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Addressing Dislocation, Racism, Trauma, and Resilience

October 23 and 24, 2008

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Working with Refugees and Immigrants in Our Schools

Thursday, October 23, 2008

***Reception at School of Education,
Two Silber Way, Boston University***

4:30 – 5:45 p.m. Wine and Appetizer Reception

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***Panel at Kenmore Classroom Building,
565 Commonwealth Avenue, Room 101, Boston University***

6:00 – 6:30 p.m. Introductions

*Dean Gail Steketee, Boston University School of Social Work
Dean Hardin Coleman, Boston University School of Education*

6:30 – 7:30 p.m. Panel:
Working with Refugees and Immigrants in the Schools -
Challenges and Strengths
Dr. Glenn Saxe, Dr. Heidi Ellis, Saida Abdi

7:30 – 8:00 p.m. Questions and Discussion
Dr. Donna Lehr, moderator

Working with Refugees and Immigrants in Community and Agency Settings

Friday, October 24, 2008

***Howard Thurman Center, George Sherman Union,
775 Commonwealth Avenue, Lower Level, Boston University***

8:00 – 8:45 a.m. Coffee & Bagels

8:45 a.m. Welcome & Overview of the Day *Dean Gail Steketee*

9:00 a.m. The Complexity of Immigration:
Race/Ethnicity, Class, and Education *Dr. Aaron Ramos*

9:45 a.m. Questions and Discussion

10:00 a.m. Break

10:15 a.m. Community Revitalization:
The Challenges of Housing,
Environmental Justice and
Youth Development *Alejandro Cotté
& Gladys Vega*

11:15 a.m. Questions and Discussion *Dr. Lee Staples*

11:30 – 12:30 p.m. Lunch

12:30 – 1:00 p.m. Dislocation and Trauma *Dr. Ruth Paris*

1:00 – 2:00 p.m. Panel:
Working with Immigrant
& Refugee Families: Addressing
Dislocation and Traumas,
from a Strengths Perspective
*Dean/Director
Elizabeth Miranda,
Dr. Luz López,
Mojdeh Rohani, & Lorna
McKenzie-Pollock*

2:00 – 2:20 p.m. Questions and Discussion *Dr. Luz López*

2:20 – 3:00 p.m. General Discussion/Closing Remarks *Dr. Humberto Reynoso*