assembly and served on the Substance Abuse Committee. For outstanding achievement and contributions, Langley was awarded the 2003 Gibbs Award. He also attended the 33rd session of the Youth Legislative Assembly and served on the Children & Family Committee.

03/09: Langley elected Chairman of Board of Directors for Partners for Youth

DeWarren K. Langley was elected chairman of the Board of Directors of Partners for Youth (PFY).

PFY is a year-round mentoring and summer job program for middle and high school students (ages 14-19) based in Southwest Central Durham. Since its founding in 1998, PFY has guided twenty-eight economically disadvantaged students through their high school years and twenty-four to go on to college.

Langley, a 2004 graduate of the program also serves as a mentor. As a former PFY student, DeWarren interned with Consumer Credit Counseling Service, PRI Associations (acquired by PeopleClick), North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Company, the Greater Durham Chamber of Commerce and the Center for Instructional Technology at Duke University.

DeWarren's term expires in March 2010.

01/09: Langley attended 2009 Mid-Winter Academic Enhancement Seminar

DeWarren K. Langley was selected to attend the 2009 Mid-Winter Academic Enhancement Seminar of the Council on Legal Education Opportunity held January 2-4, 2009 at the Hyatt Regency Crystal City Hotel in Arlington, Virginia.

The Council on Legal Education Opportunity is federally funded through a grant from the U.S. Department of Education. The Mid-Winter Academic Enhancement Seminar is specifically designed to reinforce analytical, reading, writing, studying and test-taking skills that were introduced in the pre-law preparatory programs (Summer Institutes and Attitude Is Essential programs) for first and second year law students.

The purpose of the seminar was to improve student retention, graduation and bar passage rates.

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10/08: DeWarren inducted into Phi Alpha Delta Law Fraternity

DeWarren K. Langley has been inducted into the Raymond Watkins Chapter of Phi Alpha Delta Law Fraternity International at the North Carolina Central University School of Law.

Founded in 1902, the purpose of the fraternity is to form a strong bond uniting students and teachers of the law with members of the bench and bar in a fraternal fellowship.

The fellowship is designed to advance the ideals of liberty and equal justice under law; to stimulate excellence in scholarship; to inspire the virtues of compassion and courage; to foster integrity and professional competence; to promote the welfare of its members; and to encourage their moral, intellectual, and cultural advancement; so that each member may enjoy a lifetime of honorable professional and public service.

07/08: Langley certified as Thurgood Marshall Associate of the Council on Legal Education Opportunity

DeWarren K. Langley was selected to attend the 2008 Attitude is Essential (AIE) Pre-Law Seminar of the Council on Legal Education Opportunity held July 11-13, 2008 at the Renaissance Concourse Hotel in Atlanta, Georgia. He was also certified as a Thurgood Marshall Associate of the Council on Legal Education Opportunity.

Federally funded through a grant from the U.S. Department of Education, AIE seminars are designed to familiarize students who are already admitted to law school with the demands associated with the first year of law school and to acquaint them with resources available to help them meet those demands. The workshop sessions and accompanying handout materials cover such topics as legal analysis and writing, legal education financing, debt management, class preparation, the Socratic Method, and case briefing.

The workshops were intended to ease the transition from undergraduate to professional school and motivate students to succeed.

As a Thurgood Marshall Associate, Langley is eligible to receive academic support services and stipends throughout his law school career.

07/08: Langley joins Kids Voting Durham Advisory Board

DeWarren K. Langley was appointed to the Kids Voting Durham Advisory Board.

Kids Voting Durham is a nonprofit, nonpartisan organization that aims to help youth understand and believe in the power they have as active citizens and informed voters.

Langley also serves on the Voting Committee.

06/08: DeWarren accepted to North Carolina Central University School of Law

DeWarren K. Langley was accepted for admission to the Class of 2011 at North Carolina Central University School of Law.

