

The Reinvention Center
University Vice Presidents'/Vice Provosts' Network
Wednesday, November 12, 2008

Hilton Washington
Caucus Room, Terrace Level

8:45-9:30 **Continental Breakfast** (Location TBD)

9:30-10:00 **Introductory Remarks**

- Wendy Katkin, Director, The Reinvention Center
- William Green, Senior Vice Provost and Dean of Undergraduate Education, University of Miami

10:00-12:15 **Ethical Issues in Undergraduate Research.**

A panel discussion will present aspects of the difficulties and dilemmas encountered when undergraduates conduct research and provide public service at home and abroad. The ethical issues that are being raised are exacerbated by increasing participation. Followed by Q&A.

Leader: J. Milton Adams, Professor of Biomedical Engineering and Electrical and Computer Engineering, and Vice Provost for Academic Programs, University of Virginia

Panelists: Robert Swap, Research Assistant Professor in the Department of Environmental Sciences, University of Virginia

Edith Lawrence, Professor, Curry School of Education, and Associate Director, Training & Supervision, Center for Clinical Psychology Service, University of Virginia

Nisha Botchwey, Assistant Professor, School of Architecture, University of Virginia

12:15-1:15 **Lunch and Conversation** (Caucus Room)

1:15-3:30 **Humanities Hot Spots**

A panel discussion will consider current definitional flashpoints for the humanities, the role of digital humanities, and role of the humanities in intercultural studies. Followed by Q&A.

Leader: Donna Hamilton, Professor of English and Associate Provost for Academic Affairs and Dean for Undergraduate Studies, University of Maryland

Panelists: Elizabeth Loizeaux, Professor of English, University of Maryland

Randall Bass, Executive Director of the Center for New Designs in Learning & Scholarship, Georgetown University

Pat Turner, Vice Provost for Undergraduate Studies and Professor of African American and African Studies, University of California, Davis

3:30-5:00

International Programs.

Whether it is about increasing participation in Study Abroad Programs or embedding global issues into the curriculum, the topic of internationalization is common to most. A panel discussion will consider a variety of issues related to international education. Followed by Q&A.

Leader: Patricia Beeson, Professor of Economics and Public Policy and Vice Provost for Graduate and Undergraduate Studies, University of Pittsburgh

Panelists: Daniel Hastings, Dean for Undergraduate Studies, Massachusetts Institute of Technology

Raymond Wright, Interim Dean of Engineering, University of Rhode Island

Nancy Condee, Professor of Slavic Languages and Literatures, University of Pittsburgh

5:00-5:30

Final Comments

Bobbi Owen, Professor of Dramatic Art and Senior Associate Dean for Undergraduate Education at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

5:30

Cash Bar

7:30

Dinner and Conversation

UVP colleagues will host dinner with 6-7 people (participants pay for themselves) in a few nice restaurants close to the hotel where the conversation can continue on the day's topics or others. Please let us know if you would be interested in participating on the topics mentioned above (Ethics in Undergraduate Research and Service Learning, Humanities Hot Spots, International Programs) or others (please suggest them as well as possible hosts).

Patty Beeson will organize the topics, Reinvention Center staff will make restaurant reservations, and hosts will be confirmed over lunch on November 12, 2008.

Meeting Location

Hilton Washington
Caucus Room, Terrace Level (one floor below main lobby)
1919 Connecticut Avenue, NW
Washington, DC 20009
202-483-3000

Check-in for the UVP meeting and the conference will begin on Wednesday, November 12 at 8:00am at the Hilton. The Reinvention Center staff will be on-site to greet you.

For a map and directions, please visit the Hilton web site:

http://www1.hilton.com/en_US/hi/hotel/DCAWHHH-Hilton-Washington-District-of-Columbia/index.do

Parking is available at the hotel.