University of the District of Columbia
Division of Student Affairs
Office of Community Outreach and Involvement

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ANNUAL REPORT
2005-2006
Office of Community Outreach and Involvement

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Executive Summary

Dr. E. Gail Anderson Holness
Director

The University of the District of Columbia Office of Community Outreach and Involvement works to meet the needs of an urban campus community by providing rich and varied programs. Such programs include co-curricular activities that will promote character and moral development and civic engagement. In addition, the office seeks to promote spiritual development by connecting the University with faith-based organizations and campus ministerial support.

Our mission is to serve as the catalyst that fosters personal growth and social change that occurs from cooperative relationships between students, faculty, staff and the Washington metropolitan community. To link students, faculty, and staff with other faith communions, while maintaining the integrity of the University of the District of Columbia. We welcome diversity and believe in the inherent worth of all people.

The Office of Community Outreach and Involvement believes that the development of the intellectual, physical, social, and spiritual dimensions of all persons is necessary for healthy and fulfilling lives. Therefore it is our goal is to support diverse “communities of hope” by developing, and directing a comprehensive outreach program designed to engage students in community involvement, civic activities, faith-based issues and other related programs that will promote student life and services. To contribute to the overall growth and development of the students who participate in the Student Ambassadors program; to provide pastoral and/or spiritual counseling, upon request; to advance knowledge and heighten awareness of current world and faith based issues through our monthly Lunch and Dialogue and Speaker Series programs; to establish an Advisory Committee and Community Service Award.

COI is engaged in the following activities:

- community outreach and involvement.
- Conducts Workshops/Speaker’s Series to promote character and moral development;
- Advisor for Student Faith Based Organizations with student clubs and organizations;
- Provides grief and pastoral counseling for students, faculty and staff;
- Serves as liaison to promote programs and services for various faith-based organizations; and,
- Provides crisis intervention strategies and conflict resolution for students, faculty and staff.
III. ACTIVITIES

A. Co-Curricular Programs

Coordinated and arranged Lunch & Dialogue and Speaker’s Series sponsored by Office of Community Outreach. They were held monthly on Tuesday’s 12:30 – 1:30 p.m. and Friday’s 12:00 – 1:00 p.m. Building 44 A-03. The following was apart of the process:

a) complete survey/evaluations
b) program
c) attended meetings with other staff
d) create flyers and post around campus
e) submit information to Mike Andrew for UDC Spark
f) send announcement to Dr. Ruben-Cooke for campus wide voice mail
g) posted notices on the University website

I. Speaker’s Series

Place: Building 44 A-03
Day: Thursday’s (monthly)
Time: 12:00 – 1:00 pm

Eight (8) sessions

1- September 23, 2005
2- October 21, 2005.
3- November 18, 2005
4- December 9, 2005
5- January 19, 2006
6- February 16, 2006
7- March 30, 2006
8- April 20, 2006

Hosted first session of the Speaker’s Series for 2005-2006; speaker former Councilmember Ward 7 Kevin P. Chavous Topic: “Community Involvement: Ways to Successful Living” September 23, 2005. It was be held in Building 44 A-O3 1:00 p.m. - 2:00 pm.

Completed survey/evaluations
Created flyers and posted them around campus

II. Lunch and Dialogue Sessions

Place: Building 44 A-03
Day: Tuesday’s (monthly)
Time: 12:30 – 1:30 pm

Eight (8) Sessions

(copy attached)
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1- September 13, 2005
2- October 25, 2005
3- November 8, 2005
4- December 13, 2005
5- January 24, 2006
6- February 14, 2006
7- March 28, 2006
8- April 11, 2006

➢ June 20, 2005 hosted 1st Lunch and Dialogue Series Topic: “Bereavement - The Importance of Grieving” approximately 12 people attended
   Completed survey/evaluations (copy attached)
   Created flyers and posted them around campus (copy attached)

