



## Reunion Weekend

Join us May 19-22 to reunite with classmates and celebrate your time at Clark! For the first time in three years, we are back on campus to celebrate and enjoy many of your favorite Clark Reunion traditions!

Enjoy a special dinner on Friday night, as well as the presentation of the Alumni Awards, where we will celebrate the accomplishments and achievements of three esteemed alumni:

- Marie Rajcula L'Heureux '77 - Distinguished Service Award
- Prof. Christian Davenport '87 - Service to Society Award
- Jean Dao '12, M.A.T. '13 - Young Alumni Award

Saturday's events include long-standing favorites such as the Spree Day Picnic, athletics tournaments and games, and Dancing Under the Stars. You can also check out the BIPOC affinity social, the LGBTQ+ reception, and a tour of Polar Park! Don't miss the campus tour to see what's changed since you've graduated, including a presentation from Dean Paul Cotnoir about the Becker School of Design and Technology.

The weekend will conclude on Sunday with the reunion brunch and commencement, where we send off the class of 2022 and welcome them into our alumni community.

[See the full schedule of Reunion Weekend events](#)

[Register now \(closes May 5\)](#)

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## Clark's 10th Presidential Inauguration

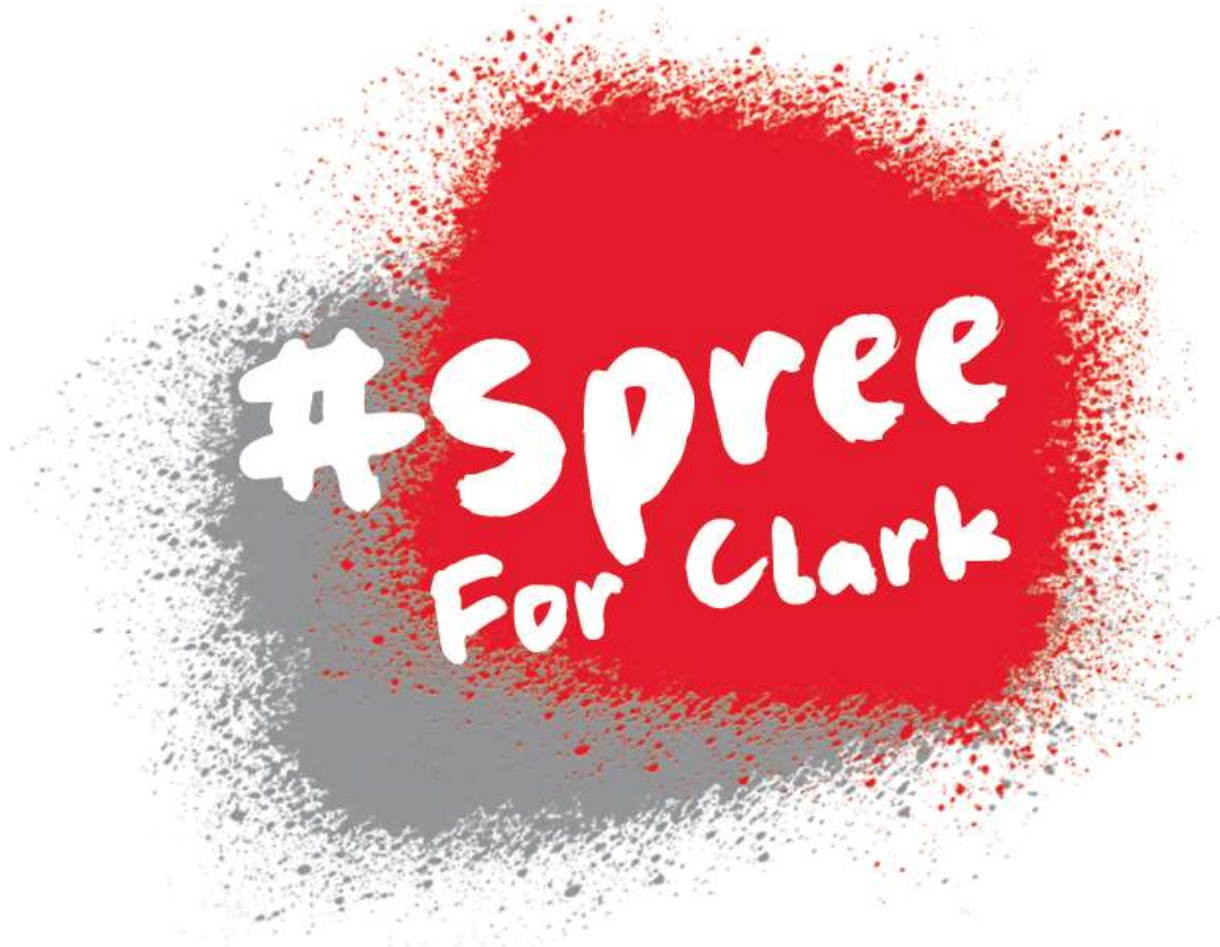
On April 29 and 30, we will celebrate a dynamic new chapter in the history of Clark University as we inaugurate our 10th president, David B. Fithian '87.

