



**Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Incorporated** ®  
*Omicron Lambda Omega Chapter*



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**SAMIYAH PAYTON WINNER  
POLITICS AND PEARLS  
“CHANGE THE WORLD TODAY” COMPETITION**

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**“Change the World Today” competition Samiyah Payton receives Award from Alpha Kappa Alpha, Sorority Incorporated, Omicron Lambda Omega Chapter, on Sunday, May 22nd.**

Samiyah Payton, a junior at the New Orleans Center for Creative Arts (NOCCA), was recognized for her Visual Arts submission to the “Change the World Today” competition in conjunction with Politics and Pearls. Future Leader Samiyah Payton’s piece, titled “Peonies”, embodies the timeless beauty, strength and honor of women of color, especially Black women. It speaks to the quiet strength of Black women supporting the continuing quest to end injustice and promote peace. “Peonies” is a mixed media abstract painting.