

NPEA

Annual Conference

April 8-9, 2010

SAVE THE DATE FOR THE 2ND ANNUAL NPEA CONFERENCE!

The National Partnership for Educational Access (NPEA) will host its second annual conference, *From Access to Success: Best Practices for Student Achievement* on April 8-9, 2010 in Baltimore, Maryland at the Baltimore Marriott Inner Harbor.

Launched in 2007, NPEA is a membership association for organizations committed to increasing educational opportunities for motivated underserved students across the United States. NPEA currently has 159 members in 30 states and member programs collectively serve over 30,000 underrepresented students across the country. Members include school and non-school based programs, independent schools, higher education and other nonprofit programs.

This year's conference has an exciting schedule of speakers, including:

- ◆ Matthew Chingos, Co-Author, *Crossing the Finish Line: Completing College at America's Public Universities*
- ◆ Ann Coles, College Access Senior Fellow from ACCESS and Senior Associate, Institute for Higher Education Policy
- ◆ Greg Darnieder, Special Assistant to the Secretary on the Secretary's Initiative on College Access
- ◆ Freeman Hrabowski, President, University of Maryland Baltimore County
- ◆ Karl Reid, Senior Vice President, Academic Programs and Strategic Initiatives at the United Negro College Fund
- ◆ Joyce Smith, Chief Executive Officer of the National Association of College Admission Counseling.

For more information about NPEA and to register for the conference, please visit: www.educational-access.org or call Karin Elliott, Director of NPEA at (617) 423-6300 x 284 or kelliott@tsf.org.