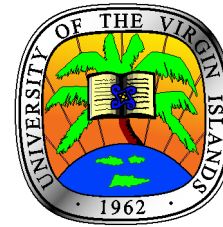


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Cheryl Mingo	Jewel Samuel
Jessica LaPlace	

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Director, Human Resources	<i>Ron Mack</i>
Director, Employee Benefits	<i>Veda Richards</i>
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Human Resources Business Partner	<i>Neville Williams</i>
Human Resources Business Partner	<i>Tessa Liburd</i>
Human Resources Business Partner	<i>Shelly Anshyn-Jones</i>
Human Resources Business Partner	<i>Shauna Matthew</i>



University of the Virgin Islands



St. Thomas Campus
Sports and Fitness Center
Tuesday, April 23, 2019
1:00 p.m.

Albert A. Sheen Campus
Great Hall
Thursday, April 25, 2019
1:00 p.m.

We appreciate the numerous congratulatory remarks from the UVI community on behalf of the honorees to read at your leisure.

Kindly view the remarks at the following link:

<https://www.uvi.edu/administration/administration-and-finance/human-resources/service-awards/2019remarks.aspx>

Human Resources Department

2019 Service Awardees – Albert A. Sheen

Five Years

*Hussein A. Abdurhman
Julene S. Dorsett
Vanessa V. Forbes
Janis M. Valmond*

Ten Years

*Maritza I. Belardo-DeCosta
Desiree R. Bertrand
Nicolas C. Drayton
Kenny A. Hendrickson
Garry E. Richardson
Linda I. Smith
Riise S. Thurland*

Fifteen Years

*Michelle M. Albany
Leroy Gardiner
Theresa Jouavel
Elroy Richard*

Twenty Years

*Victor M Almodovar
Michael E. Javois
Michelle D. Peterson
Mary F. Richards
Errol F. Sweeney*

Twenty-Five Years

*Fiola C.D. Alexander
Robert W. Godfrey
Cleveland F. Tonge*

Thirty Years

*Michael E. Austrie
Francisco E. Depusoir*

Thirty-Five Years

Christene Henry

Retirees

*Maria D. Friday
Samuel S. Joseph*

Perfect Attendance

*Michael E. Austrie
Mary A. Josiah
Jose A. Torres*

Program – Albert A. Sheen

Prelude

Master of Ceremony.....Nereida Washington

Invocation.....Marthious Clavier

Welcome Remarks.....David Hall, President

Guest Speaker Introduction.....Nereida Washington

Guest Speaker.....The Honorable Allison L. DeGazon, Senator

Service Award Presentations by

David Hall, President

&

Other Tributes

Employee of the Year Presentation.....Debbie Joseph

Best Footwear Competition.....Nereida Washington

Benediction.....Cleveland Tonge

Postlude

Reception



Office of the President

MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNIVERSITY OF THE VIRGIN ISLANDS

It is my distinct honor and privilege to welcome you to the 45th Annual Service Awards Ceremony. In keeping with this year's celebratory theme for our Sapphire Year of "Love, Passion and Pride – Service Awards 45," I am so proud that we take time each year to honor and recognize our employees. I continue to be impressed with the enthusiasm and service with which I see so many of our employees provide to the University through the work that they do and the extent to which they so often go above and beyond the scope of their job responsibilities. UVI is a better place because of the service each of you provide to the institution.

Greatness and innovation are not two philosophical concepts. Greatness and innovation live within people, often in the swallow regions of their hearts, souls and minds. The path that this University has been on, and will continue to be on for years to come, will only be fueled by the talented, dedicated and brilliant individuals at all levels of the institution who we are able to attract and retain. This Employee Service Awards Ceremony is our way of recognizing those individuals who are the fuel for our quest for greatness and innovation. As much as we want to believe that great success emerges from great leaders, the reality is that great success occurs when many individuals within an institution not only see themselves as leaders, but see themselves as the key to great success. The University of the Virgin Islands is blessed to have many individuals who see themselves in this manner. Some of them have been with us for five years, while others for 40 years, and others somewhere in between. Some of them have made the decision to retire and pass the baton on to others who can complete the journey. We celebrate all of them because without their sacrifice, commitment and dedication, we would not have achieved so many important levels of success.

For those who are retiring, we are grateful that they chose to fulfill a major part of their professional dreams with UVI. We wish them much success as they move to the next stage of their lives. You have each left an indelible mark on the University. We owe you a deep debt of gratitude for sharing so many years of your life with us.

To Director Ron Meek and the staff within the Department of Human Resources, I applaud you for the hard work and thoughtfulness that have consistently gone into the planning of these employee recognition ceremonies. The care that you have taken to ensure that each employee being honored today feels special will undoubtedly result in fond memories for all.

In closing, congratulations to all our honorees and please join me in celebrating and recognizing these numerous gems who make the UVI crown shine so brightly.

Sincerely,

David Hall, SJD
President

Program – St. Thomas

Prelude

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2019 Service Awardees—St. Thomas

Five Years

Yakini A. Brandy
Lorraine M. Buckley
Timothy L. Faley
Janet C. King
Ron Meek
Marta I. Perez
Sharice N. Richardson
Jessica B. Taylor
Leslyn J. Tonge
Ian M.D. Turnbull

Ten Years

Wilfred C. Cooksey
Dara M. Cooper
Julie A. Cruz
Caryl L. Johnson
Glenn A. Metts

Fifteen Years

Erik L. Heikkila
Karen S. Hodge
Lonnie J. Hudspeth
Corrine E. Lindquist-Daniel
Barbara A. Maynard
Roy Sterrod
Desmond Wallace

Twenty Years

Kemio T. Garcia
Mary S. Myers
Malik Sekou
Donna A. Williams-Andrews
Linda R. Wymer

Twenty-Five Years

Richard L. Hall
Verna J. Rivers

Thirty Years

Mervin V. Taylor
Toni A. Thomas

Thirty-Five Years

Albion George
Dale E.R. Morton

Forty Years

Lorna V. Chesterfield
Rosalia Rhymer-Rohan
Barbara I. Todman

Retirees

Calvin C. Brown
Derby A. Cameron
Sharleen A. Fahie
Ilene P. Heyward
Marilyn A. Harris
Vincent J. Samuel
Arthur J. Vanlow