



Community Best Practices Forum:

Working with Parents & Families to Support College Readiness & Success

May 13th, 2013

9-11am

CUNY's Offices at 205 East 42nd Street, Room 818

Agenda

<p>9:00 - 9:10</p>	<p>Welcome</p>
<p>9:10 - 9:40</p>	<p>The Impact of Parent Involvement on College Access & Success</p> <p><i>Speakers:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Eduardo Dueñas, Karla Tevez, & Rakim Jenkins</u> - Partners for Change Fellows, Colin L. Powell Center for Leadership and Service, City College of New York • <u>Norm Fruchter</u> - Senior Scholar, Annenberg Institute for School Reform <p><i>Intended Takeaway:</i> <i>Participants will gain an understanding of relevant research in the area of parent involvement and its impact on college access and success. Findings and resources from the City College Colin Powell College Access Fellows and from the Annenberg Institute for School Reform will be shared.</i></p> <p><i>Resources:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Partners for Change Fellows - PPT presentation • Resource List: Working with Parents & Families to Support College Readiness & Success
<p>9:40 - 10:20</p>	<p>Best Practices in Parent & Family Engagement <i>Panel Discussion</i></p> <p><i>Panelists:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Ocynthia Williams</u> - Parent Leader, NYC Coalition for Educational Justice • <u>Claire E. Sylvan</u> - Founding Executive Director, Internationals Network for Public Schools • <u>Kristie Mancell</u> - Program Supervisor, Center for Family Life, Sunset Park High School Partnership • <u>Sheila Applewhaite</u> - Parent, Sunset Park High School

	<p><i>Intended Takeaway:</i> <i>Participants will hear about successful and innovative efforts to involve parents in supporting college readiness and success for students in their community.</i></p>
<p>10:20 - 10:50</p>	<p>Small Group Discussions <i>Attendees participate in a small group discussion on the topic of their choice.</i></p> <p>Topics:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Supporting Parents Through the College Application and Transition Process 2. Engaging Parents Who Speak Languages Other Than English 3. Parent Organizing 4. Parent Engagement: Best Practices for Community-Based Organizations <p><i>Intended Takeaway:</i> <i>Small group discussions will surface the knowledge of all participants regarding the issues, best practices, and resources available to support parent engagement in the topic areas listed above.</i></p>
<p>10:50 - 11:00</p>	<p>Closing</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Report out • Announcements <p><u><i>Don't forget to complete a Participant Questionnaire!</i></u></p>