2010 UCEA Convention Jackson Scholar Events

4.9 Oak Alley, 4th Floor
Friday, 7:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.
Meeting: Jackson Scholars Research Seminar (By invitation only)
Organizer: Cristobal Rodriguez, New Mexico State University
Student Participants: Daisy Alfaro, University of Washington, Seattle; Angela Allie, University of Pittsburgh; Karen Anderson, Auburn University; Moise Baptiste, Miami University; Lydia Bentley, Vanderbilt University; June Byng, University of Texas at San Antonio; Diana Cruz, University of Nevada-Las Vegas; Annette Franklin, University at Buffalo; Christine French, Duquesne University; Tyra Good, Duquesne University; Ain Grooms, University of Georgia; Keisha Huntley-Jenkins, Ohio State University; Amaliah (Molly) Killingsworth, Auburn University; Jeongwook Lee, Vanderbilt University; Tiffanie Lewis, Penn State University; Marcil Seals, Louisiana State University; Daniel Spikes, University of Texas at Austin; Cedric Stewart, Sam Houston State University; Adriana Villavicencio, New York University; Ida Walker, Florida State University; Irene Yoon, University of Washington Faculty Participants: Mark Gooden, University of Texas at Austin; Maria Luisa Gonzalez, University of Texas at El Paso; Gary Crow and Gerardo Lopez, University of Indiana-Bloomington; Floyd Beachum, Lehigh University; Mariela Rodriguez, University of Texas at San Antonio; Jim Scheurich, Texas A& M University; Thu Suong Nguyen, University of Indiana-Indianapolis; Colleen Larson, New York University; Andrea Rorrer, University of Utah; Will Place, University of Dayton

During this Research Seminar, second year Jackson Scholars will have an opportunity to present and discuss their dissertation proposals with a group of nationally selected scholars and their Jackson Scholar peers. Students will share their research in both small group formats as well as in a poster format. Students will be given helpful feedback on their ideas and resources and will broaden their intellectual networks.

6.2 Napoleon A2, 3rd Floor
Friday, 9:40-11:00 a.m. Special Session: Graduate Students of Color Mentoring Session
Session Organizers: Floyd Beachum, Mariela Rodriguez
Participants: Current Jackson Scholar Mentors

The importance of high-quality teaching in master’s and doctoral level coursework is a key factor in faculty development. Tenured and tenure-track faculty will share innovative teaching strategies and activities that they have used effectively in educational leadership courses. One objective of this session is to help prepare new and future faculty members regarding the aspects of preparing innovative lessons that integrate social justice initiatives within educational leadership courses.
10.1 Napoleon A1, 3rd Floor
Friday, 3:50-5:00 p.m. CLOSED SESSION: Julie Laible Memorial Session, Barbara L. Jackson New Mentor and Scholar Orientation
Session Organizer: Cristobal Rodriguez, New Mexico State University; Jim Scheurich, Texas A&M University; Edith Rusch, University of Nevada at Las Vegas

This session will serve as the introduction and orientation for new mentors and the 2010-2012 Barbara L. Jackson Scholars co-hort. Mentors and scholars will be presented with an overview of the program, the program policies and procedures, and will answer questions.

Sunday, 8:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.
Workshop: The Temple of the Unfamiliar: A Working Session of the Network of Scholars of Color in Educational Administration
Organizers: Gerardo Lopez, Indiana University; Judy Alston, Ashland University

For the past six years, the Scholars of Color SIG session has remained both strong and vibrant—as the number of faculty, Jackson Scholars and graduate students from diverse backgrounds are increasingly visible within UCEA. This session aimed to engage scholars of color in critical conversation and networking regarding issues of recruitment and retention, tenure and promotion, writing and publishing, and mentoring and support. During this session, senior Scholars of Color would pair up with a junior Scholars of Color, either a faculty member or graduate student, with the specific intent of collaborating on a prospective manuscript/publication or other scholarly product (e.g., grant proposal, conference presentation).

Barbara L. Jackson Scholars Network Workshop and Reception
Saturday, November 21, 6:15 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.
(By Invitation Only)

The Barbara L. Jackson Scholars Network program is in honor of Barbara L. Jackson, a professor and leading scholar, for her contributions to the discipline. The program will provide mentoring and a support network for future educational leadership professors, to help prepare them for entry into higher education.

New scholars will be introduced and a reception will follow. All current and former Jackson Scholars and mentors are encouraged to attend. Please be prompt.

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