

**CULTURE COUNTS:
Multicultural Interventions
In Clinics, Schools and Other Organizations**
GSAPP Cultural Conference
October 16th, 2009

8:00 - 9:00am	Registration/ Breakfast	
9:00 - 9:15am	Welcoming Remarks	Dean Stanley Messer, Nancy Boyd-Franklin, Ph.D., Shalonda Kelly, Ph.D.
9:15 - 10:30am	Morning Keynote:	Dorothy Strickland, Ph.D.: The Literacy Achievement Gap: What We Know And What Might Be Done About It.
10:30 - 10:45am	Award Presentation	Lifetime Achievement Award presented to Dorothy Strickland, Ph.D
10:45 - 11:00am	Break	
11:00 - 12:15pm	Morning Breakout Sessions:	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Effective Intervention for Improving Literacy Learning and Teaching Among Ethnic Minority Children in the Schools - Dorothy Strickland, Ph.D. 2. The Culturally Responsive Classroom - Mary Ann Smorra, Ed.D 3. Therapy with Latino Clients and Families - Milton Fuentes, Psy.D., Igda Martinez, Psy.D., Hector Y. Adames, Psy.D. 4. Empowering Racial & Ethnic Minority Lesbian, Gay, and Bisexual Youth in Schools and Communities - Michael Mobley, Ph.D., Hugh Love.
12:15 - 1:15pm	Lunch	Will be provided
1:15 - 2:30pm	Afternoon Keynote:	Nancy Boyd-Franklin, Ph.D.: Violence Prevention Programs for Youth in Clinics, Schools, and Communities.
2:30 - 2:45pm	Break	
2:45 - 4:00pm	Afternoon Breakout Sessions:	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Promoting Social/Emotional and Academic Resilience in Hispanic American Children in the Schools – Lisette Maniatis, Ph.D. 2. Gangs and Their Cultural Identity in Schools and Communities - Jack Farrell, LCSW 3. Working with Asian Youth, Adults and Families in Schools and Mental Health Agencies - Lisa Suzuki, Ph.D. & Grace Wong, Ph.D. 4. Diversity/Multicultural Consultation and Training - Joan Adams, LCSW
4:00pm	Certificate Distribution	Turn in evaluations.

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