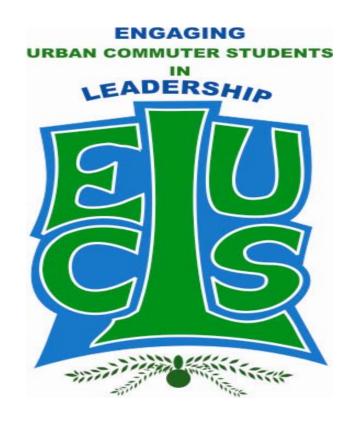


# DIVISION OF STUDENT AFFAIRS 2<sup>nd</sup> ANNUAL LEADERSHIP CONSORTIUM CONFERENCE



MARCH 28, 2012 8:30 AM – 3:30 PM

LEHMAN COLLEGE
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### 2<sup>ND</sup> ANNUAL LEADERSHIP CONSORTIUM CONFERENCE GOALS



In a recent article in the Journal of College Student Development, Marcia Roe Clark, Assistant Professor of Educational Leadership and Policy at The University at Buffalo, State University of New York suggests that the urban commuter student experience is best viewed through the lens of the challenges they face and strategies they employ to cope with those challenges.

As Student Affairs practitioners, our challenge is to help students work toward graduating with an academic degree while facilitating their development as socially responsible and ethical leaders.

#### Our main goals of the conference are:

- To highlight the challenges students encounter, and suggest practical ways for them to negotiate their college experience
- To inspire young men and women to perceive themselves as leaders and seek to accept leadership responsibilities as part of their contribution to society
- To engage a network of students to pursue leadership development and service on and off their college campuses

The Herbert H. Lehman Center for Student Leadership is pleased to have you share in our Leadership Consortium Conference, and would like to extend our gratitude to our Student Affairs colleagues at Lehman and CUNY and for their continued collaboration.

This Annual Conference is one of the programs offered at the Herbert H. Lehman Center for Student Leadership Development. All of our programs in leadership development are open to all Lehman students. If you would like to get involved email: <a href="mailto:suzette.ramsundar@lehman.cuny.edu">suzette.ramsundar@lehman.cuny.edu</a>

Cordially,

Suzette Ramsundar, Associate Director of Campus Life & Coordinator of Herbert H. Lehman Center Student Leadership Development Lehman College, CUNY

### WELCOME ADDRESS FROM JOSÉ MAGDALENO, VICE PRESIDENT, FOR STUDENT AFFAIRS, LEHMAN COLLEGE



Dear Students,

I am pleased to welcome you to the Second Annual Leadership Consortium Conference at Lehman College. The Conference theme for this year echoes a long-standing commitment of The Division of Student Affairs at Lehman which is to *Engage in Best Practices for Urban Commuter Students in Leadership*.

One of the major goals of this year's conference is to encourage students to discover and identify themselves as leaders on campus and inspire them to serve their global communities as responsible, ethical leaders. For many of our students, this is often a difficult and complicated journey. During this Conference students will have an opportunity to meet and speak with an accomplished group of workshop facilitators who will address some of the critical issues emerging young student leaders have to negotiate today.

In addition to providing information and resources directly to students to support personal growth and leadership development, the Conference will serve as a conduit to bring together faculty, staff and administrators from our leadership programs on campus and across the University to explore best practices and facilitate dialogue about our efforts to support student success and development.

Lehman College is delighted to host this Leadership Conference. I look forward to your enthusiastic participation in today's dialogue.

Welcome!

José Magdaleno Vice President Division of Student Affairs Lehman College, CUNY

#### KEYNOTE INTRODUCTION FROM MICHAEL E. SULLIVAN, DIRECTOR OF CAMPUS LIFE, LEHMAN COLLEGE



Dear Conference Participants,

Welcome to the Second Annual Lehman Leadership Consortium Conference, our theme this year is: Best Practices for Engaging Urban Commuter Students in Leadership.

In addition to the continued support from our colleagues in the Division of Student Affairs, including the Counseling Center, The Office of Community Engagement, Career Services Center and the Urban Male Leadership Program, I note the program support from John Jay College, Hostos Community College, and Bronx Community College, I especially want to thank the CUNY Malave Leadership Academy for their assistance in defraying the costs of the Conference.

At the conclusion of the day I hope you will have expanded your knowledge of the best practices in leadership development for urban commuter students and will be able to incorporate this knowledge in your individual leadership roles.

