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Delegate Report:

69th Boule Part II/2021 Leadership Seminar July 12-16, 2021

<p>July 12, 2021</p>	<p><i>Leadership Opening Ceremony</i></p>	<p><i>The Welcome Video from the Supreme Basileus was a great gateway for the Boule. The Health Care Forum was informative and relevant and created a great space for information on issues affecting black women.</i></p>
<p>July 13, 2021</p>	<p><i>Workshop: Non Profits and Not-for-Profits & Grant Writing</i></p>	<p><i>Both workshop seminars were excellent. The Non-Profit and Not-for-Profit workshop provided insight into the differences between the two, the understanding of their roles, and how foundations are guided by individual purpose. These were helpful for young leaders who want to expand their gifts in ways that benefit the culture and society as a whole. The slides provided insight into understanding these entities and ways individuals like myself can get started.</i></p> <p><i>The Grant Writing seminar was great. It was awesome experience to see how proper funding can be important to the success of businesses and other entities. The speakers spoke on the diversity of funding and strategies on applying according to organization purpose and need.</i></p> <p><i>The delegate meeting was a recap on voting procedures but it was a great review for the upcoming voting requirements in the Plenary sessions.</i></p>
<p>July 14, 2021</p>	<p><i>Plenary Sessions I, II</i></p>	<p><i>As a first time Regional & Boule attendee, I thoroughly enjoyed the Plenary Sessions. To be an active member of such a prestigious sorority and having the great experience to be a delegate, the Plenary</i></p>

<p>July 15, 2021</p>	<p>Plenary Session III/IV</p>	<p><i>sessions provided so much valuable information on the State of the Sorority. Soror Patricia Russell-McCloud's meditation was electrifying! As I donned my AKA scarf for Scarf Day, it was amazing to be a part of the voting process and to hear about the amazing things that Alpha Kappa Alpha has been doing and will continue to do moving forward. I had the opportunity to hear the tallying of the delegate reports and to be an active participant in moving our sorority forward.</i></p> <p><i>Voting on the various amendments was definitely an extreme highlight and although some sorors experienced technical issues, the process was indeed an experience!</i></p>
<p>July 16, 2021</p>	<p>Walk with the Supreme</p>	<p><i>As the last day of Boule was coming to a close, I arose early to experience a New Orleans Tour Walk with the Supreme Basileus. To enjoy the sites of New Orleans in person is one thing but to experience the sights and sounds virtually is a whole new delight! You can almost smell the smells and feel the beautiful, warm weather. The sounds from the band put me right there right in my own neighborhood! This was a great way to get my day started with a great workout with an engaging tour through all of the highlights of New Orleans!</i></p>

Comments:

This year's virtual Boule Part II/2021 Leadership Training Seminar did not disappoint. The platform was easy to navigate for some while others experienced a few technical issues; however, overall the experience was well worth it! As a new delegate, I had the opportunity to vote in such a monumental Boule event. Although Covid put a damper on meeting so many sorors in the beautiful city of New Orleans, the Boule did not disappoint in providing the next best thing-a wonderful virtual experience! There were so many awesome workshops to attend and the ones chosen far exceeded what I expected. I am so proud to be a part of this year's delegates and to make such an

impact on moving our sorority forward. To top it all off-I am elated to call my favorite actress, Tracey Ellis Ross-my soror!