# BEREA COLLEGE

# ASA WEBSITE CSC 493 CAPSTONE

BEREA COLLEGE AFRICAN STUDENT **ASSOCIATION** UBUNTU

## MOTIVATION

As the president of the African Student Association (ASA) at Berea College, I am driven to develop the ASA website as a legacy for future generations. This initiative stems from a commitment to celebrate African culture and traditions, and to provide a unifying platform for our members. The website aims to be a cultural hub, enabling students to connect, share, and engage with the rich tapestry of African heritage. It serves not only as a testament to our diverse backgrounds but also as a bridge that connects and enriches our broader community, embodying the spirit of inclusivity and diversity championed by Berea College.

## TECHNOLOGIES

mongo DB

MySQL | Node JS

HTML JS CSS

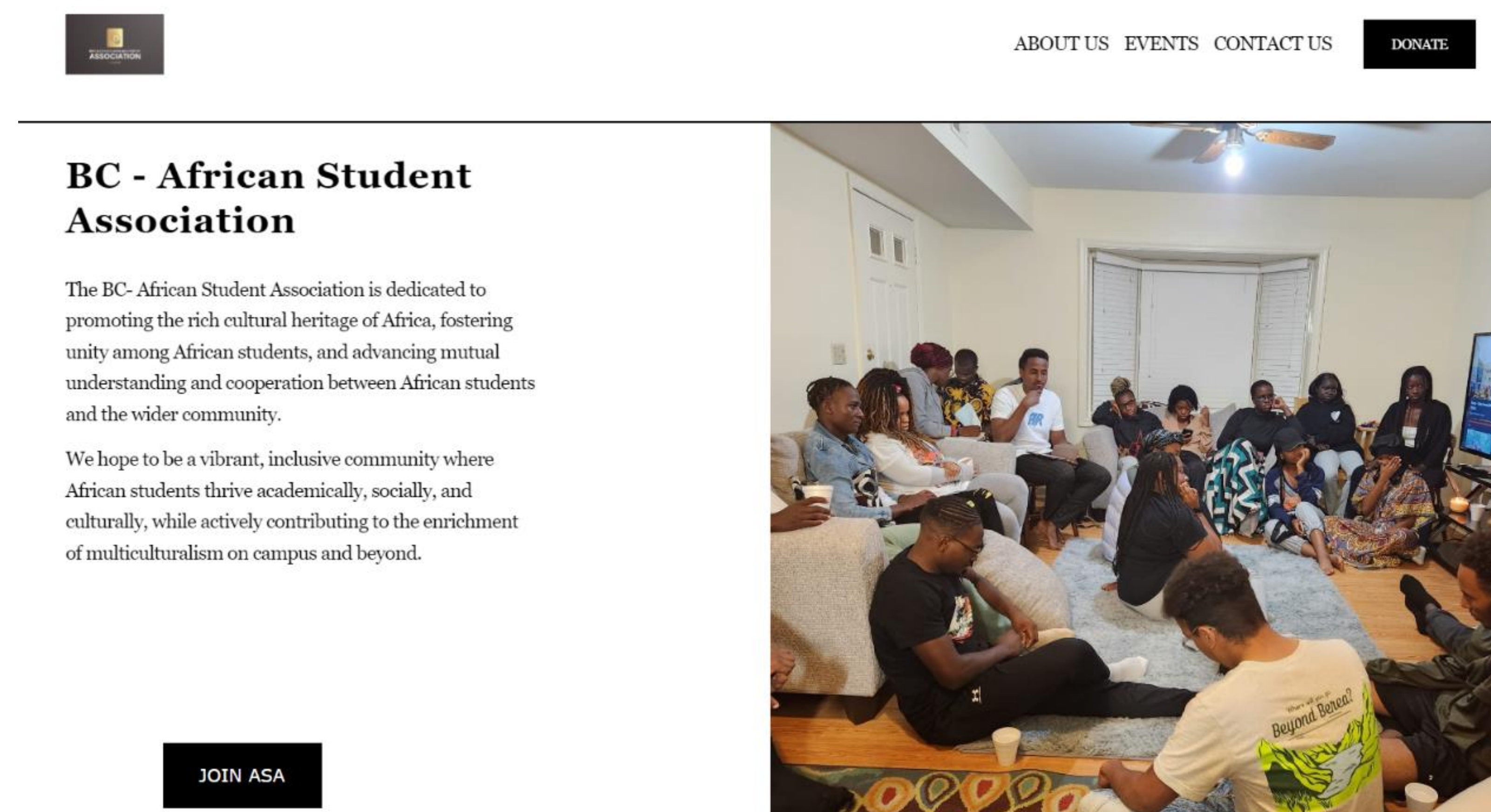- mongo DB – used to create dynamic alumni database
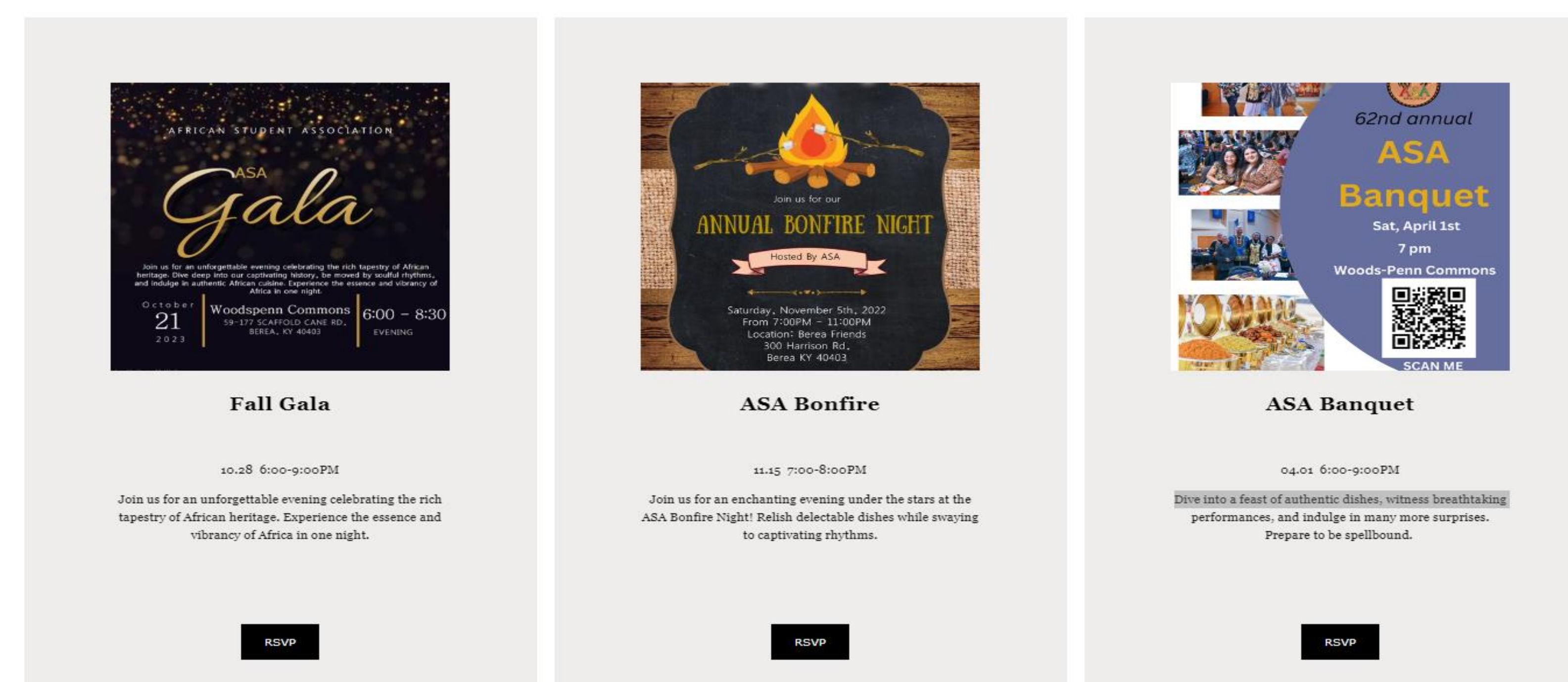- MySQL|Node.Js – used for the backend and server set up
- HTML|CSS|JS – main technology utilized to create, style and dynamically organize the website

