

## 2019 NATIONAL CONVENTION AGENDA

### TUESDAY, APRIL 2<sup>nd</sup>

6:30 pm National Action Network Membership Reception  
Newark Tech Academy, 400 Hawthorne Ave, Newark, NJ 07112

### WEDNESDAY, APRIL 3<sup>rd</sup>

8:00 am – 5:00 pm **CONVENTION REGISTRATION**  
Metropolitan Foyer – 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor

9:30 am – 10:00 am **OPENING RIBBON CUTTING** with Rev. Al Sharpton, Chairman Rev. Dr. W. Franklyn Richardson, *National Action Network Leadership & Elected Officials*  
Metropolitan East – 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor

10:00 am **PLENARY** – \*The Honorable Beto O'Rourke, Former U.S. Representative  
Metropolitan East – 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor

10:00 am **BOOK CONVERSATION** – Valerie Jarrett, Former Senior Advisor to President, Obama Administration \**Biography available for purchase onsite.*  
Metropolitan East – 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor

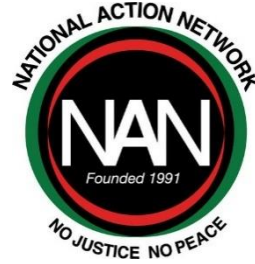
10:15 am **PLENARY** – \*The Honorable Pete Buttigieg, Mayor, South Bend, Indiana  
Metropolitan East – 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor

10:25 am **PLENARY** – \*Andrew Yang, Entrepreneur & Founder, Venture for America  
Metropolitan East – 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor

10:30 am **PLENARY** – Eric H. Holder, Jr., 82<sup>nd</sup> Attorney General, United States  
Metropolitan East – 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor

10:40 am **PLENARY** – Tom Perez, Chairman, Democratic National Committee (DNC)  
Metropolitan East – 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor

11:00 am **PLENARY** – \*The Honorable Julián Castro, 16<sup>th</sup> Secretary,  
U.S. Housing and Urban Development  
Metropolitan East – 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor



11:00 am – 12:30 pm

### **MOTHERS OF THE MOVEMENT**

**Metropolitan East – 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor**

**Opening Remarks:**

Benjamin Crump, Esq., Attorney, Ben Crump Law, PLLC

**Moderator:**

Angela T. Rye, Esq., CEO and Principal, IMPACT Strategies

**Panelists:**

Gwen Carr, Mother of Eric Garner

Se'Quette Clark, Mother of Stephon Clark

Benjamin Crump, Esq., Attorney, Ben Crump Law, PLLC

Dr. Tiffany Crutcher, Twin Sister of Terrace Crutcher

Allisa Findley, Sister of Botham Jean

Sybrina Fulton, Mother of Trayvon Martin

Lezley McSpadden, Mother of Michael Brown

Paula Peebles, Vice President, NAN Philadelphia, PA

*\*Gwen Carr will be sign her book This Stops Today: Eric Garner's Mother Seeks Justice After Losing Her Son afterwards.*

12:30 pm – 2:00 pm

### **THE ROLE OF PROGRESSIVE THOUGHT IN THE AGE OF TRUMP**

**Metropolitan East – 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor**

**Moderator:**

Dr. Jamal Watson, Executive Editor, Diverse: Issues in Higher Education

**Panelists:**

Dr. Michael Eric Dyson, Georgetown University

Dr. Eric Foner, Columbia University

Dr. Christina Greer, Associate Professor of Political Science, Fordham University

Maya Wiley, Henry Cohen Professor, Senior Vice President for Social Justice,

The New School, and MSNBC/NBC Legal Correspondent

Rev. Charles Williams, II, Midwest Regional Director, National Action Network

2:00 pm

### **PLENARY**

**Empire Ballroom – 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor**

Stacey Abrams, Founder, Fair Fight and Former Georgia Gubernatorial Candidate

2:30 pm – 3:30 pm

### **CONVERSATION & BOOK SIGNING**

**Empire Ballroom – 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor**

#### **FOUR HUNDRED YEARS LATER: UNDERSTANDING SLAVERY AND FREEDOM THROUGH THE EYES OF FREDERICK DOUGLASS**

A conversation between Rev. Al Sharpton, Dr. David Blight, Yale Historian and Professor Dr. Michael Eric Dyson, Professor of Sociology, Georgetown University

