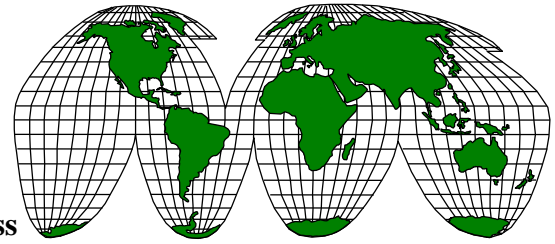


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AWARDS

1. May 11, 1994, Presentation at the Republican Mid-Term Convention, Washington, DC, from USA President # 41, **President Herbert Walker Bush** to Dr. Shamir Ally, the **"Republican Senatorial Medal of Freedom"** for **"Dedication, Unwavering Support, and as a Prominent Leader in the Republican Party."**.....Dr. Shamir joined the ranks of the first 3 Recipients, President Ronald Reagan (Oct 1, 93)... Prime Minister Lady Margaret Thatcher (Sept 29, 93)... and Charlton Heston (July 29, 1993). **This is the Highest Honor the Republican Members of the US Senate can bestow.** During 1994 Senator Bob Dole was the Republican Senate Leader, and Senator Dr. Phil Gramm was Republican Chairman.
2. 1984-1985 **Lions International 100% District Governor**, for Lions International, District 20-K2, Nassau County, Long Island, New York, USA. 3rd. Place from among 408 District Governors from 171 Countries.
3. 1985 Lions International, **Founder Melvin Jones, 5 Diamonds, Award.**
4. 84-85 Lions International, **3 New Clubs Extension Award.**

5. 1985 Lions International **Key of Nations Award**, for sponsoring 100 Lions, to Lions Clubs' Membership from Around the World.
6. 1967 at Central Demerara Lions Club, THE Lions International **Ambassador of Goodwill Award** from Past International President Jorge Bird, Puerto Rico.
7. 1975-1976, Lions International **District 60, Lions of The Year Award** from among 1,883 Lions in 13 Countries.
8. 1969-1975: **5 Times, LION of the YEAR**, Central Demerara Lions, Guyana, South America.
9. 1996 served as a **NY Campaign Advisor to Senator Bob Dole** for his **1996 USA Presidential Campaign**.
10. Oct 31, 2010 **AFC's Gold LEADERSHIP AWARD** from Alliance For Change Party at The National Convention, Oceanview Convention Center, Liliendal, ECD, Guyana, South America.
11. **Guinness World Record 20 November 2012, 10, 221 DIFFERENT STICKERS on a sedan motor car: FIRST in CLASS** by GWR.
12. Listed in "Marquis Who's Who in Finance and Business" 43 rd. Edition 2015-2016.

RECOGNITIONS:

1. UG Alumni E-News, University of Guyana.

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Featured Alumni

Dr. Shamir Ally



1. **The George Washington, University, Washington, DC, Department of Human and Organizational Learning, Graduate School of Education and Human Development, “Honorary ELP Alumni Status, July 30, 2012”, “In recognition of the Eminent and Distinguished Roles That Dr. Shamir Ally, has served for (ELP), Executive Leadership Doctoral Program.”**
2. **The George Washington, University, Washington, DC, Department of Human and Organizational Learning, Graduate School of Education and Human Development, “Honorary HOL Alumni Status, October 14, 2013”, “In recognition of the eminent and distinguished service that Dr. Shamir Ally has provided for the Department of Human and Organizational Learning, including serving as External Examiner, Advisor to Professor Michael J. Marquardt, Member of the ELP Research Scholarship Committee.”**
3. **Walden University Alumni Magazine: Winter/Spring 2015: pages 2 and 3: Special Deliveries: “Dr. Shamir Andrew Ally, brings business books- and hope-back to his home country of Guyana.”**
<http://www.waldenu.edu/about/newsroom/publications/articles/2015/01-beyond-borders-special-deliveries>

Beyond Borders: Special Deliveries WALDEN UNIVERSITY

Dr. Shamir Andrew Ally brings business books—and hope—back to his home country of Guyana.