The mission of the North Carolina Central University School of Law is to provide a challenging and broad-based educational program designed to stimulate intellectual inquiry of the highest order, and to foster in each student a deep sense of professional responsibility and personal integrity so as to produce competent and socially responsible members of the legal profession.

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Langley also plans to earn a Certificate in Civil Rights & Constitutional Law.

05/08: Langley completes Citizens Police Academy of the Durham Police Department

DeWarren K. Langley received a Certificate of Completion as a graduate of the 36th Session of the Citizens Police Academy of the Durham Police Department.

The Citizens Police Academy promotes community support and awareness about police operations through education. The program is a 6 weeks series of interactive sessions facilitated by various divisions of the Durham Police Department. In addition to the sessions, Langley accompanied an officer on a ride-a-long.

Langley also spoke in favor of higher police salaries before the Durham City Council during the 2008-09 Budget hearings, which was approved by the Durham City Council.

05/08: DeWarren volunteers for Advisory Committee

DeWarren K. Langley has volunteered to serve on the West Chapel Hill Street Training & Landscape Beautification Program Advisory Committee.

The West Chapel Hill Street Landscape Beautification Program is a collaborative with Self Help CDC, Southwest Central Durham Quality of Life Steering Committee, Durham Community Land Trustees, Durham Literacy Council, business owners and community residents of the West End. The program is designed to assist businesses along West Chapel Hill Street to beautify their store fronts through landscaping and provide job training, job mentoring, and job creation to residents of this blighted neighborhood.

In coordination with a local landscape architect, the Advisory Committee will develop, implement, supervise the program and recruit and train 5 youth residents of Southwest Central Durham in landscape architecture. The youth will be taught how to identify, plan and care for drought tolerant plants that will be used to beautify the blight corridor of West Chapel Hill Street between Buchanan and Kent Streets.

The program duration is four months.

04/08: DeWarren elected to Board of Directors of Calvary Ministries of the Westend Community, Inc

DeWarren K. Langley was elected to the Board of Directors of Calvary Ministries of the Westend Community, Inc.

Calvary Ministries of the Westend Community, Inc (CMWC) was created in July 1993 to enhance the quality of life of the Westend community by address the economic, educational and human enrichment needs of the community, its residents and surrounding areas. CMWC also owns the Community Family Life & Recreation Center at Lyon Park.

As a former Executive Director and current board member of a nonprofit, Langley has a proven record of developing and maintaining collaborative relationships with public and private organizations, providing leadership and direction in developing and implementing an organization's vision and mission and securing the required financial resources and civic support in program implementation.

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DeWarren is also Co-Chair of the Personnel Committee. DeWarren's term expires April 2011.

03/08: Langley commissioned as Notary Public for Durham County

The North Carolina Secretary of State, Elaine F. Marshall appointed DeWarren K. Langley for commission as a Notary Public for Durham County.

In accordance with the Notary Public Act 10B, Langley completed MLS 3874 Notary Public Education course at Durham Technical Community College and passed the certification exam with 104%, above the 80% requirement. He received his recommended commissioning from Farad Ali, an at-large member of the Durham City Council.

As a Notary Public, Langley can perform acknowledgements, oaths and affirmations, execute jurats and conduct verifications or proofs throughout the state of North Carolina.

DeWarren's commission expires March 9, 2013.

03/08: Langley completes Group Facilitation Training

DeWarren K. Langley received a Certificate of Completion from the Institute of Cultural Affairs (ICA) for completing training in Technology of Participation Group Facilitation Methods.

The ICA is a unique facilitation, training and research organization providing effective participatory skills to thousands of people across the United States and in thirty other nations.

DeWarren learned three proven ways to activate group participation - the Focused Conversation Method, which leads naturally to meaningful exchange of ideas; the Consensus Workshop Method, which energizes people to problem solve with a process that builds active participation and teamwork and the Action Planning Method which enables a group to rapidly pull together an effective plan, organize needed resources and mobilize energy and commitment into action.