*\*Dr. David Blight will sign his book: Frederick Douglass Prophet of Freedom afterwards.*

*Dr. Michael Eric Dyson will sign his book: What Truth Sounds Like: Robert F. Kennedy, James Baldwin, and Our Unfinished Conversation About Race in America afterwards.*

6:00 pm

### **KEEPER'S OF THE DREAM RECEPTION**

7:00 pm

### **KEEPER'S OF THE DREAM DINNER AND PROGRAM**



## THURSDAY, APRIL 4<sup>th</sup>

- 8:00 am – 5:00 pm **CONVENTION REGISTRATION**  
Metropolitan Foyer – 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor
- 10:00 am – 3:00 pm **NAN RESOURCE CENTER**  
Liberty 1 & 2 – 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor
- 10:00 am **PLENARY** – \*The Honorable John Delaney, United States House of Representatives, (MD-6)  
Metropolitan East – 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor
- 10:15 am – 11:45 am **INFORMED OPPOSITION: CHALLENGES FOR DIVERSE REPORTING IN THE AGE OF TRUMP**  
Metropolitan East – 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor  
**Moderator:**  
Errol Lewis, CNN Contributor, Host, Road to City Hall, NY1 News  
and Director, Urban Reporting, City University of New York, Graduate School of Journalism  
**Panelists:**  
Tiffany Cross, Co-Founder & Managing Editor, The Beat DC  
Trymaine Lee, MSNBC Correspondent  
Midwin Charles, Esq., Managing Principal, Midwin Charles & Associates LLC  
Karen Hunter, The Karen Hunter Show, Urban View, Sirius XM Radio  
Lawrence O'Donnell, The Last Word with Lawrence O'Donnell, MSNBC  
David Wilson, Senior Vice President, BET Digital
- 11:45 am – 12:30 pm **MENTAL HEALTH: CONVERSATION & BOOK SIGNING**  
Metropolitan East – 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor  
**Moderator:**  
Angela T. Rye, Esq., CEO and Principal, IMPACT Strategies  
**Panelists:**  
Rev. Al Sharpton, Founder & President, National Action Network  
Charlamagne tha God, Co-Host, The Breakfast Club, Author and Producer
- 12:30 pm – 2:00 pm **PRESENT & ACCOUNTED FOR: WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW ABOUT THE CENSUS 2020**  
Metropolitan East – 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor  
**Moderator:**  
Joe "The Black Eagle" Madison, Joe Madison Show, SiriusXM  
**Panelists:**  
Ashley Allison, Executive Vice President of Campaigns and Programs,  
The Leadership Conference Education Fund  
Melanie Campbell, President and CEO, National Coalition on Black Civic Participation  
and Convener, Black Women's Roundtable  
Alicia Garza, Founder, The Black Census Project and Co-Founder, Black Lives Matter  
Marina Jenkins, Litigation Director, National Democratic Redistricting Committee  
Julie Menin, Census Director, New York City  
and Executive Assistant Corporation Counsel, Strategic Advocacy  
Derek Perkinson, NYC Field Director, National Action Network



12:30 pm – 2:30 pm **WOMEN'S EMPOWERMENT & NETWORKING LUNCHEON (TICKETED EVENT)**

**Co-Chairs:**

Michelle Ebanks, President, Essence Communications, Inc.,  
and Board Member, National Board of Directors, National Action Network  
and Board Member, National Board of Directors, National Action Network  
Tanya Lombard, Head of Multicultural Engagement and Strategic Alliances, AT&T,  
and Board Member, National Board of Directors, National Action Network