➢ Hosted Lunch and Dialogue Session – Topic: “Katrina – A natural disaster: How has it impacted your spirituality” September 13, 2005. It was held in Building 44 A-O3 12 noon – 1:00 pm. Invited guest that attended from faith community was Buddhist, Jewish, Hare Kmsa, Muslim and Christian.
   Completed survey/evaluations (copy attached)
   Created flyers and posted them around campus (copy attached)

Speakers

1- Kevin P. Chavous, Esq.
2- Honorable Franklin Smith
3- Eric Shuler
4- Reverend Anthony Motely
5- Janice B. Carmichael
6- The Honorable Kwame Brown
7- Junie Collins-Peavy
8- Sarah Collins-Rudolph
9- Mr. Ernie Green
10- Mrs. Maudine Rice Cooper

III. Constitution Day

Place: Building 38 – Room 201
Day/Date: Monday, September 19, 2005
Time: 12:15 P.M. To 2:00 P.M.

➢ Co-Hosted Constitution Day with Office of Vice President for Academic Affairs, David A. Clarke School of Law; Topic: “Is Constitutional Day Unconstitutional” September 19’ 2005. It was held in Building 39 Room 201 12:15 pm – 1:45 pm.
   Completed survey/evaluations (copy attached)
   Created flyers and posted them around campus (copy attached)
B. Community Outreach and Involvement

OUTREACH AND INVOLVEMENT

- Attended Division of Student Affairs Retreat
- Attended Student Affairs meeting.
- Continue to arrange clergy gathering at the residence of Dr. & Mrs. Pollard’s to be held twice monthly. Consist of making contact and developing relationships on behalf of the University.
- Met with Government of the District of Columbia Department of Corrections, S. Elwood York, Jr. Esq., Interim Director re: linking UDC and the Department of Corrections and Office of Religious Affairs
- Met weekly with the Wednesday Clergy Fellowship. An ecumenical/bi-racial group of clergy from Washington DC and vicinity. Meetings are held 7:30 am – 11:00 am every Wednesday at different churches in DC.
- Attended monthly meeting with AME Clergy Alliance of Washington, DC and Vicinity.
- Continued to collaborated with Dr. Gloria Wyche-Moore regarding Faith Based after school programs that have been placed at Clara Muhammad School, Ward 8 and Campbell AME, Ward 7. Visited both sites
- Attended Washington, DC NAACP meeting
- Met with members of the clergy community in the DC metropolitan area in an effort to forge good relations with the faith-based community.
- Attended UDC Board of Trustees Student Affairs Committee meeting.
- Continued to collaborated with Dr. Gloria Wyche-Moore regarding Faith Based after school programs that have been placed at Clara Muhammad School, Ward 8 and Campbell AME, Ward 7. Visited both sites
- Met with Mrs. Maudine Cooper, President & CEO Greater Washington Urban League, re: student involvement in community activities and the Urban League
- Met with Rev. Dr. Morris Shearin, Pastor Israel Baptist Church, re: student involvement in community activities and the NAACP.
- Met with Dr. Ernesto Pendleton re: Asked to give Invocation at UDC Fall Convocation and to submit name of clergy to do the Benediction.
Met with Janice Carmichael & Eric Shuler re: speaking for COI Speaker’s Series.

Attended D.C. Interfaith Relations Commission meeting

Attended meeting at the office of the Greater Washington Urban League Thursday, September 8, 2005 2:30 p.m. – 4:30 pm Maudeen Cooper, President called community meeting re: Katrina Relief

Visited the D.C. Armory September 6-8, 2005 and assisted DC government agencies with the Intake process. Also provided pastoral counseling to several families.

Traveled with delegation to Baton Rouge, La with supplies for victims of Hurricane Katrina. Independence Airline donated the aircraft. The flight left at 6:20 am and returned to Dulles at 4:45 p.m. Friday, September 9, 2005.

Attended clergy gathering at the residence of Dr.& Mrs. Pollard’s Wednesday, September 14, 2005 (7:30 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.). Seven members of the clergy attended. There was an overflow.

Met with Dr. Janice Borlandoe new Associate Vice President for Student Affairs September 2005.

