Recruiting & Retaining Faculty of Color

April 25, 2007 from 2:00 - 3:30pm EST

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Welcome
Andrea Corage Baden, CCPH

Introduction
Elmer Freeman, EII Consultant

Retention: An Eye on Mentoring*
Keith Elder, University of South Carolina

Recruitment*
Eduardo Ochoa, University of Arkansas
Ngina Lythcott, Boston University

Discussion
Moderated by Elmer Freeman, EII Consultant

Closing Remarks
Andrea Corage Baden, CCPH

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The Engaged Institutions Initiative (EII) supports sustained efforts by schools and graduate programs of public health to eliminate racial and ethnic health disparities in partnership with communities. It is coordinated by Community-Campus Partnerships for Health (CCPH) with core funding from the WK Kellogg Foundation. For more information, visit www.ccph.info
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~ Moderator and Speaker Biographies ~

Moderators:

**Andrea Corage Baden**, MPH is Consultant for Community-Campus Partnerships for Health, providing resource support on the Kellogg Engaged Institutions Initiative. She is currently pursuing a doctorate in sociology at the University of California San Francisco, focusing on environmental health, justices and disparities.

**Elmer R. Freeman** MSW, PhD(c) is Executive Director of the Center for Community Health Education Research and Service (CCHERS), a partnership to promote reform in health professions education between Boston University School of Medicine, Northeastern University Bouvé College of Health Sciences, Boston Medical Center, the Boston Public Health Commission and fifteen community health centers in the City. Elmer is also past board member of Community-Campus Partnerships for Health and currently serves as a consultant on the Engaged Institutions Initiative.

Speakers:

**Keith Elder**, PhD, MPH, MPA is Assistant Professor and Associate Director of the MPH Program in the Department of Health Services Policy and Management, Arnold School of Public Health, University of South Carolina. His research interests include cancer disparities, minority men's health, managed care, and access to quality health care.

**Ngina Lythcott,** MSW, DrPH the Associate Dean for Students at Boston University School of Public Health. Ngina also serves on the Integration Panel of the Department of Defense Breast Cancer Research Program, the Board of Trustees at Simmons College and the Advisory Board of the Boston Women's Health Book Collective. Ngina is currently collaborating with Stephen Thomas, professor at the University of Pittsburg, on a post-doctoral database to help facilitate the recruitment faculty members of color for schools of public health. This endeavor draws upon Stephen’s expertise in creating a post-doctoral database at his home university.

**Eduardo R. Ochoa**, MD is Assistant Dean of Minority Affairs at the Fay W. Boozman College of Public Health, University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences. Eduardo is also Assistant Professor of Pediatrics in the College of Medicine and of Health Policy and Management in the College of Public Health.