**Invocation:**

Rev. Elaine Flake, D.MIN., Co-Pastor, The Greater Allen A.M.E. Cathedral (GAC)

**Host:**

Joy-Ann Reid, Host, AM JOY, MSNBC

**Honorees:**

Kimberly Blackwell, CEO, PMM Agency  
Jotaka Eaddy, Vice President of Policy, Strategic Engagement, and Impact, Lend Up  
Sarah Glover, President, National Association of Black Journalists (NABJ)  
Traci Otey Blunt, SVP Corporate Communication, National Football League  
LaTanya Richardson Jackson, Actress and Philanthropist  
Claire Sulmers, Editor-in-Chief, The Fashion Bomb Daily  
Muthoni Wambu Kraal, National Political and Organizing Director, DNC

2:30 pm - 4:00 pm **DAUGHTERS OF THE MOVEMENT**

**Metropolitan East – 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor**

**Moderator:**

Dominique Sharpton-Bright, Daughter of Rev. Al Sharpton,  
and National Director of Membership, National Action Network

**Panelists:**

Rev. Leah Daughtry, Daughter of Rev. Dr. Herbert Daughtry  
Santita Jackson, Daughter of Rev. Jesse Jackson  
Jennifer Jones Austin, Daughter of Rev. William A. Jones, Jr.  
Suzanne Kay, Daughter of Dianne Carroll  
Stacy Lynch, Daughter of Political Strategist Bill Lynch  
Dr. Hasna Muhammad, Daughter of Ossie and Ruby Dee Davis  
Ilyasah Shabazz, Daughter of Malcom X and Betty Shabazz  
Keisha Sutton James, Granddaughter of Percy E. Sutton



4:00 pm – 6:30 pm

**THE CASE FOR CRIMINAL JUSTICE REFORM**

Metropolitan East – 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor

**Moderator:**

Jennifer Jones Austin, CEO, Federation of Protestant Welfare Agencies, (FPWA) and Board Member, National Board of Directors, National Action Network

**Panelists:**

Spencer P. Boyer, Director, Washington Office, Brennan Center for Justice, NYU Law School

Darcel Clark, District Attorney, Bronx County

Scott Hechinger, Senior Staff Attorney, and Director of Policy, Brooklyn Defender Services

Donna Lieberman, President, NYCLU

Rev. Jonathan Moseley, Western Regional Director, National Action Network

Johnny Perez, Director, U.S. Prison Programs, National Religious Campaign Against Torture

Cy Vance, District Attorney, Manhattan and New York County

7:00 pm – 9:00 pm

**TRUTH TO POWER REVIVAL**

Metropolitan East – 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor

Bishop Noel Jones, Senior Pastor, City of Refuge Church



## FRIDAY, APRIL 5<sup>th</sup>

- 8:00 am – 5:00 pm     **CONVENTION REGISTRATION**  
Metropolitan Foyer – 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor
- 7:30 am – 9:00 am     **CHAPTER DEVELOPMENT WORKSHOP**  
Empire West – 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor
- 10:00 am – 3:00 pm     **NATIONAL ACTION NETWORK RESOURCE CENTER**  
Liberty 1 & 2 – 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor
- 9:30 am – 12:00 pm     **THE FUTURE OF HISTORICALLY BLACK COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES**  
Metropolitan East – 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor  
**Moderator:**  
Dr. Jamal Watson, Executive Editor, Diverse: Issues in Higher Education  
**Panelists:**  
Dr. Roslyn Artis, President, Benedict College  
Dr. Herman Felton, Jr., President, Wiley College  
Dr. Wayne A. I. Frederick, President, Howard University  
Mary-Pat Hector, Student, Spelman College  
Dr. David Wilson, President, Morgan State University  
The Honorable Frederica Wilson, U.S. House of Representatives, (FL-24)  
Dr. Phyllis Worthy Dawkins, President, Bennett College
- 9:45 am     **PLENARY** – \*The Honorable Kamala Harris, U.S. Senate, California  
Metropolitan East – 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor
- 10:00 am     **PLENARY** – \*The Honorable John Hickenlooper, Governor, Colorado  
Metropolitan East – 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor
- 10:15 am     **PLENARY** – The Honorable Sherrod Brown, U.S. Senate, Ohio  
Metropolitan East – 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor
- 10:30 am     **PLENARY** – The Honorable Alexandria Ocasio-Cortez, U.S. House of Representative (NY-14)  
Metropolitan East – 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor
- 10:45 am     **PLENARY** – \*The Honorable Elizabeth Warren, U.S. Senate, Massachusetts  
Metropolitan East – 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor
- 11:00 am     **PLENARY** – \*The Honorable Bernie Sanders, U.S. Senate, Vermont  
Metropolitan East – 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor



