

# NCEBC 2011 Convention Registration

**Deadline date for Pre-registration is April 1, 2011 at 5:00p.m.**

- Convention Registration Fee**
- Pre-Registration .....\$395.00  
*(Pre-registration for 4 or more from one school district is \$375 per person.)*
  - On-Site Registration .....\$500.00
  - College Student Registration.....\$210.00  
*(with Valid Student I.D.)*

**REGISTRATION INCLUDES:**  
3 Breakfasts, 2 Luncheons  
and admission to the NCEBC  
25th Anniversary Event!

On-site registration fees go into effect immediately after 5:00 p.m. (EDT) April 1, 2011. Registration fees are non-refundable. No exceptions. NCEBC will not accept purchase orders after April 1, 2011. If your school/institution/organization requires an invoice, there is no processing fee. Please indicate request on form. You will NOT be registered until full payment has been received.

**Please check the most appropriate area of interest:**

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Para-Professional              | <input type="checkbox"/> Parent                             |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> Policymakers                   |   |

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Copy and return this form to: NCEBC, PO Box 55752, Indianapolis, IN 46205-0752 or you may register online at [www.ncebc.org](http://www.ncebc.org) or fax form to 317-283-9080.

To submit a request for a workshop presentation and/or an exhibitor's booth go to [NCEBC.org](http://NCEBC.org) and complete applicable forms: "A Call for Proposal" and/or "Exhibitor's Form."



**3700 W. Flamingo Rd.  
Las Vegas, NV 89103  
Call toll free at 1-888-746-6955**

To reserve a room please call RIO All-Suite Hotel toll free at 1-888-746-6955 or register on line at [www.ncebc.org](http://www.ncebc.org) and refer to the group code: **SRNCEB1**. Host hotel rates are \$129 per single/double occupancy, per night, plus tax. There is an additional rate of \$30 per person per night for 3rd or 4th persons with a maximum of 4 persons per guest room. Your cut-off date is Tuesday, April 5, 2011. After the cut-off date, rooms will be subject to availability and will be sold at hotel prevailing rate. Guests will be responsible for their own guest room and incidental charges upon check-out and NCEBC will be responsible for all scheduled food and beverage charges. All guests are required to present a valid credit card upon check-in.

Deposits (cash or credit card) are refunded if cancelled 72 hours prior to arrival date. Guests will be billed one night's room and tax if not cancelled 72 hours prior to the arrival date.

## NCEBC 2011 General Convention Information

### AIRPORT TRANSPORTATION

Transportation is available to the hotel by taxi or shuttle. The cost is approximately \$15.00 to \$20.00 for a taxi and \$8.00 for the shuttle.

### FREE HOTEL PARKING

Valet parking is free with an appreciated tip to the Valet.



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NATIONAL COUNCIL ON EDUCATING BLACK CHILDREN

**A BLUEPRINT FOR ACTION:  
Educating Minds, Removing Barriers!**



**Elevating Black Males!**

Las Vegas, Nevada • April 28 - 30, 2011



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**Las Vegas,  
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# Convention At A Glance

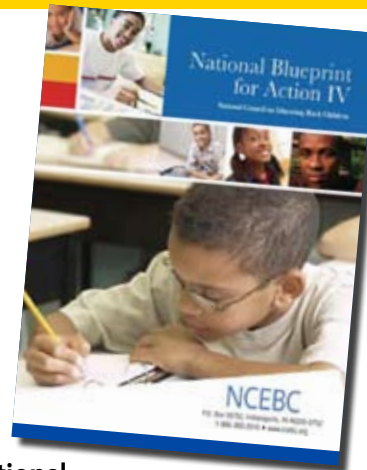
## April 28 - 30, 2011

### Objectives for the 2011 Convention:

1. Showcase the best and proven programs throughout the country that are increasing African American male achievement and development.
2. Introduce effective programs that increase advocacy and building of the "Public Will" to improve quality of life and increase opportunities to learn for all children, especially African American males.
3. Engage policy discussions that increase capacity to access financial support of NCEBC's initiatives and programs, particularly those that directly impact African American males.
4. Provide materials and strategies to break down barriers that deny African American children (males in particular) access to the resources necessary for high academic performance.

### The Blueprint for Action

*"Black children are the proxy for what ails American education in general. And so, as we fashion solutions which help Black children, we fashion solutions which help all children."*  
- The Honorable Augustus F. Hawkins, Founder



The **Blueprint for Action** is the National Council on Educating Black Children's flagship document, produced in 1986 at the Hunt Valley 1 Conference. The document is in its fourth edition and is distributed throughout the United States in seven languages. Based on Ron Edmonds' Effective Schools Research, it serves as a cornerstone for school reform/restructuring in many school districts. Written by African American grass root communities, national organizations, and educators, the **Blueprint for Action** is a manifesto for action. It promotes collaboration and empowerment among stakeholders in the "village," to support the educational successes of all children.

