# **APPOINTMENT**

Approving the reappointment of Dr. Elayne Arrington to serve as a member of the Community College of Allegheny County Board of Trustees for a term to expire on December 31, 2022.

| In Council _ | APR | 1 19th | , 2017. |
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|              |     |        | , 2027. |

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Read and approved by Motion of Council.

John P. DeFazio
President of Council

Attest:

Jared Barker Chief Clerk

**Allegheny County Council** 



March 2, 2017

Honorable President and Members of Council Allegheny County Council 119 Courthouse Pittsburgh, PA 15219

Dear Members of Council:

Please find the attached resume of Dr. Elayne Arrington, whom I am recommending for reappointment to the Community College of Allegheny County Board of Trustees.

The mission of CCAC is to make quality education affordable and accessible as well as to provide leadership in workforce training and support for economic development in the region. I am recommending Dr. Arrington for a term to expire on December 31, 2022.

Dr. Arrington received her PhD in mathematics from University of Cincinnati. She is an Assistant Professor at the University of Pittsburgh. She is the first African American woman graduate of the University of Pittsburgh's School of Engineering.

I appreciate your consideration, and ask that you act on this appointment as quickly as possible. Dr. Arrington will make herself available for review by the appropriate committee, if members of Council wish to speak with her.

Sincerely.

Rich Fitzgerald

# **Curriculum Vitae**



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# **Elayne Arrington, PhD**

### Academic History

**PhD**: Mathematics; University of Cincinnati, 1974\*; Charles Phelps Taft Fellow, Instructor, Teaching Assistant

MS: Mathematics, University of Dayton, 1968; Teaching Assistant

**BS**: Mechanical Engineering, Aeronautical Option; University of Pittsburgh, 1961\*\*; Pi Tau Sigma (Honorary Mechanical Engineering Fraternity), Quax (Women's Honorary Science Sorority)

\*17th African-American female in the USA to earn the PhD in mathematics

\*\*First African-American female graduate of the University of Pittsburgh Engineerring School

## Vocational History

Department of Mathematics, University of Pittsburgh; 1974—present: Assistant Professor, Lecturer, Senior Lecturer, Retired- part-time lecturer
Wright-Patterson Air Force Base, Ohio; Summer, 1978, Consultant on Advanced
Strategic Air-Launched Missile (ASALM) Project
Department of Mathematics, University of Cincinnati; 1973-1974, Instructor
Wright-Patterson Air Force Base, Ohio; (Foreign Technology Division, Performance
Branch) 1962-1970, Aerospace Engineer

#### **Publications**

p-n Groups and p-saturated Formations: Proceedings of the Conference on Finite
 Groups, Univ. Utah, Park City, Utah, 1975), pp. 537-540, Academic Press, New
 York, 1976
 p-saturated Formations, Israel Journal of Mathematics, 30 (1978) no 4, 307-312

#### Non-Published Works

<u>F-Hypercentral Automorphisms</u>; with W.E. Deskins (1975), manuscript <u>The Contribution of English Mathematicians to the Theory of Finite Solvable Groups</u>, 1987

The Solid of Least Resistance; An Example From Newton's Principia, 1997

#### Listings

Listed in Men and Women of Science and The World Who's Who in Women. Profiled

in Complexities: Women in Mathematics published by Princeton University Press under the auspices of the Association for Women in Mathematics

**Community Service** 

The Harmony Club of Homestead, Pennsylvania: 2004-Present; President Community College of Allegheny County (CCAC) Board of Trustees (2007-2013; 2014-present)

Local/State Christian Education Dean, Pennsylvania Baptist State Convention Congress of Christian Education Director, Allegheny Union Baptist Association Board of Christian Education

Honors

Steel Valley Chamber of Commerce Outstanding Senior Citizen: March, 2007 New Pittsburgh Courier's 50 Women of Excellence, 2012

# **COUNTY OF ALLEGHENY**

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April 20, 2017

Dr. Elayne Arrington 1828 Eagle Ridge Drive Monroeville, PA 15146

Dear Dr. Arrington:

This letter is to inform you that at the Regular Meeting of Allegheny County Council held on April 19, 2017 Council approved your reappointment to serve as a member of the Community College of Allegheny County Board of Trustees for a term to expire on December 31, 2022.

We congratulate you on your reappointment and wish you the best of luck in this undertaking. We look forward to receiving your recommendations and stand willing to assist you in any way you believe appropriate.

Sincerely,

Edward J. Kress, Appointment Review Committee Chair

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Allegheny County Council

Quintin B. Bullock, DDS, President, CCAC

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