- 11:15 am – 12:45 pm **DRIVING INVESTMENT IN COMMUNITIES:  
HOW THE *PRIVATE* SECTOR CAN HELP REALIZE A *PUBLIC* GOOD  
PRESENTED BY MASTERCARD**  
**Metropolitan East – 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor**  
**Moderator:**  
Jeff Johnson, Principal and Chief of Strategy, JIJ Communications  
**Panelists:**  
Nichole Francis Reynolds, Vice President, Public Policy, US Markets, Mastercard  
Chanelle Hardy, Policy Partnerships and Strategic Outreach, Google  
Janaye Ingram, Director, National Partnerships, Airbnb  
Sekou Kaalund, Managing Director, Head Advancing Black Pathways, JPMorgan Chase
- 12:00 pm – 2:00 pm **REVEREND DR. WILLIAM A. JONES MEMORIAL LUNCHEON (TICKETED EVENT)**  
**Metropolitan West – 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor**  
**Speakers:**  
\*The Honorable Amy Klobuchar, U.S. Senate, Minnesota  
\*The Honorable Kirsten Gillibrand, U.S. Senate, New York  
\*The Honorable Cory Booker, U.S. Senate, New Jersey  
The Honorable Charles E. Schumer, U.S. Senate Minority Leader  
The Honorable Frederica Wilson, U.S. House of Representatives, (FL-24)  
**Honorees:**  
Dr. Adolphus C. Lacey, Pastor, Bethany Baptist Church, Brooklyn, NY  
Bishop Adam J. Richardson Jr., Senior Bishop, AME Church  
Mobilizing Preachers and Communities (MPAC)  
\*More To Be Announced\*
- 12:00 pm – 2:00 pm **THE BLACK ECONOMIC AGENDA: DRIVING CAPITAL INTO THE HANDS OF BLACK ASSET  
MANAGERS AND HOUSING DEVELOPERS**  
**Central Park West – 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor**  
**Opening Remarks:**  
Rev. Al Sharpton, Founder & President, National Action Network  
**Moderator:**  
Robert Raben, Founder and President, The Raben Group  
**Panelists:**  
The Honorable Joyce Beatty, U.S. House of Representatives, (OH-3)  
The Honorable Thomas P. DiNapoli, Comptroller, New York State  
Craig Livingston, Managing Partner, Exact Capital  
Tracy Maitland, President and Chief Investment Officer, Advent Capital Management  
Gabriel Maldonado, Board Member, AIDS Healthcare Foundation  
Robert F. Smith, Chairman, Vista Equity Partners  
Roy Swan, Director, Mission Investments, Ford Foundation  
The Honorable Scott M. Stringer, Comptroller, New York City  
William Thompson, Jr., CEO & Partner, Seibert Cisneros Shank,  
and Former Comptroller, NYC
- 2:15 pm **PLENARY** – \*The Honorable Cory Booker, U.S. Senate, New Jersey  
**Metropolitan East – 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor**





