



FRIDAY, OCTOBER 24TH

12PM - 3PM HOLMES HUNTER, 2ND FLOOR
IAAS OCTOBER FELLOWSHIP

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 25TH

9:30 AM BOLTON DINNING COMMONS

5PM-7PM EBENEZER BAPTIST CHURCH WEST

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 26TH

1:30PM - 4:30PM MEMORIAL HALL, VICTOR K.
WILSON BALLROOM

DOCUMENTARY PREMIERE SCREENING

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**PAMOJA CONNECTIONS INC. & UGA INSTITUTE OF AFRICAN AMERICAN STUDIES
CELEBRATE PAMOJA'S 55TH ANNIVERSARY & MENTAL HEALTH & ADVOCACY WEEKEND
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 24- SUNDAY, OCTOBER 26, 2025**

OCTOBER 24

**IAAS OCTOBER FELLOWSHIP: PAMOJA CONNECTIONS
INC. 55TH ANNIVERSARY RECEPTION**

IAAS will host authors, Dr. Ann Marie Popwell, mental health professional, and Pastor Nawanna Lewis Miller, founder of the original UGA Pamoja groups. Both will speak to students about mental health support from their respective books. Afterwards, an informal lunch will be provided in the IAAS library.

OCTOBER 25

MORNING MEET & GREET, EVENING DONOR CONCERT

Students are welcome to join UGA alumni and representatives of IAAS for breakfast and casual conversation at Bolton Dinning Commons with current and past Pamoja members. Join an afternoon Celebration & Fundraiser to enjoy student group performances at the historic Ebenezer West Baptist Church. An evening reception will follow in church Fellowship Hall.

OCTOBER 26

**T3-TRIUMPH THRU TEARS WORLD PREMIERE
SCREENING**

The Pamoja Connections Inc. documentary, *Triumph Thru Tears: The Power of Pamoja at UGA*, tells the story of how Pastor Nawanna Lewis Miller created five cultural groups from 1970 that are still in service today. The documentary marks the 55th Anniversary of Pamoja named after the Swahili word "Pamoja," meaning "Togetherness".

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