

National Center for Postsecondary Research

Teachers College, Columbia University

Wednesday, October 11, 2006

1:30 – 6:00pm

179 Grace Dodge Hall

Using Research to Strengthen Equity, Access, and Student Achievement in Higher Education

Schedule of Events:

1:30-2:00 Light refreshments and gathering time

2:00 Welcome: **Susan Fuhrman, President of Teachers College**
The significance of NCPD and its role at TC and Columbia

2:15-3:30 Introduction and Overview: **Thomas Bailey, Director, NCPD**
Presentations by partners and associates:

David Breneman, Dean, The Curry School of Education at the University of Virginia and NCPD Affiliate – the significance of NCPD on the national scene

Regina Peruggi, President, Kingsborough Community College – learning communities

Patricia Windham, Associate Vice Chancellor for Evaluation for the Division of Community Colleges, Florida Department of Education – dual enrollment

Bridget Long, Associate Professor, Harvard University and NCPD Research Affiliate – the value of state data systems

3:30-4:00 Questions and discussion

4:00-6:00 Poster Sessions
Wine and Cheese Reception

Partner Institutions:

Community College Research Center – <http://ccrc.tc.columbia.edu>

MDRC – <http://www.mdrc.org>

Curry School of Education, University of Virginia – <http://curry.edschool.virginia.edu>

<http://www.PostsecondaryResearch.org>

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