- 2:30 pm – 4:00 pm **THE BLACK CHURCH: 2020 VOTER PROTECTION AND  
Metropolitan East – 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor**  
**Opening Remarks:**  
Rev. Jesse Jackson, Founder and President, Rainbow PUSH Coalition  
**Moderator:**  
Rev. Nelson Rivers, III, Vice President, Religious Affairs  
and External Relations, National Action Network  
**Panelists:**  
Stefanie Brown James, Co-Founder, The Collective PAC  
Dr. Adolphus Lacey, Pastor, Bethany Baptist Church, Brooklyn, NY  
Bishop Frank Madison Reid, III, Presiding Bishop, 3<sup>rd</sup> Episcopal District AME Church  
Dr. Yolanda Pierce, Dean, School of Divinity, Howard University  
Bishop Dennis V. Proctor, Presiding Bishop, North Eastern District, AME Zion Church  
Rev. Don Tolliver, Vice President, NAN Tallahassee, FL Chapter  
Bishop James B. Walker, Presiding Bishop, New York 7<sup>th</sup> District, AME Church
- 2:30 pm **PLENARY – The Honorable Lucy McBath, U.S. House of Representatives, (GA-06)  
Metropolitan East – 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor**
- 2:30 pm – 4:00 pm **BLACKS IN BLUE: AFRICAN AMERICANS IN LAW ENFORCEMENT  
FROM SLAVE PATROLS TO LEADERS IN 21ST CENTURY POLICE REFORM**  
**Location: TBA**  
**Opening Remarks:**  
Rev. Al Sharpton, Founder & President, National Action Network  
**Moderator:**  
The Honorable Kendrick Meeks, Former U.S. House Representative, (FL-17)  
**Panelists:**  
Ret. Major Neill Franklin, Executive Director, Law Enforcement Action Partnership  
Chief Vera Bumpers, President, NOBLE  
Chief John I. Dixon, Past President, NOBLE
- 3:00 pm **PLENARY – The Honorable Jeff Merkley, U.S. Senate, Oregon  
Metropolitan East – 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor**
- 3:00 pm – 4:30 pm **BIG DATA X SOCIAL JUSTICE: CONSUMER PRIVACY  
AND THE IMPACT ON COMMUNITIES OF COLOR**  
**Central Park West – 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor**  
**Opening Remarks:**  
The Honorable Eric Swalwell, United States House of Representatives, (CA-15)  
**Moderator:**  
William Allen, MPA, Director, National Crisis & Services, National Action Network  
**Panelists:**  
Khaliyah Barnes, Privacy and Public Policy Manager, Facebook  
Kimberlyn Carter, Secretary, NAN Macon, GA Chapter  
Don Cravins, Vice President, Policy and External Affairs, Charter  
Donna Epps, Senior Vice President for Public Policy and Strategic Alliances, Verizon  
Deborah Lathen, President, Lathen Consulting LLC; Former Chief, FCC Cable Services  
Bureau and Member, MMTC Board of Directors  
Yvette Pugh, Director, Federal Affairs, AT&T





