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**Struggle in the House of Life:  
Equality, Education, and Economic Empowerment**



**The Seventeenth Annual  
Philosophy Born of Struggle Conference**



Friday and Saturday, October 22 - 23, 2010  
Austin Community College  
Eastview Campus Multipurpose Hall  
3401 Webberville Road • Austin, Texas  
8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. Both Days

## SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

<b>DAY ONE</b>	<b>Friday, October 22</b>	<b>8:45 a.m. - 5 p.m.</b>
8:45 - 9:15 a.m.	COFFEE	
9:15 - 10:00 a.m.	Welcome and Opening Remarks: Greg Moses - Austin Community College (PBOS Local Arrangements) Leonard Harris - Purdue University (PBOS Founder) J. Everett Green - SUNY-Purchase & Mercy College (PBOS Conference Organizer) ACC Greetings: Dr. Barbara P. Mink – Chair, ACC Board of Trustees	
10 a.m. - 12 p.m.	<b>PANEL I</b> Topic: Race, Philosophy, and Educational Mobilization Chair: Danney Ursery, St. Edwards University	
Presenters:	<b>Tommy Curry</b> - Texas A&M University “Racial Realism and Liberation Strategies in the Philosophy of Education” <b>Glynis Christine</b> – Austin Community College “The Legacy of Slavery and the Philosophy of Enculturation” <b>Robert Munro</b> – Michigan State University “Situating Gilbert Haven Jones in Contemporary African-American Educational Practice”	
12 - 1:15 p.m.	LUNCH:	Eastview Campus Snack Lounge
1:15 - 1:30 p.m.	Greetings:	ACC Representative TBA
1:30 - 3 p.m.	<b>PANEL II</b> Topic: Struggle in the House of Life: Philosophy of Culture and Educational Practice in the Black World. Chair: J. Everett Green – SUNY-Purchase & Mercy College	
Presenters:	<b>Leonard Harris</b> - Purdue University “Philosophical Practice and the Search for Social Justice” <b>Maulana Karenga</b> - California State University “Kawaida Principles and Human Liberation”	
3 - 3:15	BREAK	
3:20 - 4:50 P.M.	<b>PANEL III</b> Topic: Equality, Empowerment, and Historical Memory Chair: TBA	
Presenters:	<b>Greg Moses</b> - Austin Community College “Texas Scholars of Liberation: J Leonard Farmer, Oliver C Cox, and Doxie Wilkerson <b>Mathew Hutcherson</b> “Lessons for Cultural Empowerment from the Life and Music of Dr. James Brown” <b>ACC Student Life, TBA</b> “Examples of Cultural Empowerment in Higher Education Today” <b>Richard Ford</b> “The S.U.B.A.R.A.T. Model for Empowerment and Education”	
5 - 5:30 p.m.	Special PBOS Resolution on the Imminent Closing of Philosophy Department at Howard University Chair: J. Everett Green – SUNY-Purchase & Mercy College	

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## SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

<b>DAY TWO</b>	<b>Saturday, October 23</b>	<b>8:45 a.m. - 5 p.m.</b>
8:45 - 9:15 a.m.	COFFEE	
9:15 - 9:30 a.m.	Welcome & Opening Remarks: J. Everett Green – SUNY-Purchase & Mercy College (PBOS Conference Organizer) ACC Representative, TBA	
9:30 a.m. -12 p.m.	<b>PANEL IV</b> Topic: Theoretical and Practical Models for Community Empowerment Chair: TBA	
Presenters:	<b>Irwin Tang</b> – Austin Community College “Lessons on Equality and Economic Empowerment from the History of Asian Texas” <b>James Harrington</b> – Texas Civil Rights Project “Contemporary Challenges in Alliance Building for Civil Rights” <b>Ray Jordan</b> – Dallas Community College “Beloved Community as Model for Educational Empowerment”	
12 - 1 p.m.	LUNCH:	Eastview Campus Snack Lounge
1:15 - 1:25 p.m.	Greetings:	ACC Representative, TBA
1:25 - 2:55 p.m.	<b>PANEL V</b> Topic: Liberation from Racial Framing and Mis-education Chair: Larry Erickson, Austin Community College	
Presenters:	<b>Joe Feagin</b> -Texas A&M University “Racial Counter-framing and the Literacy of Empowerment” <b>William R. Jones</b> - Professor Emeritus, Florida State University “Beyond Mis-education and Mis-religion: Correcting the Mis-management of Human Liberation”	
2:55 - 3:10 p.m.	BREAK	
3:15 - 4:45 p.m.	<b>PANEL VI</b> Topic: Education, Social Justice, and Community Empowerment. Chair: Zay D. Green	
Presenters:	<b>Alejandro Caceres</b> – Austin Community College “Philosophical Reflections on Arizona” <b>Lyndon Wilburg</b> - Educator and Community Organizer (Atlanta, GA) “Constructing Hope in the Pursuit of Social Justice” <b>Sara Mokuria</b> – Educator and Independent Scholar (Dallas, TX) “Social Transformation in Theory and Practice”	
4:45 - 5:00 p.m.	CONCLUDING REMARKS:	
	<b>Greg Moses</b> – Austin Community College (PBOS Local Arrangements) <b>J. Everett Green</b> – SUNY-Purchase & Mercy College (PBOS Conference Organizer) <b>Leonard Harris</b> - Purdue University (PBOS Founder)	

**Note: ACC Eastview Campus closes Saturdays at 5 PM**