Met with University Convocation committee. Scheduled to offer Invocation at Convocation Tuesday September 27, 2005. Provided name of clergy to offer Benediction.

Met with former Councilmember Kevin Chavous re: speaking @ the University.

Attended clergy gathering at the residence of Dr. & Mrs. Pollard’s Wednesday, September 14, 2005 (7:30 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.). Seven members of the clergy attended. We has an overflow.

Scheduled and attended Clergy Breakfast at the residence of the University President Thursday, September 22, 2005 7:30 am until.

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i) program
j) attended meetings with other staff
k) create flyers and post around campus
l) submit information to Mike Andrew for UDC Spark
m) send announcement to Dr. Ruben-Cooke for campus wide voice mail

➢ Completed 2004-2005 Annual Report

**Community Organizations**
Greater Washington Urban League
National Association for the Advancement of Colored People
N Street Village
DC Operation Green Street
Minnesota Avenue Senior Center
American Stroke Association
American Heart Association
Southern Christian Leadership Association
C. Religious Affairs/Community Outreach

1) Pastoral Counseling

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* Continue to offer spiritual counseling to students, Faculty, staff and Administration on confidential basis.

2) Meetings

- Co-hosted “Youth Gang/Violence Summit” June 18, 2005 with the Council of Churches of Greater Washington @ UDC Building 44 A-01 approximately **75 people attended**.

- Attended clergy gathering at the residence of Dr. & Mrs. Pollard’s Wednesday, September 14, 2005 (7:30 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.). Seven members of the clergy attended. We has an overflow.

- Scheduled and attended Clergy Breakfast at the residence of the University President Thursday, September 22, 2005 7:30 am until.

- Spoke at the Wednesday Clergy Fellowship re: Volunteering @ the University

- Attended monthly meeting with AME Clergy Alliance of Washington, DC and Vicinity.

- Met weekly with the Wednesday Clergy Fellowship. An ecumenical/bi-racial group of clergy from Washington DC and vicinity. Meetings are held 7:30 am – 11:00 am every Wednesday at different churches in DC.

- Scheduled and attended meeting with Dr. Pollard and Faith-based organizations.

- Met with members of the clergy community in the DC metropolitan area in an effort to forge good relations with the faith-based community.

- Met with Steph Maier of the Coalition for Christian Outreach. The objective of the meeting was to assist UDC in developing a campus ministry. **As a result of a two year relationship, Coalition for Christian Outreach will send a volunteer worker to the Office of Community Outreach and Involvement.**

- Met with Mrs. Merriette Pollard re: arrange clergy gathering at the residence of Dr. & Mrs. Pollard’s to be held twice monthly. Consist of making contact and developing relationships on behalf of the University.

- Met with Kevin Powell 15th Street Presbyterian Church re: Volunteer work with COI.
Met with Susan S. McKenzie, Director, DC Governmental Affairs re: collaboration of programs for 2005-2006.

Attend D.C. Interfaith Relations Commission meetings.

Attend Council of Churches of Greater Washington meetings.

**Faith–based Organizations**

- Wednesday Clergy Fellowship
- Baptist Ministers Conference
- African Methodist Episcopal Clergy Alliance
- Interfaith Relations Council
- National Council of Churches of Christ
- Council of Churches of Greater Washington
- U S Campus Ministries
- Georgetown University Campus Ministries
- Women in Ministry Alliance
- DC Chaplains
- Coalition for Christian Outreach

**3) Clergy gatherings with University President**

Collaborated with Mrs. Merriette Pollard to arrange the clergy gatherings that was held at the residence of Dr. & Mrs. Pollard’s. The process consisted of making contact and developing relationships with the faith-based community on behalf of the University. Five clergy members from the community were invited, joined by the president and his spouse and Dr. Holness. The president has been engaged over 95 clergy members as a result of the gatherings.

Examples of the gatherings as follows:

- Arranged and attended **clergy breakfast** at the residence of Dr. & Mrs. Pollard’s Wednesday, September 14, 2005 (7:30 a.m. until.). Seven members of the clergy attended. There was an overflow.

