



BERNARD C. JOHNSON **BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

Bernard has a distinguished career spanning 17 years in the United States Army establishing a reputation as a dynamic leader and accomplished executive. Currently serving as an Operations Sergeant Major and previously as a First Sergeant, he manages the Army's largest company, directing over 1,200 service members with exceptional skill. He also served as a Drill Sergeant and Drill Sergeant Leader, training and mentoring new recruits, and was awarded the Drill Sergeant Identification Badge for his exceptional service. Bernard's credentials include multiple Meritorious Service Medals and various leadership certifications underscoring his dedication to excellence in both military and community roles.

Beyond military service, Bernard is the founder and owner of Kingz Enterprises and Events LLC, where he has demonstrated entrepreneurial prowess in event planning and management. His business acumen and passion for crafting unforgettable events reflect a deep commitment to delivering quality experiences. In addition to his business ventures, Bernard has contributed significantly to Kappa Lambda Chi Military Fraternity, holding positions as International National President & CEO, Vice President, and Membership Coordinator. His leadership was instrumental in growing the fraternity's membership by 15% and a chartered member of Eta Chapter in Columbia, SC.

An advocate for community service, Bernard has actively mentored troubled youth through the Tarheels Challenge Academy and has served on the board of advisors for two high schools. With a Bachelor of Arts in Organizational Leadership from the University of Charleston and several professional certifications, he is equipped with advanced skills in strategic planning, leadership development, and community engagement. Bernard remains dedicated to promoting equality and enhancing community well-being through his multifaceted professional and personal endeavors.

SKILLS, EDUCATION EXPERIENCE

- Program Management & Development
- Strategic Planning
- Leadership Development
- Community Engagement
- Diversity & Inclusion
- Crisis Management
- D-SAACP

PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

- Kingz Enterprises & Events LLC (BUSINESS OWNER)
- NAACP
- Tarheels Challenge Academy

AWARDS AND RECOGNITION

- Meritorious Service Medal
- Drill Sergeant Identification Badge
- Kappa Epsilon Psi
Exceptional Gentlemen MVP
Award