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SPC announces new Associate Dean of Students

LEVELLAND – Urisonya Flunder recently joined the administration at South Plains College as the new Associate Dean of Students. She started Sept. 21.

The Houston native said her professional experiences have prepared her for her duties and responsibilities at South Plains College.

“Everyone here is so nice, and I really like the job,” Flunder said. “The description fits my experiences and will allow me to work with students who need me.

“South Plains College has given me the opportunity where I can give back to the students and get the most out of this opportunity,” she said. “I plan to utilize my experiences to add to the programs we have here and bring something different where needed. Part of being successful is being surrounded by successful programs and people. I have found that at SPC.”

Flunder received her Bachelor of Science degree in Speech Communication Studies with a minor in Vocal Music from Jackson State University in Jackson, Miss. She received a Master of Education in Higher Education Administration from the University of Arkansas in Fayetteville, Ark.

Prior to joining the administration at SPC, Flunder worked as the Director of Multicultural Affairs at Stephen F. Austin State University in Nacogdoches for two and a half years. She worked as a Residence Life Coordinator at Texas Tech University for two years and as a Residential College Director for at Washington University in St. Louis for a year.

“She is going to be a great asset to South Plains College,” said Dean of Students David Conner, “We’re lucky to have her.”

Flunder is a member of the National Association of Student Personnel Administrators, the National Conference on Race and Ethnicity, the American Association of Blacks in Higher Education and Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc.

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Flunder said that away from work, she enjoys public speaking, singing in the choir, staying active in her sorority and enjoying her life as a newlywed. She and her husband, Anthony, were married in August.

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