- Arranged and attended **clergy breakfast** at the residence of the University President Thursday, September 22, 2005 (7:30 am until). Five members of the clergy attended.
D. **Student Ambassador’s Program**

The Student Ambassador’s program was added to the Office of Community Outreach and Involvement fall semester 2005. The **target was 15** Ambassadors. The goal was exceeded by 100%, there were **over 30 Student Ambassadors**.

Students were recruited for the Student Ambassador’s by placing signs across campus, through the internet by placing the announcement on UDC’s Blackboard and at the Speakers Series and Lunch and Dialogue Sessions.

The Student Ambassadors participated in an orientation process with the Director. The students completed a Student Ambassador application and once accepted in the program signed a contract to participate in the program based on the requirements contained in the contract.

The Student Ambassador’s participated in the following activities

A) Lunch and Dialogue sessions  
B) Speaker’s Series  
C) University Convocations (Fall and Spring semesters)  
D) Bill Cosby Shout-Out  
E) Office of External Affairs host International Ambassador’s  
F) Constitution Day  
G) September 11 Program - Dennard Plaza  
H) UDC hosted HBCU meeting  
I) University President’s Christmas Celebration  
J) University Commencement
IV. DATA

A. Number of student contact

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Combined Total 3,218

* Data is filed in the Office of Community Outreach and Involvement and is available for review
V. PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

A. University of the District of Columbia Committee meetings

- **University Convocation** committee served as the faith based representative. Offered the Invocation and secured minister for the Benediction.
- **University Commencement** committee served as the faith based representative. Offered the Invocation and secured minister for the Benediction.
- **University Gala Committee.**
- Attended meeting of the subcommittee - UDC Board of Trustees Student Affairs
- Attended UDC Board of Trustee meeting(s)

B. Conferences/Workshops

- June 18, 2005 Co-hosted “Youth Gang/Violence Summit” with the Council of Churches of Greater Washington Building 44 A-01 approximately 75 people attended. 22 surveys were returned
- September 11, 2005 Served as speaker for the University of the District of Columbia’s remembrance at the Dennard Plaza on main campus.
- December 13, 2005 Public Private Partnership Conference Washington DC Convention Center (no cost to the University)
- February 3, 2006 National Council of Churches Interfaith Relations Commission Los Angeles, CA (no cost to the University)
- March 9-11, 2006 HBCU Retention Conference - facilitated a workshop Ocean City, Maryland (no cost to Student Affairs)

C. Education and Training

- October 2005 Blackboard Training University of the District of Columbia
- April 2006 E-mail Training University of the District of Columbia
VI. **Major Accomplishments**

- Revised brochure for newly created Office of Community Outreach and Involvement
- Revised Policy and Procedure Manual
- Office relocated from Building 52 to Building 38 A-03…the new location has made it more accessible for students to interact with COI.
- Developed church visitation list for Dr. Pollard for the 2005-2006 school year. This will enable Dr. Pollard to forge good relations with the faith-based community and recruit students for the University. The list was used University wide.
- As a result of a two year relationship, **Coalition for Christian Outreach will send a volunteer worker to the Office of Community Outreach and Involvement for 2006-2007.**
- The Student Ambassador’s program was placed in our office 2005-2006. The target was 15 Ambassadors. The goal was exceeded by 100%, there were over 30 Student Ambassadors engaged in the program.
- The clergy gatherings that were to be held at the President’s residence for the 2005-2006 school year increased the University of the District of Columbia’s relationship with the faith-based community. The president has been engaged over 95 clergy members in the gatherings.
- Invited by the National Council of Churches to speak on Capitol Hill re: faith based issues and higher education before Senator(s) Tom Daschle, Barbara Mikulski, Hillary Clinton and others.
- May 2006 offered the Invocation at the University graduation.
- June 20, 2005 hosted *1st Lunch and Dialogue Series*
- September 14, 2005 hosted *1st Speaker’s Series*
- Completed 2004-2005 Annual Report
VII. Major Challenges/Steps to Address

- COI has had **No budget** since it was created in 2004.