01/08: DeWarren elected Vice Chair of the Board of Directors of Partners for Youth

DeWarren K. Langley was unanimously elected Vice Chair of the Board of Directors of Partners for Youth.

Partners for Youth (PFY) is a year-round mentoring and summer job program for middle and high school students (ages 14- 19 years old) who are residents of Southwest Central Durham.

Langley, a 2004 graduate of the program, served as a freshman mentor during his freshman year at Hampton University. As a PFY intern, DeWarren interned with Consumer Credit Counseling Service, PRI Associates (acquired by PeopleClick), North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Company, the Greater Durham Chamber of Commerce and the Center for Instructional Technology at Duke University.

Since joining the Board in 2006, Langley has worked with fellow Board members to nominate the Executive Director, Leigh Bordley, for the 2006 Light Up Durham "Its Cool to Care" Award for her tireless dedication to improving the lives and prospects of youth in Durham's West End and developed a comprehensive five year strategic plan (2007-2012) to ensure quality programming, maximize student achievement, analyze internal systems and external resources, strengthen the Board of Directors and explore opportunities for programmatic expansion.

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DeWarren also Chairs the Personnel Committee.

11/07: Langley appointed to Criminal Justice Partnership Advisory Board

The Durham Board of County Commissioners unanimously appointed DeWarren K. Langley as the At-Large Representative to the Criminal Justice Partnership Advisory Board.

The Criminal Justice Partnership Advisory Board is responsible for developing a Community-Based Corrections Plan by examining the local criminal justice system, identifying problems areas, proposing strategies for improving the local criminal justice system, planning a method for integrating the needed community-based program into the existing criminal justice system and improving coordination at the local level between State and County community based corrections programs. The Board also submits the plan to the County Commissioners and monitor and evaluates the impact of the community based corrections program. The Criminal Justice Partnership Advisory Board works with the Durham County Criminal Justice Resource Center which, provides a wide array of services to criminal justice stakeholders, as well as adult and juvenile offenders

DeWarren pledges to develop and implement strategic, innovative and results-oriented community based corrections which emphasize residential stability, accountability, education and professional development, behavior correction and successful re-integration into society for returning citizens.

Langley also serves on the Youthful Offender Subcommittee and Correction Plan Update Subcommittee. DeWarren's term expires in September 2009.

11:07: DeWarren completes Durham Neighborhood College

DeWarren K. Langley received a Certificate of Completion from the Durham City Council and Durham Board of County Commissioners as a graduate of the Durham Neighborhood College (DNC) Class of Fall 2007.

The Durham City-County Neighborhood College is a unique educational program offered by Durham City and County governments. The nationally award winning program is a series of classes, co-sponsored by the City and County of Durham, consisting of ten-weeks of interactive sessions facilitated by various local government officials, allowing residents to learn about key government operations directly from the elected officials and staff responsible for overseeing key City and County services.

DeWarren plans to use his experience from the DNC to build a better Durham by creating sustainable policy solutions to problems impacting Durham communities.

The program began in September 2007 and concluded with a graduation ceremony in November 2007.

10/07: Langley appointed as a Precinct Judge by the Durham County Board of Elections

DeWarren K. Langley was appointed a Precinct Judge of precinct 55-49, at North Carolina Central University by the Durham County Board of Elections.

As a Precinct Judge, Langley is responsible for conducting primary and general elections at the precinct; inventory election supplies before and after the election; coordinating Election

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Day activities; transmit results after the polls have been declared closed at 7:30pm in accordance with North Carolina State Law, maintain the security of all ballots, tabulator and other election supplies, sign all necessary machine tapes, ballot seals, write-in sheet and ballot control form and ensure that the voting process is well run, accessible in all senses, a positive experience for each voter and in accordance with North Carolina State Law.

The mission of the Board of Elections is to provide free, open, honest, and professionally managed election services to our community.

