

Charles, Brad and Larry

Charles Allen, assistant director for external relations at the Tulane/Xavier Center for Bioenvironmental Research, was featured along with actor Brad Pitt on CNN's "Larry King Live." Allen is the president of the Holy Cross Neighborhood Association and is working with Pitt on green rebuilding projects in the Katrina devastated Lower Ninth Ward.

In the Dec. 5 segment, Allen and Pitt take King on a walking tour through the neighborhood. Said Pitt in the interview: "Charles has been here from the very beginning ... and is really one of the leaders in the future of New Orleans." Read a [transcript](#) of the segment or view [video footage](#) of the actor talking about his commitment to New Orleans.