Cordially,

Michael E. Sullivan Director of Campus Life Lehman College, CUNY

## ENGAGING URBAN COMMUTER STUDENTS IN LEADERSHIP 2<sup>ND</sup> ANNUAL CONFERENCE

#### **KEYNOTE SPEAKER: DR JILLIAN KINZIE**



Dr. Kinzie has served as the Associate Director at the Indiana University Center for Postsecondary Research since 2002. She joined the Center to manage the Documenting Effective Educational Practice (DEEP) project, a research initiative to discover how institutions with higher than predicted graduation rates and student engagement scores achieve their notable levels of effectiveness. DEEP is an outgrowth of the institutional improvement and educational effectiveness emphasis of the National Survey of Student Engagement (NSSE). She enjoys working with institutions interested in using NSSE results, institutional data, and other information about student learning to inform campus planning, shape the development of learning communities, and assess effectiveness.

She has co-authored a monograph on theories of teaching and learning, and a Lumina Foundation Monograph Continuity and Change in College Choice: National Policy, Institutional Practices and Student Decision Making. She has also conducted research on women in undergraduate science and retention of underrepresented students. She is co-author of Student Success in College: Creating Conditions that Matter (Jossey-Bass, 2005) and One Size Does Not Fit All: Traditional and Innovative Models of Student Affairs Practice (Routledge, 2006).

#### **LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE AGENDA**

Theme: Best Practices in Engaging Urban Commuter Students in Leadership

TIME	EVENT	LOCATION
8:30AM — 9:30AM	Registration & Breakfast	Foyer, Faculty Dining Room, Music Building
9:35AM — 9:40AM	<b>Welcome Address</b> José Magdaleno ,Vice President for the Division of Student Affairs	Lovinger Theater
9:40AM-9:45AM	<b>Greetings</b> Dr. Ricardo R. Fernández, President of Lehman College	Lovinger Theater
9:45AM — 10:00AM	<b>Introduction of Keynote Speaker</b> Michael E. Sullivan, Director of Campus Life	Lovinger Theater
10:00AM — 11:00AM	<b>Keynote Speaker</b> Dr. Jillian Kenzie Associate Director, Center for Postsecondary Research , Indiana University	Lovinger Theater

MORNING ELECTIVE WORKSHOPS				
11:00AM — 12:00PM	Faculty and Staff Roundtable Dialogue with Dr. Jillian Kinzie Associate Director, Center for Postsecondary Research , Indiana University	313 Conference Room , Music Building		
11:00AM — 12:00PM	<b>Leadership and Service</b> Amanda Dubois Jason Libfeld Director of Office of Community Engagement and New Student Programs and Hostos Coordinator of Leadership Academy	Old Gym Building Room 108B		
11:00AM — 12:00PM	<b>Basics of Public Speaking</b> Katina Kalin Speech and Voice Coach	Faculty Dining Room		
11:00AM — 12:00PM	<b>Introduction to Mediation</b> Dr. Maria R. Volpe Ph.D Director of the Dispute Resolution Program , John Jay College	Old Gym Building Room 108A		

11:00AM — 12:00PM	<b>Leadership 101 / Ethical Leadership</b> Michael E. Sullivan	Speech Building Room 204
	Director of the Office of Campus Life	
12:00PM — 12:30PM	Lunch on the go Leadership Programs Resource Fair	Faculty Dining Room

#### **CONFERENCE SCHEDULE AFTERNOON SESSIONS**

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12:30PM — 1:30PM	<b>Leadership and Gender Roles</b> Dr. Norma I. Cofresí, Director of Counseling Center , Lehman College	Old Gym Building Room 108B
12:30PM — 1:30PM	<b>Leadership Networking &amp; Communications</b> Bascillia Toussaint and Erin Donnelly Career Services Center, Counselors, Lehman College	Speech Building Room 204
12:30PM — 1:30PM	Effective strategies for student leaders from student leaders Olu Onemola, President Student Government Association, Lehman College	Old Gym Building Room 108A
12:30PM — 1:30PM	<b>Basics of Public Speaking</b> Katina Kalin Speech and Voice Coach	Faculty Dining Room
1:30PM – 2:30PM	Panel Discussion Vice President José Magdaleno Associate Provost Dr. Robert Whittaker Moderator, Dr. Jillian Kinzie Student Vice President for Academic Affairs, Joanna Gomez CUNY Leadership Programs , Representative	Lovinger Theater  RAFFLE PRIZE —ANNOUNCED  WINNER MUST BE PRESENT
2:30PM - 3:30PM	Step Workshop (Team—Building Activity) Ode Hoppie	Lovinger Theater, Music Building
3:30PM	Conference Adjourns	Faculty Dining Room

The staff of the Herbert H. Lehman Center for Student Leadership Development of the Office of Campus Life would like to thank the following for their collaboration and support:

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LEHMAN COLLEGE STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION

THE CUNY MALAVE LEADERSHIP ACADEMY

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