DeWarren's term expires October 2009.

09/07: DeWarren appointed to Citizens Advisory Committee

The Durham City Council unanimously appointed DeWarren K. Langley to the Citizens Advisory Committee.

The Citizens Advisory Committee works to facilitate citizen participation in the planning, implementation and evaluation of federal, state and local for the Durham Community Development Block Grant Program; and serves as a liaison between citizens and the City Council and Board of County Commissioners receiving, compiling, interpreting and promoting information relevant to the development and improvement of the City and County of Durham. The Committee consists of 15 members, 12 of which are appointed by the City Council.

In 2003, Langley became the youngest person to serve on a city board when the Durham City Council unanimously appointed him to serve on the Lyon Park Advisory Board, which acted in an advisory capacity for the Community Family Life and Recreation Center at Lyon Park and advise the City Council on the development of a master plan for the Center. During his tenure on the Lyon Park Advisory Board, DeWarren served as Vice Chairman.

09/07: Langley accepted to Durham Neighborhood College

DeWarren K. Langley was accepted to the fall class of the Durham Neighborhood College.

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The program will begin in September 2007 and conclude with a graduation ceremony in November 2007.

08/07: DeWarren pinned by American Red Cross

The American Red Cross pinned DeWarren K. Langley for making his twentieth blood donation as a dedicated member of the Members for Life Blood Donor Program.

Members for Life is a program designed to recognize and reward frequent blood donors.

DeWarren donates 5 times annually. Langley began donating blood his senior year at C.E. Jordan High School after learning of the need for blood donors.

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04/07: DeWarren awarded Most Outstanding Student Award

DeWarren K. Langley was awarded the Most Outstanding Student Award for academic excellence and intellectual contributions in the Legal Environment of Business II class at Hampton University.

DeWarren was noted for his strong critical legal thinking skills - clearly identifying the key facts in the cases and applicable law and then applying the law to the facts of each case to come to a conclusion that answered the legal issue. Langley argued, *Sofia Salva v. Kansas City, Missouri Police Department*, *US Attorneys v. US Government*, and *The Families of Jerry Zovko, Scott Helvenston, Mike Teague, and Wesley Batalona v. Blackwater, USA*.

The class developed students' legal knowledge through case analysis. Students were required to select two negligence law issues and one contract law issue.

04/07: Langley honored with Most Outstanding Member & Executive Leadership Awards

DeWarren K. Langley was honored by the Society for Advancement of Management (SAM) at Hampton University with the Most Outstanding Member Award and Executive Leadership Award.

The Most Outstanding Member Award was in honor of his diligent dedication and overall contributions and leadership in planning and executing organizational tasks toward the mission and goals of the Society. He received the Executive Leadership Award in recognition for meritorious and distinguished service. The Award noted Langley had gone above and beyond what was required of members in his leadership and service to the organization.

Within the three years DeWarren served as President, SAM grew to approximately 300 students; hosted two Business International Education Forums - one focusing on international commerce and the other on global diversity; earned charters from the international society and Hampton University; and developed strategic partnerships with INROADS and other campus organizations.

The mission of SAM is to provide an opportunity for the members to increase management skills and expertise through participation in programs and services designed to improve the professional quality of their knowledge, performance and leadership ability.

Elected his freshman year, DeWarren was the first freshman to serve as President of a professional society at Hampton University.

01/07: Langley chosen as Director for the Resident Assistant Trainee Program

DeWarren K. Langley was chosen to serve as the Director for the Resident Assistant Trainee Program for James Hall at Hampton University.

The Resident Assistant Trainee Program is a voluntary, first-hand training and mentoring program dedicated to assisting students in James Hall interested in becoming Resident Assistants with developing the competencies, leadership and conflict resolutions skills needed to aid in maintaining an optimal learning and social environment in the dormitory. The program seeks to further develop students' communication and decision making skills.

