



Dr. Lucian Yates, III

I am Lucian Yates, III, Ph.D., a long-time, Life Member of NABSE who has prayerfully considered and is now seeking the office of **President-Elect**.

History with NABSE:

My tenure with NABSE has been long, deep, and varied:

- NABSE member for twenty-five (25) years & missed only three conferences in that length of time
- President of the Greater Louisville Alliance of Black School Educators
- Started three (3) affiliates
- Chair of the Superintendent Commission
- NABSE Board Member
- Executive Board Member, under Former President Dr. Deborah Hunter Harvill
- Wrote the African American Male Youth Leadership Summit, under Former President, Dr. Emma Epps
- Hosted the African American Male Youth Leadership Summit at Kentucky State University and at Prairie View A&M University
- Editorial Board, *Journal of the Alliance of Black School Educators*
- Editorial Board, *Journal of Education and Urban Society, 2016-present*
- Editorial Board, *Journal of African American Males in Education, 2016-present*
- Co-Editor, *Journal of the Texas Alliance of Black School Educators*
- Co-Editor, *Journal of the Research Association of Minority Professors*
- Conducted yearly workshops at the NABSE Conference and the TABSE Conference
- Brought Teacher Education students to the conference each year, knowing that they are our next generation
- Member, Greater Nashville Alliance of Black School Educators
- Member, Texas Alliance of Black School Educators

Qualifications, Experience, and Preparation for the Position

- Ph.D. in Curriculum, Instruction, & Supervision from Ohio University
- Has served in many positions such as, an award-winning teacher, assistant principal, principal, assistant superintendent, superintendent, department of education official, college professor, education dean, and graduate school dean, which has centered and focused my attention on PK-20 education.
- In these positions, learned to manage complex organizations and intricate budgets, including raising funds and writing grants, as well as creating quality learning environment for students
- Highly sought-after trainer and speaker
- Currently, under contract for a three-volume book series on *Lessons Learned from HBCUs*

- Highly published author on issues of African American students
- Worked with Soviet Union as they moved from Communism to Democracy
- Participated in a call-in talk show on School-to-Work Initiatives with Secretary of Education Richard Reilly, Secretary of Labor Robert Reich, and President Bill Clinton
- Work as superintendent was featured in the *U.S. News and World Report* (November 16, 1999) and the *Atlantic Monthly* (January 2000)

Vision for NABSE's Future

My goal is to Reclaim, Restore, and Renew NABSE to its glory days by:

- Continuing the organizational stability as begun by Presidents Hamilton and English
- Work closely with incoming President Michael McFarland, officers, and the board
- Develop creative funding streams
 - Increasing memberships
 - Conference attendees
 - Sponsorships
 - Foundation support
 - Extramural funding through grants
 - Professional Development Consulting Services
- Liquidate our mortgage on our Headquarters and renovate the building
- Work to stabilize our National office, including hiring an Executive Director
- Focus on service to the Affiliates
- Work on telling NABSE's story
- Develop focused advocacy on education of students of African Descent
- Develop the next generation of NABSE by encouraging Affiliates on College Campuses