- Director only staff of COI - **No support staff**.

- No adequate office and space for counseling
  A) based on conversations and counseling with students, a Student Center would help relieve some of the stress they face from not having a place to retreat while on campus.
VIII. Goals for FY06-07

- Continue to plan and host monthly Speaker’s Series 2006-2007 (Secure Speakers)
  The purpose is to assist in the moral and character development of students
  ii. Acquire Space for programs
  iii. Secure Speakers

- Continue to plan and host monthly Lunch and Dialogue Session 2006-2007
  The purpose is to discuss pertinent and relevant issues with students, faculty and staff
  A) Acquire Space for programs
  B) Secure Speakers

- Continue to host relevant Workshops that are geared toward moral and character development of the students.

- Host and plan the National Walk for the Cure on behalf of the University of the District of Columbia November 2006

- Continue to arrange clergy gathering at the President’s residence in an effort to connect the University with the faith-based community

- Create an atmosphere that is conducive for pastoral counseling for students who request the services

- Continue to offer spiritual counseling to students, and staff on confidential basis.

- Continue to attend community meetings such as NAACP, Clergy Fellowships etc.

- Obtain office support staff

- Establish and Advisory Committee

- Create a community Service Award

- Increase the number of Student Ambassadors (10%)
IX. Assessment Report

At every activity noted herein that was both sponsored or co-hosted by the Office of Community Outreach and Involvement, sign-in sheets were used and surveys were disseminated. The statistics were compiled as noted herein in X titled Appendices. The following are a few examples:

- June 18, 2005 co-hosted “Youth Gang/Violence Summit” with the Council of Churches of Greater Washington Building 44 A-01 approximately 75 people attended.  
  1) 22 surveys were returned

- June 20, 2005 hosted 1st Lunch and Dialogue Series Topic: “Bereavement - The Importance of Grieving” approximately 12 people attended.  
  1) 12 surveys were returned
X. Appendices

University of the District of Columbia
Division of Student Affairs
Office of Community Outreach and Involvement
Speaker’s Series 2005-2006
Survey Results

1. I am a:  
   - male 122
   - female 163
   - Total 285

2. I am a:  
   - A) College Faculty/Staff 21
   - B) College Student 264

3. I am a:  
   - Freshman 59
   - Sophomore 37
   - Junior 24
   - Senior 12
   - Graduate Student 10
   - Law Student 7
   - Other 14

4. Are you a student athlete?  
   - Yes 9
   - No 106
   If yes, what sport?  Tennis, Volley Ball, Basketball, Wrestling

5. Are you a member of a campus-based organization, e.g. sorority, fraternity, student leader, SGA, etc.?  
   - Yes 32
   - No 15
   If yes, name the organization  AKA Sorority, Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Christian Fellowship, Student Ambassador

6. What is your religious affiliation, if any?  
   - None 0
   - Christian Methodist Episcopal (CME) 2
   - Church of God in Christ (COGIC) 10
   - African Methodist Episcopal (AME) 10
   - Atheist 0
   - Baptist 36
   - Non-Denominational 9
   - Seventh Day Adventist 1
   - Pilipino Christian 1
   - African Methodist Episcopal Zion (AMEZ) 1
   - United Methodist 11
   - Muslim 4
   - Catholic 28
   - Buddhist 10
   - Church of God 1
   - Congregationalist 12
   - Pentecostal 4
   - Presbyterian 0
   - Methodist 30
   - Jehovah Witness 3
   - Episcopalian 2
   - Hindu 3
   - Jewish 4
   - Lutheran 5
   - Mormon 0
   - Other 14
   Please submit name: Christian

7. Are you interested in pastoral counseling at UDC?  
   - Yes 218
   - No 40

8. Would you participate in faith-based activities on campus, e.g., weekly Chapel Services, bible study, group sessions, workshops and seminars?  
   - Yes 210
   - No 38