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The Trainee Program will consist of 20 freshmen that will receive training in office management, communicating University policy and procedures, conducting cleanliness checks and assisting Resident Assistants on their respective floors.

DeWarren, a third year Resident Advisor, currently serves as a Senior Resident Advisor in James Hall, a freshman dormitory with 250 male freshmen where he oversees a staff of 10 Resident Assistants and 5 desk workers.

The program will begin in January 2007 and conclude in May 2007.

03/06: DeWarren elected to the Board of Directors of Partners for Youth

DeWarren K. Langley was elected to the Board of Directors of Partners for Youth.

Partners for Youth (PFY) is a year-round mentoring and summer job program for middle and high school students (ages 14- 19 years old) who are residents of Southwest Central Durham.

PFY surrounds each of the 25 students in the program with four mentors: one in the community, to be available for everyday advice and companionship; one in the student's school, to provide academic counseling and accountability; one in the student's summer internship, to offer advice and support in career pursuits; and one local college student, to meet with the student twice a week for tutoring.

Langley, a 2004 graduate of the program, served as a freshman mentor during this freshman year at Hampton University. As a PFY intern, DeWarren had internships with Consumer Credit Counseling Service, PRI Associates (acquired by PeopleClick), North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Company, the Greater Durham Chamber of Commerce and the Center for Instructional Technology at Duke University.

DeWarren was appointed to a 2-year term.

08/06: Langley recognized by North Carolina Governor Michael Easley

DeWarren K. Langley received a Certificate of Appreciation from North Carolina Governor, Michael Easley in recognition for his dedication and devotion in providing volunteer services to North Carolina's greatest resource, her people.

DeWarren lead a team of INROADS interns to build and strengthen Raleigh's youth workforce by explaining, discussion, modeling, encouraging and providing information on the significance of education; interview management skills; career planning; skill development and maintaining professional resumes and skill development. The interns developed trainings throughout the summer which also included the junior friend's shadowing the INROADS interns.

The summer concluded with a graduation ceremony held Saturday, July 29 at North Carolina State University during which the junior friends received certificates for their summer participation.

06/06: DeWarren attends 2006 INROADS Leadership Development Institute, Next Level Leadership

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DeWarren K. Langley attended the 2006 Leadership Development Institute (LDI), *Next Level Leadership*, held June 23-July 1, 2006 in Atlanta, Georgia. In addition to training, he was recognized during the Senior Legacy Ceremony.

LDI provided INROADS interns with the opportunity to learn the kinds of skills, attitudes and habits that create success in the business environment through workshops and seminars with industry leaders.

Students learned to work for their companies with resourcefulness, teamwork, and applied leadership skills as LDI training sessions continue to develop critical thinking, problem solving, communication, perseverance and strong ethical characteristics.

DeWarren Langley, a third year INROADS intern at IBM says he “acquired critical and strategic skills in managerial leadership while learning additional strategies to develop and motivate people to recognize and develop their own goals by working toward organizational objectives.” As interns joined other talented and gifted INROADS Interns, they not only learned from the best, but learned with the best. Each training session offered interns the opportunity to sharpen their college and corporate survival skills, giving them the professionalism they need to succeed.

06/06: Langley receives 2006 GEICO Achievement Award

DeWarren K. Langley was the recipient of the 2006 GEICO Achievement Award and a \$500 scholarship.

DeWarren was selected from entries submitted by college sophomores and juniors currently attending a four-year college or university in Virginia or North Carolina. He was selected based on his academic record, leadership, participation in school and community activities, honors and work experience.

In responding to the essay, Langley wrote: “I would be the best person to receive the GEICO Achievement Award because of my personal commitment to fully exalt every opportunity while serving as a resource for others despite adversity. Throughout my collegiate career, my involvements have been and continue to be dedicated to helping others, achieving academic excellence and providing meaningful service to my campus community.”

