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HSIAC CONFERENCE 2006

Wyndham Grand Bay Coconut Grove ♦ Miami, Florida ♦ April 20–22, 2006

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AGENDA

THURSDAY, APRIL 20, 2006—NEW DIRECTORS' MEETING

1–1:15 p.m. Introduction and Welcome

1:15–2:30 p.m. Presentation of New HSIAC Programs (please limit to 15 minutes)

- ▶ The National Hispanic University, San Jose, California
- ▶ Pima County Community College, Tucson, Arizona
- ▶ Los Angeles Mission College, Los Angeles, California
- ▶ Southwestern College, Chula Vista, California
- ▶ California State University Stanislaus, Turlock, California

2:30–3:15 p.m. Getting Started/Key Planning and Development Issues, Record Keeping, and Environmental Review

- ▶ **Mario Rosario**, Office of Public Housing, HUD, Miami Field Office

3:15–3:30 p.m. Break

3:30–5 p.m. Presentation of New HSIAC Programs (please limit to 15 minutes)

- ▶ University of Texas at Brownsville and Texas Southmost College, Brownsville, Texas
- ▶ West Hills Community College, Coalinga, California
- ▶ California State University Monterey Bay, Seaside, California
- ▶ Sul Ross University, Alpine, Texas
- ▶ California State University, Fullerton, California
- ▶ Heritage University, Toppenish, Washington

5–5:30 p.m. Program Requirements, Reporting Requirements and A Review of the Office of University Partnerships

- ▶ **Madlyn Wohlman-Rodriguez**, HUD's Office of University Partnerships, Washington, D.C.

6–7:30 p.m. Reception





FRIDAY, APRIL 21, 2006

8–8:30 a.m. **Registration and Continental Breakfast**

8:30–9 a.m. **Welcome**

- ▶ **Sherone Ivey**, HUD's Office of University Partnerships, Washington, D.C.
- ▶ **Armando Fana**, HUD, Miami Field Office

9–9:15 a.m. **Meeting Logistics and Overview of Day's Activities**

9:15–10:30 a.m. **Working with Partners to Make an Impact**

- ▶ **Daniella Levine**, Human Services Coalition, Miami, Florida
 - ▲ This session will provide tips and insight into ways to develop and sustain critical partnerships, and demonstrate the importance of consistent and effective planning in partnerships, development, and sustaining your program over time.

10:30–10:45 a.m. **Break**

10:45 a.m.–Noon **We're in the Neighborhood**

A roundtable approach will provide grant recipients an opportunity to share what has been learned, what has worked, and what has not with discussion and best practices.

- ▶ **Lynn La Brie**, Arizona Western College, Yuma, Arizona
- ▶ **Luly Valencia-Glenn**, Dona Ana Branch Community College, Las Cruces, New Mexico
- ▶ **Mirian Zavala**, Lehman College, Bronx, New York
- ▶ **George Acevado**, Montefiore Medical Center, Bronx, New York
- ▶ **Roberto Garcia**, Montefiore Medical Center, Bronx, New York

12–1:30 p.m. **Luncheon**

- ▶ **Nora Hernandez Hendrix**, President, InterAmerican Campus of Miami Dade College

1:30–3 p.m. **Small Group Discussions (Concurrent Sessions)**

Attendees are invited to participate in small working sessions to discuss what works, lessons learned, challenges, and so forth

- ▶ The "How to" Steps in an Environmental Review
 - ▲ **Nasir Gharaibeh**, University of Texas, El Paso
- ▶ West Coconut Grove—Homeownership, Commercial Revitalization, and Community Organization
 - ▲ **Richard Shepard**, University of Miami, School of Architecture
- ▶ A Partnership for Advancing Technology in Colonia Housing (PATCH)
 - ▲ **Robert Ozuna**, Heritage University, Toppenish, Washington

3–3:15 p.m. **Break**

3:15–4:45 p.m. **The Cultural Relevance to Making Homebuyer Education Fun**

- ▶ "La Loteria" Bingo Game
 - ▲ **Osvaldo Cardoza**, University of Texas–Pan American, Edinburg, Texas
 - ▲ **Rebecca Gonzalez**, University of Texas–Pan American, Edinburg, Texas
 - ▲ **Gustavo Salinas**, University of Texas–Pan American, Edinburg, Texas

4:45–5 p.m. **Overview of Saturday Morning Site Visits**

5 p.m. **Wrap Up**





SATURDAY, APRIL 22, 2006— SITE VISIT
(TRANSPORTATION WILL BE PROVIDED)

9 a.m.
12:30 p.m.

Bus departs from The Wyndham Grand Bay Hotel to Jose Marti Community Center.

▶ Participants will meet in the Lobby.

Bus returns to The Wyndham Grand Bay Hotel