By Christine Van Dusen
January 2015



Dr. Shamir Andrew Ally presents books to the University of Guyana library.

In the library—its shelves nearly bare, save for a few battered and outdated volumes—a young man was hungrily reading through the pages of a crisp, new textbook on accounting. Dr. Shamir Andrew Ally '94 watched nearby, peering to see if there was a telltale dot on the tome. When he saw it, he smiled.

Ally, a Ph.D. in Applied Management and Decision Sciences (now Ph.D. in Management) graduate and Alumni Ambassador, donated that textbook to the University of Guyana's library. It's just one of the more than \$100,000 in books on management, accounting, leadership, and health that the Guyana native and his wife, Dr. Maryann Renee Beebe Ally, have gifted to the school (and marked with a dot) since 2004.

"I believe that education is one of the key drivers for success for individuals and for a nation as a whole," says Ally, president and CEO of International Consulting Services, based in North Carolina. **"I wanted to do something to give back."**

Giving back is something Ally has always wanted to do, especially to help his home country of Guyana, the third-poorest country in South America. Although he had studied business at the University of Guyana in 1978, he briefly considered politics as a way to help change his country for the better but soon realized that approach wasn't likely to be effective. He moved to the U.S. and completed a bachelor's and master's in business administration, but having an academic understanding of business wasn't enough. He wanted to go to a university that could help him use his business background to improve the picture for Guyana. So he enrolled at Walden.

"Walden's professors encouraged me to give back to my country, knowing that development and business could be better than aid," he says.

Meanwhile, he got a message from a friend in Guyana: The library at his alma mater was perilously low on business textbooks. The books that were available were either out of date or based on British laws. Ally was inspired to buy 50 books in the U.S. and send them to the school. His donations have increased during the last seven years. When he visits the university, he sees that nine out of 10 business students are using the books he donated. And that feels good.

"We all can give more of ourselves. We can start small and do something that fits with our lives and what we understand," says Ally, now a professor of management at William Loveland College in Colorado and a visiting professor at the Romanian-American University, Qatar University, and the University of Guyana. **"You can pick something near and dear to your heart, and the rest will follow. Walden helped me see this through."**

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Book Donation

Guyanese born, Professor, CEO and Consultant Dr. Shamir Andrew Ally and Dr. Maryann Ally of Pennsylvania, U.S.A and Central Demerara Lions Club, Georgetown presented their 7th donation of **48 International Accounting, Financial Accounting and Managerial text books and CD-Roms** valuing US\$5,115.00 (G\$1,023,000) to the University of Guyana Library. The simple handing over ceremony was held on November 22. Present at the ceremony were Dr. Marlene Cox, Deputy Vice-Chancellor and Ms. Gwyneth George, University Librarian among other members of the University community. **To date, the Allys have made donations to UG totaling 1,068 text books and CD-Roms valuing US\$87,549 (G\$17,509,800).**

Dr. Ally making his presentation to Dr. Marlene Cox, Deputy Vice-Chancellor, UG
Some of the books donated





May 7, 2015

Their eighth donation of textbooks, CD-ROMs and videos in the areas of Managerial Accounting, Management, Leadership, Languages, and Health to the University of Guyana Library. According to Dr. Ally, the items have an estimated value of G\$1,605,600 (US \$8,028).

To date the Library has benefitted from a total of **1,458 textbooks, CD-ROMs and videos** with an estimated value of G\$19,115,400 (US \$95,577), on the subjects of **Accounting, Management, Economics, Project Management, Strategic Management, Leadership, Entrepreneurship, Business, Languages, and Health.**

“As the University celebrates its Golden Jubilee, the University wishes to thank one of the library’s most outstanding and consistent donors and friend of the Library, and a son of the soil who is dedicated to giving back to his country.”

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