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Kennedy-King College's Graduation Ceremony May 12, 2007

THE CHANCELLOR

REPORTS

that Cheryle Robinson Jackson, President and CEO of the Chicago Urban League delivered the keynote address and *Dream Girl* Jennifer Hudson received an honorary degree at Kennedy-King College's Commencement Exercise.

that Cheryle Robinson Jackson, the first woman president and CEO of the Chicago Urban League and first African American and woman to serve as chief press secretary for the governor of Illinois made history again as the keynote speaker for the 2007 Kennedy-King College Commencement Exercise. Ms. Jackson holds the distinction of offering the final Commencement address for students graduating from the current Kennedy-King College facility under the theme: "Stepping into a Bright future".

that academy award winning "Dream Girls" movie star and Kennedy-King College alum, Jennifer Hudson was awarded an honorary Associate Degree in Fine Arts.

that the final graduating class represents 254 graduates from Kennedy-King College and its two satellite campuses: Dawson Technical Institute and Washburne Culinary Institute.

Respectfully submitted,

Wayne D. Watson Chancellor

June 20, 2007