



G.S.T.S. ALUMNI ASSOCIATION - NORTH AMERICA CHAPTER

17TH ANNUAL CONVENTION 2023

DETAILS & SCHEDULES

DATE: THURSDAY, 27TH JULY 2023 TO SUNDAY, 30TH JULY 2023

VENUE(S):

**CONFERENCE: HAMPTON INN & SUITES COLUMBUS-EASTON AREA
FUNDRAISING DINNER: CROWN PLAZA, COLUMBUS, OHIO, USA**

CLOSEST AIRPORT

John Glenn Columbus International Airport (CMH)

HOTELS

Hampton Inn & Suites Columbus-Easton Area (Lodging and Convention Venue)

4150 Stelzer Road, Columbus, OH 43230, USA

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link: <https://www.hilton.com/en/attend-my-event/gstsconventionhisjuly2023/>

(Ask for GSTS Convention if calling to make reservation)

Crowne Plaza Columbus North-Worthington Hotel (Lodging & Fundraising Dinner)

6500 Doubletree Ave. Columbus, OH 43229

Tel: 614 885 1885

Use link: <https://www.crowneplaza.com/columbusnorth>

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CONVENTION SCHEDULE

THURSDAY 27TH JULY 2023

- All Day - Arrival of Giants/GAA Executives – Explore Columbus
- 7:00 pm - Dinner
- 4:00 pm - Radio Interview of GAA Executives at a Local Radio Station

FRIDAY 28TH JULY 2023

- All Day – Giant Arrivals
- 10:00 am – 12:15 pm – Volunteer at a local food pantry
- 5:00 pm – 7:00 pm - Welcome Night Reception (Food and Drinks)
- 7:30 pm – 9:30 pm - Slide Show Presentation/ Question and Answer Session “Telling the GAA story through photography” –with “The Mfonyigrapher”, Gt. Francis Appah '04 (GAA Deputy General Secretary)

SATURDAY 29TH JULY 2023

BREAKFAST

7:30 am – 9:15 am – Breakfast at Hampton Inn

MEDICAL SCREENING

7:30 am – 9:15 pm - Health Talk/ Medical Screening
Gt. Dr. Edward Botse-Baidoo MD '91 – GAA (North America) Vice President

CONFERENCE – ALL GIANTS

9:30 am – 2:30 pm - GAA Conference (see agenda)

FAMILY FUN – GIANT FAMILIES

9:30 am – 3:00 pm - Families of Giants Leave for Zambezi Bay and Columbus Zoo

FUNDRAISING DINNER – GIANTS AND GENERAL PUBLIC

7:00 pm – MIDNIGHT - Giants Fundraising Dinner Dance - At Crowne Plaza Columbus North-Worthington Hotel, 6500 Doubletree Ave. Columbus, OH 43229

SUNDAY 29TH JULY 2023

ALUMNI PICNIC – GIANTS AND FAMILIES

9:00 am – Music, Tooli, Ghanaian dishes (Omotuo, kenkey, khebabs) – Special Park, Columbus, OH

DEPARTURES



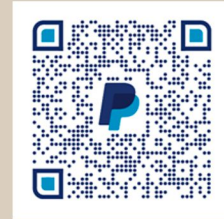
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INVITED SPEAKERS



Gt. Tetteh Abbeyquaye '89 Ph. D.
- GAA (Global) President – Short Address



Gt. Arc. Daniel Kwadjo Teye '93/95
– GAA (Global) General Secretary
Topic: GSTS FACILITIES ASSESSMENT AND MASTERPLAN



Gt. Julius B. Nkrumah '86 – GAA (Global) Organizer
Topic: MANAGING GAA PROJECTS AND EVENTS, THE
JOYS, AND CHALLENGES



Gt. Peter Avevor '92 – GAA (Global) – Deputy Treasurer
Topic: GAA FUNDRAISING, THE IMPACT OF GAA-NORTH
AMERICA AND THE WAY FORWARD



Gt. Francis K. Appah '04 – GAA (Global) – Deputy General
Secretary
Topic: CHRONICILING GAA & IMPACT OF SOCIAL MEDIA
IN GAA ACTIVITIES.



Gt. Ebenezer B. Koomson '07 – GAA Secretariat Coordinator
Topic: The GAA Secretariat: Bringing the alumni to the School
and the School to the alum.

Other Speakers to be announced.