## FINAL PRODUCT OVERVIEW



ABOUT US   EVENTS   CONTACT US   DONATE

### BC - African Student Association

The BC- African Student Association is dedicated to promoting the rich cultural heritage of Africa, fostering unity among African students, and advancing mutual understanding and cooperation between African students and the wider community.

We hope to be a vibrant, inclusive community where African students thrive academically, socially, and culturally, while actively contributing to the enrichment of multiculturalism on campus and beyond.

JOIN ASA

**Upcoming Events**

**Fall Gala**

10.28 6:00-9:00PM

Join us for an unforgettable evening celebrating the rich tapestry of African heritage. Experience the essence and vibrancy of Africa in one night.

RSVP

**ASA Bonfire**

11.15 7:00-8:00PM

Join us for an enchanting evening under the stars at the ASA Bonfire Night! Relish delectable dishes while swaying to captivating rhythms.

RSVP

**ASA Banquet**

04.01 6:00-9:00PM

Dive into a feast of authentic dishes, witness breathtaking performances, and indulge in many more surprises. Prepare to be spellbound.

RSVP

**Alumni Spotlight**

Josahn Oginga '22, a former ASA president and treasurer from Kenya, is currently a Schwarzman Scholar in Beijing, delving into policy, finance, and tech for sustainable development.

Josahn Oginga

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Anne Otieno '21, a former secretary of ASA, now champions innovation as a Product Solution Consultant at Google. With a blend of cultural advocacy and tech prowess, Anne continues to make strides in the tech world.

Anne Otieno

LINKEDIN

## FEATURE HIGHLIGHT

- **Upcoming Event :** Displays latest events with RSVP functionality and maintains an archive of past events sorted by year or semester.
- **Alumni Spotlight :** Features a weekly alumni highlight and includes a comprehensive database sortable by graduation year and current roles.
- **Donation Page:** Offers a convenient portal for users to financially support the club and its activities.
- **Newsletter Sign Up :** Allows members to subscribe to a monthly newsletter for updates and news about the club.

## FUTURE WORK

- **Tax-Exempt Donation Account**: Implement a tax-exempt donation feature with receipts for donors, enhancing transparency and incentivizing contributions.
- **Alumni User Accounts**: Develop a login system for alumni to update their career progress, automatically synchronizing these updates with the alumni database.

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