- 3:00 pm – 4:30 pm     **FROM JAIL TO WORK**  
**Metropolitan East – 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor**  
**Moderator:**  
The Honorable Ras Baraka, Mayor, Newark, NJ  
**Panelists:**  
The Honorable Frank Gilliam, Mayor, Atlantic City, NJ  
The Honorable Ted R. Green, Mayor, East Orange, NJ  
The Honorable Adrian Mapp, Mayor, Plainfield, NJ  
The Honorable Frank Minor, Mayor, Logan Township, NJ  
The Honorable Tony Vauss, Mayor, Irvington, NJ  
The Honorable Dwayne Warren, Mayor, Orange, NJ  
The Honorable Michael Wildes, Mayor, Englewood, NJ
- 3:00 pm – 4:30 pm     **BLACKFACE IN FASHION?**  
**Empire West – 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor**  
**Moderator:**  
Bevy Smith, Host, Sirius XM’s “Bevelations”, and Contributor, Page Six TV  
**Panelists:**  
Jay Alexander Martin, Co-Founder, FUBU  
Shanny Herrera, Executive Director, NAN Bronx Chapter  
Ty Hunter, Celebrity Stylist  
Vedeta Hanley, Designer, V. Hanley Collections  
Claire Sulmers, Founder, The Fashion Bomb Daily
- 3:30 pm – 7:30 pm     **YOUTH HACKATHON & TECHNOLOGY COMPETITION**  
**Liberty 3 – 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor**
- 7:00 pm                 **PLENARY** – The Honorable James E. Clyburn, Majority Whip, U.S. House of Representatives,  
(SC-6) **Metropolitan East – 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor**
- 7:00 pm – 9:00 pm     **TRUTH TO POWER REVIVAL AND CONCERT**  
**Metropolitan East – 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor**  
Bishop Marvin Sapp, Gospel Music Artist; Pastor of Lighthouse Full Life Center Church,  
and Board Member, National Board of Directors, National Action Network  
Keith “Wonderboy” Johnson, Gospel Artist and Special Guests



## SATURDAY, APRIL 6<sup>th</sup>

- 10:00 am **PLENARY**  
**Metropolitan East – 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor**  
Van Jones, CEO, REFORM, Political Contributor, and Host, The Van Jones Show, CNN
- 10:00 am – 12:00 pm **MEASURING THE MOVEMENT**  
**Metropolitan East – 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor**  
**Discussion Leader:**  
Rev. Al Sharpton, Founder and President, National Action Network  
**Leaders:**  
Kristen Clarke, President & CEO, Lawyers Committee on Civil Rights Under the Law  
Vanita Gupta, President & CEO, The Leadership Conference on Civil and Human Rights  
Janice Mathis, Executive Director, National Council of Negro Women (NCNW)  
Marc Morial, President & CEO, National Urban League
- 12:30 pm **OPENING RIBBON CUTTING CEREMONY AND YOUTH DAY AWARDS**  
**Metropolitan East – 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor**  
**Honorees:**  
Chanel Taylor, Detroit, MI, NAN YouthMove  
Elijah Coles, Richmond, VA, NAN YouthMove
- 1:00 pm – 2:30 pm **WHOLE FOOD JUSTICE**  
**Empire East – 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor**  
**Moderator:**  
Dimonique Johnson, President, NAN Youth Huddle  
**Panelists:**  
Joel Berg, Hunger Free America  
Cheryl Clemenly, ECO City Farms  
Malaysia Freeman, Vice President, NAN Youth Huddle  
Kayla Kennard, Vice President, NAN YouthMove Detroit  
Sammie Paul, MEANS Database  
Melony Samuels, The Campaign Against Hunger  
Mary Travis, Harvard School of PH and the City of New York



1:00 pm – 2:00 pm

**GUN TALK: PEACE, POLICY, PROTECTION**

**Empire West – 2nd Floor**

**Moderator:**

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**Panelists:**

The Honorable Brian Benjamin, State Senator, New York  
The Honorable Jumaane Williams, Public Advocate, New York City  
Monique Chandler-Waterman, Anti-Violence Advocate,  
and Founder, East Flatbush Village, Inc.  
Darcel Clarke, District Attorney, Bronx, NY  
Luis Fernandez, Activist, Youth Over Guns  
Rev. Stephen Green, Activist, and Pastor, Heard AME Church, Roselle, NJ

2:00 pm – 3:00 pm

**DISMANTLING INJUSTICE & CHALLENGING INCARCERATION**

**Empire West – 2nd Floor**

**Moderator:**

Victor Pate, President, NAN Second Chance Committee

**Co-Moderator:**

Dr. Vanda Seward, Professor of Criminal Justice, City University of New York,  
Kingsborough Community College