### National Conference Planning Committee



Diana Daniels  
NCEBC Executive Director



Dr. Deborah Jewell-Sherman



Mr. Nehemiah Thomas



Dr. Pamela Short-Powell



Dr. Greta A. Peay



Dr. Janice Jackson

Not Pictured: Charles Coleman

#### Thursday April 28, 2011

8:00AM - 6:00PM Registration  
8:00AM - 6:00PM Opening of Exhibits  
8:00AM - 10:00AM Continental Breakfast  
9:00AM - 10:00PM New Attendees Orientation:  
*The Blueprint for Action NCEBC Core Values...A Call to Action Training*  
10:00AM - 12:00PM Conference "Kick-off" Event  
12:00NOON - 1:30PM Opening Convention Luncheon  
1:45PM - 3:45PM Concurrent sessions I-IV  
4:00PM - 5:00PM Plenary Session I:  
*NCEBC Program Initiatives*  
5:30PM - 6:30PM Welcome Reception



#### Friday April 29, 2011

8:00AM - 6:00PM Registration/Author's Corner Exhibits  
8:00AM - 8:30AM Plenary Session II  
8:45AM - 11:30AM Dr. Asa G. Hilliard III Research Seminar  
11:45AM - 1:30PM Dr. Ron Edmonds Memorial Luncheon, Concurrent Seminars V-VIII  
1:45PM - 3:45PM Statewide Planning Meeting:  
*Call to Action Training*  
4:00PM - 5:30PM Dinner On Your Own  
6:00PM

#### Saturday April 30, 2011

8:00AM - 6:00PM Registration/Author's Corner Exhibits  
8:00AM - 10:00AM Literacy Breakfast /Plenary Session III  
10:15AM - 12:15PM Concurrent Seminars IX-XII  
12:15PM - 2:15PM 25th Anniversary Luncheon  
2:15PM - 4:15PM Conclusion of State-level meetings  
4:15PM - 5:00PM State-level share-outs and Conference Close

### Convention Topics

#### School, Family and Community Leaders

#### We Know The Problems . . .Come and Be a Part of the Solution!

At our 25th Anniversary Conference, the National Council on Educating Black Children invite you to join us as we learn, plan and commit to *Developing a Blueprint for Academic Success For Black Students.*

**1. Creating a Healthy Learning Environment in Schools to Inspire Success among Students**

**2. Fostering Personal and Emotional Motivators for Success**

**3. Strengthening the Family Unit to Raise Successful Children**

**4. Building Community and Social Conditions that Foster Success**

### Need More Information...

visit [www.ncebc.org](http://www.ncebc.org) to access information regarding:

- Convention Awards
- Call for Proposals
- Program Ads
- Convention Exhibitors
- Convention Workshops
- Convention Registration
- Augustus F. Hawkins Scholarship
- Sponsorship Opportunities
- and Much More

Contact us at NCEBC 317-283-9081

### NCEBC 2011 Convention will also feature:



**Dr. Asa G. Hilliard III**  
**Research Seminar**  
Conducted By Dr. Donald Clark

This seminar will review the research regarding conditions in educating African American children using the following five (5) questions as the framework for knowledge, understanding and application:

1. What has research demonstrated about African American students in teaching, learning, curriculum models, school organization and testing? (Is there anything researchable about African American students that has escaped the research communities' "interest"?)
2. How has the prolific body of research improved teacher preparation in the areas of achievement equity, discipline, behavioral actions, college attendance rates, and the over-representation of African American students in special education, as it relates to:
  - A. School based instructional practices
  - B. Assessment practices
  - C. Parent and community engagement in the categories of school relationships and school practices
3. What research work remains for the stakeholder community to apply in eradicating the issue of the mis-education of our children?
4. The effects of the ongoing disintegration of our children's academic performance and related educational dysfunctions are clear today. So what do we need "to know"?
5. What is missing in our determination as educators, and why have we "lost" the belief-base established by our history as a people?



*"This convention exceeded my expectations! I left the convention with a mission to return to my school and teach differently!"*

-LAS VEGAS TEACHER

*"Fantastic Convention! Best I've ever attended!"*

-DETROIT PARENTS

### Invited Speakers, Keynotes, Moderators

- Congressman Robert C. "Bobby" Scott, VA
- Ivory A. Toldson, Ph.D.
- Dr. Stedman Graham
- Dr. Noma LeMoine
- Dr. Alfred Tatum
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- Mr. Phillip J. Bowman



### Dear Child Advocates,

Educationally deprived African-American adults will not be re-educated at all, and their children will only be re-educated partially. But for their grandchildren, there is hope that re-education will not be warranted.

Our experience over the last two decades has confirmed two important assumptions that are basic to American education. The first is that our instructional thrust should be based on the empirical assumption that most children, regardless of background, can learn basic skills to sustain them throughout life and make personal fulfillment possible. The second assumption is that there is no standard, which makes one educational pursuit more worthy than another. To set a standard that mandates math and reading at the elimination or reduction of science, the arts and physical education violate both of these assumptions.

We will reconvene in Las Vegas to continue our effort, through a collective conscience, to search for strategies and solutions to ensure that equity and excellence are an integral part of the learning and teaching process in every school district that has a significant number of black children.

We are further challenged to leave this conference with strategies for developing a national agenda that we all can support, and therefore, can commit ourselves to go back and promote it in our respective states, communities, and schools. Of course, to meet this challenge NCEBC and the communities we serve will require resources. Thus, this conference is challenged to develop strategies that will generate resources to assist in promoting a national agenda.

We must combine our resources and work together to ensure that our children's right to a high quality education is honored and protected.

Join us!

Respectfully,

Dr. Claude Mayberry Jr.  
President, NCEBC

