2008 CFA Equity Conference

Building Power Through Diversity And Equity

Sign Up Now!
Contact your CFA Chapter President or Affirmative Action Representative to sign up to attend

Who: Faculty interested in promoting diversity in the CSU
What: Workshops, meetings and speakers on building power
When: March 14-15, 2008
Where: Los Angeles

Sponsored by the California Faculty Association’s Council for Affirmative Action

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Schedule of Events

Friday March 14, 2008
10:30-5 pm Registration
11 am-5 pm CFA Caucus Meetings
5-6 pm CFA Council for Affirmative Action Meeting
6-7 pm Reception (live music)
7-9 pm Dinner/Guest Speaker
9-Midnight After hours Dance Party with DJ

Saturday March 15, 2008
7:30 am Registration opens
9:15-10:30 am Workshops Session 1
10:45-Noon Workshops Session 2
Noon-2 pm Lunch: Dean Florez
2:15-3:30 pm Workshops Session 3
3:45-4:30 pm “Future of the CFA,” Lillian Taiz, CFA President

Workshop Topics

CFA African American Caucus: “Diversity & Search Committees in the CSU”

CFA Asian/Pacific Islander Caucus: “Breaking the Shadow of the Model Minority Myth: API Faculty and the Union.”

CFA Teacher Education Caucus: “Hyper- Accountability and Anti-Education: Teacher Educators’ and Teachers’ Responses to “Big Brother” in the 21st Century”

CFA LGBT Caucus: “How Heterosexism and Homophobia Affect Faculty, Staff, and Students in the CSU?”

CFA Women’s Caucus: “Family Friendly Policies”

CFA Latino/a Caucus: “Managing the politics of domestication and developing (keeping) your own academic persona in academe”

CFA Faculty with Disabilities Caucus Workshop

Theatre Workshop: “Meet and Greet: Power through Body Awareness”

Skills Workshop: “Effective, Essential (and Simple) Leadership and Advocacy”

Communications Workshop: “What’s My Communication Style?”

Workshop: “Class Matters: Working class invisibility and the state of students, faculty and staff in the CSU”

Workshop: “Global Trends: Bologna, GATS and others” Ann Shadwick, Cecil Canton and Theresa Montano

CFA Research Workshop: “Diversity Research in the CSU” Aimee Shreck, CFA Research Director

Faculty Rights Workshop: “CFA’s new contract: Weapons to use in the fight for equality on campus”

Featured Speakers

Al-Tony Gilmore

Al-Tony Gilmore is a senior staff member for the National Education Association. He previously worked as a history professor at Howard University, before becoming the Director of the African American Studies Program at the University of Maryland at College Park. He helped develop NEA’s Diversity Training Program and worked to implement the organizations Women’s Leadership Training program.

Senator Dean Florez

Has served in the state Senate since 2002. He has served as chairman of numerous committees with jurisdiction over agriculture; water, parks and wildlife; banking, commerce and international trade; and government oversight. He currently chairs the Senate Committee on Governmental Organization as well as the Select Committee on Gender Discrimination, which held hearings this summer into allegations of discrimination at CSU Fresno.