

2010-2011 PanAf GPSU
Executive Board



African Heritage Room - Cathedral of Learning
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The PanAf GPSU is a Graduate and Professional Student Assembly (GPSA) assembly group.

With international representation, PANAF receives support from the Office of Cross-Cultural and Leadership Development (CCLD) as a member of the International Graduate Student Office (IGSO).

PanAf GPSU also affiliates with the National Black Graduate Student Association (NGBSA) Inc.

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PLEASE CONTACT ANY OF THE PANAF
OFFICERS WITH YOUR QUESTIONS,
COMMENTS, AND CONCERNS!

**PAN-AFRICAN
GRADUATE AND
PROFESSIONAL
STUDENT
UNION
(PANAF GPSU)**



*From the Cradle of Civilization...
across all paths we traveled...*

**Welcome to the
University of Pittsburgh!**



HISTORY

"The Pan-African Graduate and Professional Student Association (PAGPSA) had its humble beginnings at a local eatery in Oakland, when a group of graduate students embarked on providing a social, cultural, and political haven for students within the African Diaspora at the University of Pittsburgh." - as printed in past programs; est. 1992/93

MISSION

PanAf GPSU serves all graduate & professional students at Pitt with research and/or cultural interests in *Black America, the African Continent, the Caribbean, West Indies, Latin America, and the entire Diaspora.*

GOALS

Create opportunities to assemble Black graduate and professional students on campus.

Enumerate resources supporting the research and study of Pan-African cultures and populations.

Cultivate collaborative practices and partnerships across organizations via the Pan-African Network, supporting and serving the PanAf GPSU's mission.

Educate the student body and community at large about Pan-African cultures, traditions, history, and current events.

Celebrate achievements and successes of Black students, scholars, staff, faculty, and alumni.

PANAF MEMBERSHIP

For Individuals & For Organizations/Offices

- Pitt students enrolled in graduate or professional programs may apply for membership with voting privileges.
- Additional membership categories exist for undergrads, faculty, staff, postdocs, alumni, spouses, and non-Pitt supporters.
- Another level of membership is open to organizations and offices as a part of our Pan-African Network (Pitt-related) or PANAF Partners (Non-Pitt-related).

*****Membership is FREE*****

To join, please fill out the membership application by visiting our office or downloading the form on our website.

We also encourage membership to the National Black Graduate Student Association.



UPCOMING EVENTS

Welcome Back Barbecue

with Co-Sponsorship from

BLSA & SNMA of the Pan-African Network

Happy Hours & Game Nights

Kwanzaa Observation

Workshops/Service Events

PANAF Research Symposium

Afrodemic Summit

Diversity Blueprints Discussion

Graduates' Celebration

Co-sponsored by: Pan-African Network & PANAF Partners

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