Past Leadership Symposium Topics and Speakers

2009: CHALLENGES IN HIGHER EDUCATION: Purpose Reconsidered
Dr. Richard Keeling, Principal and Senior Executive Consultant for Keeling & Associates, LLC
Dr. Charles L. Robbins, Associate Dean, School of Social Welfare
Provost Eric Kaler, Stony Brook University

2008: CHALLENGES IN HIGHER EDUCATION: Beyond the Rhetoric, Creating Healthy Campus Communities
Dr. William McDonald, Vice President for Student Life, Presbyterian College
Dr. Dennis Heitzmann, Senior Director, Center for Counseling & Counseling Psychology, Penn State
Dr. Charles L. Robbins, Associate Dean for Academic Affairs, Stony Brook University

2007: CHALLENGES IN HIGHER EDUCATION: The African American Male Experience
Dr. Tyrone Bledsoe, Executive Director, Students African American Brotherhood (S.A.A.B.)
Dr. Ivory Toldson, Assistant Professor, Howard University
Dr. Olufemi Vaughn, Professor and Associate Provost, Stony Brook University

2006: LEADERSHIP FOR CIVIC ENGAGEMENT
Dr. Thomas Buchanan, President, University of Wyoming
Dr. Larry R. Faulkner, Past President, University of Texas at Austin; President Houston Endowment, Inc.
Dr. Peter B. Vaughan, Dean, School of Social Services, Fordham University/ Lincoln Center Campus

2005: VISIONARY LEADERSHIP: Moral Challenges For Today’s Universities
Dr. Shirley Strum Kenny, Stony Brook University
Dr. C.D. Mote, Jr., President, University of Maryland at College Park
Dr. Timothy White, President, University of Idaho
Dr. Frances L. Brisbane, Dean, School of Social Welfare, Stony Brook University

2004: VALUE-CENTERED LEADERSHIP IN HIGHER EDUCATION
Thomas J. Schwarz, Esq., SUNY Purchase
Dr. Stephen Joel Trachtenberg, The George Washington University
Dr. Barbara W. White, Dean, School of Social Work, University of Texas-Austin

2003: ETHICAL LEADERSHIP: Challenges To Learning Communities
Dr. John H. Marburger, III, Science Advisory to the President of the United States
Dr. Terry Mizrahi, Pres., Nat. Assoc. of Social Workers; Dir. of Educ., Ctr. for Community Organizing, Hunter College

2002: LEADERSHIP IN CRISIS TIMES
Dr. Ray M. Bowen Texas A&M University
Dr. David A. Caputo, Pace University
Carol J. Carmody, Vice Chair, National Transportation Safety Board

2001: CAMPUS & COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENTS: Engineering New Partnerships
Dr. Lattie F. Coor, Arizona State University
Dr. Carl V. Patton, Georgia State University
Dr. Norman A. Brown, Chair Points of Light Foundation Board, Pres. Emeritus, W.K. Kellogg Foundation

2000: INCREASED VIOLENCE: Implications for the Educational Community
Dr. William E. Kirwan, The Ohio State University
Dr. Marie V. McDonmond, Norfolk State University
Dr. Gordana Rabrenovic, Assoc. Dir., Brudnick Ctr. on Violence & Social Conflict, Northeastern University

1999: CHALLENGES OF AN INTERNATIONAL LEARNING COMMUNITY
Dr. Louis J. Agnese, Jr., University of The Incarnate Word
Dr. Gregory S. Prince, Jr. Hampshire College
Mariene M. Johnson, CEO, Association of International Educators

1998: CROSS-CULTURAL CONFLICT IN THE EDUCATION COMMUNITY
Dr. Frank G. Pogue, Jr., Edinboro University of Pennsylvania
Dr. Graham B. Spanier, Penn State University
Dr. Bruce R. Hare, Professor, Africana Studies, Syracuse University

1997: STUDENT COMMUNITY WELLNESS
Dr. Isara Santiago Santiago, Hostos Community College
Dr. Robert H. Suzuki, California State Polytechnic University
Dr. Charles E. Glassick, Interim President, Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching

1996: STUDENT COMMUNITY WELLNESS
Dr. Frederick L. Ahearn, Dean, School of Social Services, Catholic University
Dr. Marvalene Hughes, California State University/ Stanislaus
Dr. Arthur Levine, Teachers College at Columbia University