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OPEN HOUSE

The Staff Council, in conjunction with the Jesse H. Jones School of Business, hosted an Open House on March 23, 2010. The purpose of the event was to provide information on the MBA, eMBA, and MIS programs in the School of Business for employees interested in pursuing advanced degrees. The session was facilitated by Blake Green, eMBA program coordinator, and Dr. Karma Sherif, associate professor & MIS program director. Greetings were presented by Derrick Wilson, chair of the staff council and by Dr. Joseph Boyd, dean of the business school. More than 15 employees attended the Open House which was held in Room 129 of Hannah Hall.



STAFF MEMBERS ARE INVITED TO ATTEND. MEETINGS ARE HELD AT 11:00 A.M. ON THE 2ND AND 4TH THURSDAYS IN ROOM 129, HANNAH HALL.

STAFF COUNCIL'S PHILOSOPHY:

*"TSU Staff Council ...Representing TSU's Staff,
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(Ad Hoc)**Joe Merchant, *Chair*

The Staff Council Elections Committee has been formed. Seven (7) positions are available. More info on the Election process will be communicated in a special elections edition.

NEW EMPLOYEES

The Staff Council is pleased to recognize all of the new employees at Texas Southern University.

- **Remi Ademola**, Director (Center for Online Education and Instructional Technology)
- **Wesley Austin**, Custodian II
- **Dilipkumar Anketell**, Assistant Vice President for Facilities Planning and Construction
- **Guy Bouldin**, Recycle and Sustainability Technician
- **Tony Cotton**, Security Officer (DPS)
- **James Cunningham**, Financial Aid Counselor (Financial Aid)
- **Aundrea Dickey**, Custodian II
- **Sonja Edwards**, Administrative Assistant (DPS)
- **Karen Flores**, Custodian II
- **Erin Gaillard**, Career Resources Specialist (Educational Opportunity Center)
- **MyTisha Harper**, Custodian II
- **Clayton Jackson III**, Custodian II
- **Kendra Jackson**, Project Director (COPHS)
- **Glynn Jones**, Assistant Coach (Football)
- **Gregory Judge**, Custodian II
- **TauGamba Kadhi**, Program Coordinator (TMSL)
- **Latisha Marion**, Financial Aid Counselor (Financial Aid)
- **Wendy Martin-Brown**, Police Officer (DPS)
- **Manuel Martinez**, Assistant Coach (Football)
- **James McDow**, Coordinator of Special Services (President's Office)
- **Kishma Morancie**, Program Coordinator I (COPHS)
- **Christopher Plummer**, Building Engineer
- **Rig Quinney**, Technical Services Specialist (COST)
- **Rene Rosby**, Police Officer (DPS)
- **Brandi Weber**, Financial Aid Counselor (Financial Aid)
- **Jenta Young**, Program Coordinator I (COPHS)
- **Yinan Zhu**, Technical Services Specialist (COST)

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UPCOMING EVENTS

March of Dimes March for Babies Walk

Sunday, April 25, 2010
8:00 a.m. - Registration
9:00 a.m. - Walk
University of Houston

Register to Walk or Donate:

<http://www.marchforbabies.org/team/t1379109>

Staff Picnic & Softball Game

May 22 or June 5
11:00 a.m.

More information will be presented in the May newsletter

Staff Council Elections

May 21, 2010

Employees will be able to vote online



Photos from Staff Council Spring Break Social held at the Student Center on Wednesday, March 17. Employees enjoyed billiards, bowling, board games, cards, and good food. Special thanks to Birtenna Bennett for use of the Student Center. Please make plans to attend other events sponsored by the Staff Council.

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INFORMATION KIOSK

Due to the nature of their jobs, several university employees, such as custodians and ground personnel, do not have access to computers. In an effort to provide a system whereby these employees can access email, complete surveys and other university forms, an Information Kiosk has been set up in the General Services Building. The kiosk, which was provided by the Staff Council, is located on the first floor in the PBX Office (room 104).

To obtain an email account, employees without email should complete the [Banner Access Form](#). To access form: **(Right click on the link entitled “Banner Access Form” and click “open hyperlink”)**, print the form, obtain signature from Immediate Supervisor, and submit form to the Office of Information Technology in room 320 of Hannah Hall.



MISSION STATEMENT

The Texas Southern University Staff Council (TSUSC) exists as a positive collective voice to **foster a spirit of unity** by encouraging the exchange of ideas among staff, faculty, and students in keeping with the mission of Texas Southern University. TSUSC shall serve as an **advisory body which conveys information and makes recommendations to the President** regarding interests and concerns of the University Staff.

ATTENTION: TSU EMPLOYEES

*Join the Texas Association of Black Personnel in Higher Education (TABPHE) Houston Chapter.
For more information, contact Richard Johnson at ext. 7449. Dues are only \$25.00 a year.*