Fithian, a proud Clark alumnus and a distinguished leader in the world of higher education, was named the president of Clark University in January 2020, only the 10th person to hold the position since the University was founded in 1887. Registration for this event is closed, but you can watch the ceremony online at 1pm on Saturday, April 30th. [Click here to get the livestream link.](#)

[Schedule of Events](#)

[Learn more about President David Fithian '87](#)

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## Spree for Clark

Spree for Clark begins in just two weeks! Our 24-hour giving day is back and bigger than ever beginning at noon (EDT) on Wednesday, May 4!

When we reach our goal of 500 donors, Clark Trustee Wendi '86 and Stephen Trilling will contribute an additional \$25,000 to The Clark Fund! There are also matching opportunities and challenges in place for:

- Graduates of the Last Decade (Classes of 2011-2021)
- Classes of the 1980s
- Classes of the 1990s
- The Class of 2007

Visit [alumni.clarku.edu/spree](https://alumni.clarku.edu/spree) to participate and check back often to see if your gift is eligible to be matched or will count towards a challenge to earn additional funds!

Plus - check out opportunities to earn Clark swag when you share Spree for Clark with your Clark network. Click on “Become an Advocate” at [alumni.clarku.edu/spree](https://alumni.clarku.edu/spree) to learn more.

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## Alumni Council Call for Ideas and Contacts

Help us plan alumni events next year and beyond - we want your ideas and contacts!

The Alumni Council’s Programming Committee will soon convene to plan an Alumni Speaker event series to take place next fall and beyond. This series will reflect Clark’s academic strategy focus areas, which promote Clark as a destination university that provides a transformative liberal arts education and pursues research to address real-world problems.

[Read more about Clark’s strategy focus areas](#)

[Send us your thoughts, ideas and contacts](#)

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## ClarkCONNECT Internships & Projects For Summer 2022

Clark students are seeking summer opportunities! You can play an important role in the career and professional development of Clark students by posting internships, jobs, and projects on the ClarkCONNECT platform.

- Join the [ClarkCONNECT platform](#) to share an opportunity and connect with 7000+ Clark alumni, students and faculty.
  - Check out our [ClarkCONNECT Internships & Projects Guide](#)
  - Reach out to the [Career Connections Center](#) (CCC) by emailing [clarkconnect@clarku.edu](mailto:clarkconnect@clarku.edu).
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## Upcoming Events

**Athletics Hall of Fame Induction Ceremony (May 19):** Join us for the 2022 Clark Athletics Hall

of Fame Induction Ceremony and Dinner on Thursday, May 19, in Tilton Hall at the Higgins University Center. We will be honoring the accomplishments of the 16th Hall of Fame class. Register by May 1.

**Us Them We | Race Ethnicity Identity** – On view through June 19, 2022, this exhibit at the Worcester Art Museum exhibit was co-curated by Toby Sisson, Associate Professor and Program Director of Studio Art at Clark. In addition to the 47 works in the Museum's collection, there will be a tandem show featuring pieces by 11 Clark students, all focusing on how artists reveal their identity through art.

**Q&A with Professor Abbie E. Goldberg, PhD (June 2):** Join Clark's LGBTQ+ Alumni Association for a special virtual Q&A event celebrating the publication of Dr. Goldberg's important upcoming book, *LGBTQ Family Building: A Guide for Prospective Parents*.

**New York City Reception (June 7):** Join President David Fithian '87 for an evening in New York City. President Fithian will be joined by members of the New York President's Leadership Council at this special gathering of the Clark community.

**Clark Paris Meet-Up (June 10):** Clark is coming to Paris, France! Join host Timothy Conley '15 and other Euro-based Clarkies for an evening of snacks, drinks, and memories at The Frog and Underground, just minutes from the Grands Boulevards metro station. Registration coming soon!

**More Alumni & Friends Events**

**Visual & Performing Arts Department Events**

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## Get Involved

**Join an alumni affinity group** – Email the alumni engagement team to learn more about joining the Clark Black Alumni Association (CBAA) or Alumni LGBTQ+ Group, or to suggest an affinity group.

**Support The Clark Fund** – Email the alumni engagement team to join the mailing lists for the existing affinity groups, the Clark Black Alumni Association (CBAA) and or the Alumni LGBTQ+ Group, or contact us to suggest a new affinity group.



## Stay Connected



Make sure your contact information is up to date so you can stay in the know about Clark events, activities, and more!

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## Share your News



Did you get a promotion? Get married? Write a book? We want to hear all about it, and your classmates do, too.

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