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Happy August from the Livingston Alumni Association (LAA)! We hope you're enjoying the summer. In this issue:

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Rutgers Professor Abena Busia Represents Her Native Ghana as Its Ambassador to Brazil

[Abena P.A. Busia](#) has been named as Ghana's Ambassador to Brazil.

Busia, a Professor of Women's and Gender Studies, and English, joined the Rutgers faculty in 1981.

In 1998 the LAA named Professor Busia as an Honorary Member to recognize her contributions to Livingston College.



Alumnus of the Month: Robert Bertrand (LC'01) launched his career in radio at Livingston College's 90.3 FM The Core.

He helped rebuild and reinaugurate the radio station in 2000 as a joint venture between Rutgers and Piscataway High School.

Today he is the Chief Technology Officer at WAMU-FM 88.5, the National Public Radio station in Washington, D.C.

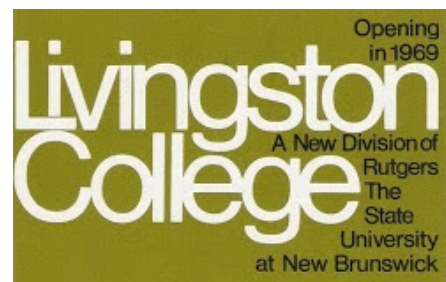
The LAA honored Bertrand in 2015 as a [Livingston College Distinguished Alumnus](#).

Preserve the History and Advance the Legacy

You can help us **preserve the history and advance the legacy of Livingston College**. We particularly need people interesting in interpreting a [rich archive of yearbooks and other materials](#) we have scanned and archived.

For details, please email us (info@livingstonalumni.org).

LAA Partners with Unity Bank to Benefit the Riki Jacobs Livingston Pride Award





LAA's Riki Jacobs Livingston Pride Award has been given each year since 1990 to a Rutgers-New Brunswick student who most embodies the spirit of Livingston College's leadership and social action. The award winner receives a minimum \$500 grant from the LAA.

Current and new customers of Unity Bank can help fund this award confidentially and at no cost to the customer through the UCare Charitable Giving Program. [Find out how.](#)



In Rutgers Spirit,
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