**Panelists:**

Donna Hylton, Director, The Women and Girls Project,  
Katal Center for Health Equality and Justice  
Yolanda Johnson-Peterkin, Chief of Housing Community Activities, NYCHA  
Jen Lackard, Founder, Chief Strategist, Re-Entry Link, Publisher, The Reentry Chronicle,  
and President, Station of Hope Prison Ministry, Grace Baptist Church, Mt. Vernon, NY  
Marvin Mayfield, #FREEnewyork, Campaign Director, JustLeadershipUSA  
Tyrrell Muhammad, Monitoring Associate Prison Visiting Project,  
Correctional Association of NY  
Mark Shervington, Community Organizer, Release Aging People in Prison

2:00 pm – 3:30 pm

**GREEK LETTER ORGANIZATIONS AND CIVIL RIGHTS**

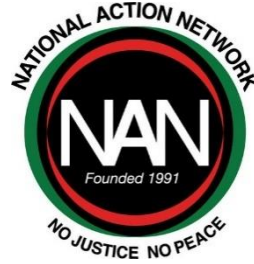
**Empire East – 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor**

**Moderator:**

Tylik McMillan, South East Director, YouthMove

**Panelists:**

Kevin Bennet, Iota Phi Theta Fraternity, Inc.  
Deborah Catchings-Smith, International President, Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority, Inc.  
Christine Dudley, Alpha Kappa Alpha, Inc.  
Donna P. Edwards, Former U.S. Representative, (MD-4),  
and Representative, Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Inc.  
Kai Liburd, Representative, NAN Youth Huddle  
Chris Rey, Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Inc.  
Kyra Stephenson-Valley, Cessation Director, National Action Network  
Henry Stewart, Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc.



- 3:00 pm – 4:30 pm **YOUNG, GIFTED AND BLACK BUSINESS LEADERS:  
DISCUSSING YOUTH ENTREPRENEURSHIP TODAY**  
**Empire West – 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor**  
**Moderator:**  
Shawn Swinton, NAN YouthMove, South Carolina  
**Panelists:**  
Anthony Anderson, Co-Founder, Brown Boys Lemonade  
Jae'den Anderson, Co-Founder, Brown Boys Lemonade  
David Carter, NAN YouthMove, Baltimore, MD  
Tia Crump, Director, Youth Entrepreneur Institute  
Zandra Cunningham, Founder, Zandra Beauty  
Malaysia Freeman, Representative, NAN Youth Huddle  
Barbara Heisler, Executive Director, Glass Root  
Laurianne Lumsby, Representative, NAN, Youth Huddle  
Amadeus Thompson, CEO, Platinum Boy  
Mason Wright, Founder, Masons Super Dogs
- 4:00 pm – 5:00 pm **AFROPUNK: SOLUTION SESSION**  
**Empire East – 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor**  
**Moderator:**  
Bridget Todd, Host, AFROPUNK  
**Panelists:**  
David Carter, President, NAN YouthMove, Baltimore  
Jason Gaines, Area Manager, National Public Affairs, AT&T  
DeNora Getachew, Executive Director, Generation Citizen  
Gennette Gordova, Contributor, Huffington Post  
Mary Pat Hector, National Youth Director, National Action Network  
Dometi Pongo, Host, MTV NEWS  
Christian Taylor, Entrepreneur, CT3 Strategies
- 3:30 pm – 7:30 pm ***Youth Hackathon & Technology Competition***  
**Liberty 3 – 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor**
- 6:00 pm – 8:00 pm **ARTIVISM 2019 FASHION SHOW POWERED BY SHARPTON ENTERTAINMENT**  
**Metropolitan East – 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor**  
**Co-Hosted by:** Rahmeka Cox, Miss NY 2018, Demarjay Smith, Motivational Speaker and Internet Sensation, and T'yanna Wallace, Boutique Owner and Daughter, Biggie Smalls  
**Lighthouse Honoree:**  
DeVon Franklin, Franklin Entertainment

**END OF AGENDA**