

Campaign for High School Equity

Preparing every student for graduation, college, work, and life

Culturally Based Teaching: A Model for Student Success

Wednesday, June 25, 2008

9:30 – 11:00 a.m.

430 Dirksen Building

U.S. Senate

Washington, DC

AGENDA

- 9:00 a.m.** **Light Refreshments**
- 9:30 a.m.** **Welcome and Opening Remarks**
Michael Wotorson
Director, Campaign for High School Equity
- 9:35 a.m.** **Additional Remarks**
Arturo Vargas
Executive Director, National Association of Latino Elected and Appointed Officials
- 9:40 a.m.** **Impact of Culturally Based Teaching on Student Academic and Social Development**
Willard Sakiestewa Gilbert, EdD
President, National Indian Education Association
- 9:50 a.m.** **How Culturally Based Teaching is Implemented in Classrooms**
Sheryl Denbo, PhD
Executive Director, Mid-Atlantic Equity Center
- 10:00 a.m.** **Preparing Culturally Competent Teachers**
Rushern Baker III
Executive Director, Community Teachers Institute
- 10:10 a.m.** **A Research-based and programmatic Application to Culturally Based Instruction**
Luis A. Vázquez, PhD
Associate Dean of the Graduate School, New Mexico State University
- 10:20 a.m.** **Questions and Answers**
- Closing Remarks**
Michael Wotorson