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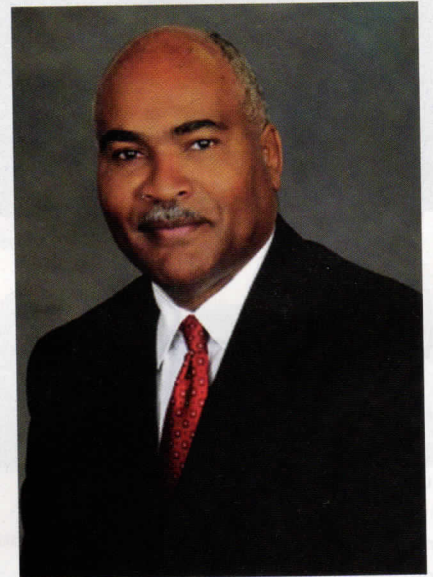


Isha Edwards

Isha Edwards has been named the U.S. ambassador for the Entrepreneurship Incubator's Leadership Project in South Africa, where she trains, consults, and serves as a support system for local leaders. Edwards is the owner and brand marketing consultant of EPiC Measures LLC which conceptualizes initiatives geared towards economic development through business ownership. She currently instructs at Clayton State University's Center for Continuing Education and prior to that, was an educator for grades 8-12, and a program administrator in higher education. Edwards earned a bachelor's degree in business management from the University of Illinois at Chicago, and a branding and integrated marketing certificate from the University of Southern California's Marshall School of Business.

Joseph H. Silver Sr.

Joseph H. Silver Sr., Clark Atlanta University's provost and vice president for academic affairs, has been appointed the 13th president of Alabama State University. During his tenure at CAU, Silver engineered the university's 2010-2013 strategic planning process resulting in the highly successful "Pathway to a Secured Future" program. Previously, Silver served in various leadership roles including as an administrative fellow with the Board of Regents of the University System of Georgia and assistant vice chancellor of academic affairs; as vice president for academic affairs and professor of political science at Savannah State University; and as vice president of the Commission on Colleges at the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools. He received a bachelor's degree in political science from St. Augustine's College, and master's and doctorate degrees in political science from the former Atlanta University.



Terrez Thompson

Terrez Thompson is The Coca-Cola Company's new global vice president of supplier diversity. In this role, she will lead and promote the company's well-established efforts to maximize procurement opportunities with diverse businesses as suppliers, contractors and subcontractors. Before serving in this capacity, Thompson held several positions with the company including executive assistant to the president of the Africa Group, controller of The Coca-Cola Trading Company, and company liaison in national and international communication arenas such as the World Economic Forum, the Prince of Wales Business Leaders Forum and the International Chamber of Commerce. A Certified Public Accountant, Thompson earned a bachelor's degree from Morgan State University.

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