9. Do you think there is a need for moral and character development for University students?  
   - Yes 210
   - No 31

10. How would you rate this session?  
    - Poor 12
    - Fair 89
    - Very Good 89
    - Excellent 121

11. Would you participate in future activities sponsored by the Office of Community Outreach and Involvement?  
    - Yes 210
    - No 31

Dr. E. Gail Anderson Holness, Director
University of the District of Columbia  
Division of Student Affairs  
Office of Community Outreach and Involvement  
Lunch & Dialogue 2005-2006  
Survey Results

1. I am a: male 130 female 185 Total 315

2. I am a:  
A) College Faculty/Staff 41  
B) College Student 274

3. I am a:  
Freshman 57 Sophomore 23 Junior 24 Senior 19  
Graduate Student 12 Law Student 11 Other 33

4. Are you a student athlete? Yes 9 No 106  
If yes, what sport? Tennis, Volley Ball, Basketball, Wrestling

5. Are you a member of a campus-based organization, e.g. sorority, fraternity, student leader, SGA, etc.?  
Yes 51 No 173  
If yes, name the organization  
AKA Sorority, Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Christian Fellowship, Student Ambassador

6. What is your religious affiliation, if any?  
None 8 Christian Methodist Episcopal (CME) 2  
Church of God in Christ (COGIC) 1 African Methodist Episcopal (AME) 11  
Atheist 0 Baptist 36 Non-Denominational 41 Seventh Day Adventist 1  
Pilipino Christian 0 African Methodist Episcopal Zion (AMEZ) 1  
United Methodist 1 Muslim 10  
Catholic 15 Buddhist 12  
Church of God 1 Congregationalist 41  
Pentecostal 19 Presbyterian 1  
Methodist 14 Jehovah Witness 4  
Episcopalian 0  
Hindu 2  
Jewish 1  
Lutheran 7  
Mormon 0  
Other 30 Please submit name: Christian

7. Are you interested in pastoral counseling at UDC?  
Yes 115 No 58

8. Would you participate in faith-based activities on campus, e.g., weekly Chapel Services, bible study, group sessions, workshops and seminars?  
Yes 185 No 42

9. Do you think there is a need for moral and character development for University students?  
Yes 185 No 42

10. How would you rate this session? Poor ____ Fair 24 Very Good 75 Excellent 215

11. Would you participate in future activities sponsored by the Office of Community Outreach and Involvement?  
Yes 180 No 17
University of the District of Columbia

Constitution Day

Monday, September 19, 2005
12:15 P.M. To 2:00 P.M.
Building 38 – Room 201

TOPIC

“Is Constitution Day Unconstitutional?”

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Come hear a panel of Constitutional Law experts on the workings of our Constitution as it applies to our daily lives

Sponsored by,

The Division of Student Affairs - Office of Community Outreach and Involvement; The Office of the Vice President of Academic Affairs; David A. Clarke School of Law; Department of Urban Affairs, Social Science & Social Work; The Community-based learning Initiative, and the Student Government Association.

For Further Information, contact:
Dr. E. Gail Anderson Holness (202) 274-7114 or Sylvia Ramirez Benatti (202) 274-5794

Reception immediately following

Dr. E. Gail Anderson Holness, Director
University of the District of Columbia
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Lunch & Dialogue

Tuesday, September 13, 2005
12:30 P.M. To 1:30 P.M.
Building 44 – Room A-03

Topic:
Katrina: A Natural Disaster
How has it impacted your spirituality?

Invited guest from the faith community include:
Muslim, Buddhist, Hindu and Christian

Everyone is invited!

For Further Information, contact:
Dr. E. Gail Anderson Holness (202) 274-7114

Bring a brown bag
Lunch & Dialogue

Tuesday, October 25, 2005
12:30 P.M. To 1:30 P.M.
Building 44 – Room A-03

Topic:

The Millions More Movement: What impact, if any, will it have on the global community?

Everyone is invited!

