

Dr. Michael McClanahan

Over the last 30 years, Michael McClanahan has successfully worked on several campaigns. That experience helped him win election as the NAACP Baton Rouge Branch President. Dr. McClanahan now serves in the capacity of NAACP Louisiana State Conference President. As State President, he oversees the coordination of over 30 adult branches and youth and college chapters all over the great state of Louisiana. He was recently re-elected without opposition to the State Presidency. Earlier this year, he was elected to the NAACP National Board of Directors.

Dr. McClanahan currently serves on the Governor's La COVID-19 Health Equity Taskforce, the Louisiana Commission on Election Integrity as well as the Legislative Police Training, Screening and De-escalation Taskforce.

He is a member at the Church of Life Fellowship Baptist Church where he diligently serves as a deacon, co-chair of the men's ministry, governing board member and with the evangelistic outreach ministry.

Dr. McClanahan is a 1986 and 1987 graduate of Southern University and a 1990 graduate of Southern University Law Center. He is married to the lovely Patricia and together they have two wonderful children, Y'mine and Torin.