Cultural & Linguistic Diversity Conference:
Living & Working Together

University of Pittsburgh │ March 29, 2017 │ University Club Ball Room A

Organizing Committee: Abdesalam Soudi, PhD (Conference Chair); Jeannette South-Paul, MD (Conference Co-Chair), Shelome Gooden, PhD; Judy Chang, MD, MPH; Scott Kiesling, PhD

Hosted by: Departments of Linguistics; Family Medicine; Obstetrics, Gynecology, & Reproductive Services

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SCHEDULE (8:00 AM - 3:00 PM)

8:00 - 9:00  Registration Open (Ballroom A)
Network Breakfast

9:00 - 9:10  Welcome from the University of Pittsburgh
Pamela W. Connelly, Vice Chancellor for Diversity and Inclusion
Bettye J. and Ralph E. Bailey Dean, John Cooper, PhD, The Kenneth P. Dietrich
School of Arts and Sciences

9:10 - 9:15  UPMC Health Plan & UPMC Center for Engagement and Inclusion
UPMC Remarks (Executive Sponsor)
John Lovelace
President, UPMC for You
President, Government Programs & Individual Advantage
Chief Program Officer, Community Care Behavioral Health Organization

9:15 - 9:25  Conference layout and overview
Abdesalam Soudi, PhD, Conference Chair
Jeannette South-Paul, MD, Conference Co-Chair

9:30 - 10:30  Keynote speech
Valerie Kinloch, PhD
Associate Dean, Diversity, Inclusion, & Community Engagement, College of
Education & Human Ecology, OSU
Incoming Renée and Richard Goldman Dean of the University of Pittsburgh
School of Education

Keynote Speaker Introduction: Shelome Gooden, PhD

10:30 - 10:45 Question and Answer
10:45 - 11:00 Morning Snack (Ballroom A)

11:00 - 12:30  PANEL I: How do you approach cultural & linguistic diversity in your work?

Moderator: Jeannette South-Paul, MD

PANELISTS:
Laura Brown, PhD, Anthropology, University of Pittsburgh
Amanda Godley, PhD, Education, University of Pittsburgh
Alan Juffs, PhD, English Language Institute (ELI), University of Pittsburgh
Bill Markle, MD, Family Medicine, University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine

12:30 - 13:30 Lunch in Ballroom A
University Honors College Welcome (Conference Corporate Sponsor)
Dean Edward Stricker
13:30-15:00  PANEL II: Embracing Cultural and Linguistic Diversity

Moderator: Abdesalam Soudi, PhD

PANELISTS

Mario C. Browne, MPH, CHES, Pitt Health Sciences Diversity
Cammie Chaumont Menendez, PhD, Center for Disease Control (CDC)
Elizabeth Kois, LMS, M. Ed & Sheena Conway, M.S. Ed., Penfield High School, Penfield, NY
Belkys Torres, PhD, International Programs, UCIS, University of Pittsburgh

Conference Closing

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