04/05: DeWarren to serve as 2006-07 Peer Counselor

DeWarren K. Langley was selected as a Peer Counselor for the 2006-07 academic year. The mission of the Peer Counselor Organization is to serve as an extension of the Student Counseling Center.

The Student Counseling Center focuses on student's emotional processes and development as well as their academic progress by assisting students with emotional, personal, social and academic concerns.

Peer Counselors develop and present programs and activities on campus to increase awareness and knowledge about college student psychosocial concerns in an attempt to reduce the incidence; provide limited confidential lay counseling and emotional support for students who request/prefer peer counseling; serve as role models of psychosocially healthy and self-actualizing adults; and assist in clarifying student's psychosocial needs and concerns on campus.

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Peer Counselors are trained to provide non-judgmental listening, and to support and help students think and reflect on concerns they may be experiencing. Counselors are also required to serve at least one desk hour per week in the Student Counseling Center.

01/06: DeWarren serves as Editor-in-Chief of the Collegiate Journal of Organizational Behavior

DeWarren K. Langley served as the Editor-in-Chief of the seventh volume of *The Collegiate Journal of Organizational Behavior* of the Department of Management at Hampton University.

The seventh volume of *The Collegiate Journal of Organizational Behavior* forged a diverse cooperative effort among Hampton University undergraduate students. While the majority of students were business majors, students studying public relations, English, sports management, broadcast journalism and other disciplines all engaged in self-chosen, professor approved studies to understand behavior in organizations and to learn how to work more effectively in organizational settings.

As Editor-in-Chief, Langley lead a committee of students responsible for editing 98 research papers of students averaging 15 pages; merged each file into a master document; provided meaningful feedback and suggestions to improve the next edition and supervised the printing of the journal for publication.

The Collegiate Journal of Organizational Behavior was created to encourage more contextualization in organizational research by students on topics of motivation, group and intergroup behavior, leadership, communication, power and influence, decision-making and organizational change.

The journal was added to the William R. & Norma B Harvey Library for the Hampton community.

The Journal also included his paper, [The Influence of Management by Walking Around on Strategic Visions](#). The paper examined how effective communication between managers and employees bridge the gap between the strategic vision created by managers and the job performance of employees toward organizational success.

04/06: Langley Awarded at 2006 International Business Conference

DeWarren K. Langley was awarded for academic and professional achievement as well as for his service on the 2005-06 International Board of Directors of the Society for Advancement of Management during the 2006 International Business Conference, "Sustaining a Competitive Edge," April 6-9, 2006 held at the Rosen Plaza Hotel in Orlando, Florida..

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DeWarren was awarded in recognition for his dedicated services and contributions to the art and science of management as a Collegiate Vice President on the 2005-06 International Board of Directors. He was also awarded the Regional Outstanding Student Award and the National Outstanding Student Award.

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The Board of Directors selected 15 undergraduate SAM student chapter members to receive honors as National Outstanding Students of SAM. The national awards are designed to recognize the outstanding academic, extracurricular, and professional achievements of SAM students who have demonstrated commitment in management excellence through practice and personal merit.

He currently serves as the President of the Society for Advancement of Management at Hampton University, a post held since his freshman year.

07/05: Langley directs documentary - Taking it Back: The Legacy of Pauli Murray

DeWarren K. Langley in partnership with John Heffernan directed a 5-minute documentary entitled: Taking it Back: The Legacy of Pauli Murray during the 2005 Documentary Video Institute hosted by the Center for Documentary Studies at Duke University. The documentary focuses on the revitalization and sustainability of affordable housing in the neighborhoods located in Southwest Central Durham.

The eight-day intensive Institute, from July 30 through August 6, immersed participants in the process of documentary filmmaking by working in small production teams led by experienced documentary filmmakers.

The Institute introduced an array of tools and techniques to collaboratively work with a partner to direct, shoot, edit and screen a documentary short. Additionally, participants explored different documentary genres and discussed collaboration, ethics and community outreach.

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