For Further Information, contact:
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Building 38 Suite A-03

Brown bag lunch provided by the 15th Street Presbyterian Church
University of the District of Columbia  
Division of Student Affairs  
Office of Community Outreach & Involvement

Lunch & Dialogue

Tuesday, November 8, 2005  
12:30 P.M. To 1:30 P.M.  
Building 44 – Room A-03

Topic:  
**Rosa Parks: Was her behavior an act of moral consciousness or an act of defiance against a system of American Apartheid?**

*Let’s Talk*

**Everyone is invited!**

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Dr. E. Gail Anderson Holness, Director
University of the District of Columbia
Division of Student Affairs

Office of Community Outreach & Involvement

Lunch & Dialogue

Tuesday, January 24, 2006
12:30 P.M. To 1:30 P.M.
Building 44 – Room A-03

Topic:
Lessons of the Civil Right Movement

Speaker:
The Honorable Frank Smith
Founding Director Freedom Foundation and Museum

Everyone is invited!

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University of the District of Columbia
Division of Student Affairs

Office of Community Outreach & Involvement
&
The Undergraduate Student Government Association

Presents:

Lunch & Dialogue

Tuesday, February 14, 2006
12:30 P.M. To 1:30 P.M.
Building 44 – Room A-03

Topic:
Do Greek organizations serve a purpose in the community or are they just university gangs?

Everyone is invited!

Reception immediately following

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or
Pride Week Committee Chairperson
Ahtahksa Stevens (202) 274-5190
Building 38 Suite A-22
Office of Community Outreach & Involvement

Lunch & Dialogue

Tuesday, March 28, 2006
12:30 P.M. To 1:30 P.M.
Building 44 – Room A-03

Topic:
The Celebration of Women in the Movement
Women’s History Month

Everyone is invited!

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Speaker’s Series

Friday, September 23, 2005
1:00 P.M. To 2:00 P.M.
Building 44 – Room A-03

“Community Involvement: Ways to Successful Living”

Guest Speaker

Kevin P. Chavous, Esq.
former DC Councilmember,
Author and partner in DC Law Firm

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Speaker’s Series  
Friday, October 21, 2005  
12:00 P.M. To 1:00 P.M.  
Building 44 – Room A-03  

TOPIC:  
“Employment and Workforce Development”  

Guest Speakers  

Eric Shuler  
Employment Coordinator  

And  

Janice B. Carmichael  
Senior Project Director Workforce Productivity Program  
Community Outreach & Extension Services  

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TOPIC:
“Employment and Workforce Development from a theological perspective”

Guest Speaker

Rev. Anthony Motely
President, DC Jobs Coalitions; President Greater Washington Council of Churches

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Speaker’s Series

Thursday, January 19, 2006
12:00 P.M. To 1:00 P.M.
Building 44 – Room A-03

TOPIC:
“The power of multi-tasking...Education, Politics, Youth and Community Involvement”

Guest Speaker

The Honorable Kwame Brown
District of Columbia At-Large City Council Member

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Speaker’s Series  
Thursday, February 16, 2006  
12:00 P.M. To 1:00 P.M.  
Building 44 – Room A-03  

TOPIC:  
“The bombing @ 16th Street Baptist Church on Sunday, September 15, 1963  
Birmingham, Alabama”  

Guest Speaker’s  
Junie Collins-Peavy  
and  
Sarah Collins-Rudolph  
Two survivors of the 16th Street Baptist Church bombing  

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Speaker’s Series

Thursday, March 30, 2006
12:00 P.M. To 1:00 P.M.
Building 44 – Room A-03

TOPIC:
“What impact has desegregation had on
Education in America?”

Guest Speaker

Mr. Ernie Green
One of the Original Little Rock Nine

In 1958, he became the first black student to graduate from Central High School. He graduated from Michigan State
University and served as Assistant Secretary of Housing and Urban Affairs under President Jimmy Carter. He
currently is a managing partner and vice president of Lehman Brothers in Washington, D.C.

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Speaker’s Series
Thursday, April 20, 2006
12:00 P.M. To 1:00 P.M.
Building 44 – Room A-03

TOPIC:
“The Relevance of Community Organizations in the 21st Century”

Guest Speaker

Mrs. Maudine Rice Cooper
President & CEO
Greater Washington Urban League

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