



Planning for Families: The Housing and Education Nexus

Thursday, November 29, 2007 • 9am to 3pm
UC Berkeley: Alumni House

- 9:00 AM** **Breakfast and Registration**
- 9:15 AM** **Welcome and Framing the Issue: What is the nexus between housing and education?**
Deborah McKoy, Executive Director, Center for Cities & Schools
- 9:30 AM** **Putting the Issue in a Regional Context: Bay Area housing and demographic change – What are the implications for neighborhoods and schools?**
Kenneth Kirkey, Planning Director, Association of Bay Area Governments
- 9:45 AM** **Local Response:** Myong Leigh, Deputy Superintendent, San Francisco Unified School District, September Jarrett, Director of Policy and Planning, City of San Francisco Department of Children, Youth, and their Families
- 10:00 AM** **Q & A Session**
- 10:15 AM** **Small Roundtable Dialogue:** Facilitated discussions with participants
- 11:00 AM** **Break**
- 11:15 AM** **Promising Practices from Across the Nation Panel:** Professor Malo Hutson, Moderator
- **Portland, Oregon - New Columbia Development Project:** Portland Housing Authority Executive Director Steve Rudman will describe the planning and development process of the award-winning Community Campus at New Columbia, a mixed-use partnership project located in the recently redeveloped New Columbia low-income housing development, the largest revitalization project in Oregon history.
 - **Yuma, Arizona - Carver Park Neighborhood Development Project:** Principal Deb Elias will present on how “safe affordable housing in Yuma equals higher academic achievement” in their recently completed, school-focused comprehensive redevelopment initiative.
 - **New Haven, Conn. – School Construction and Neighborhood Transformation Initiative:** City leaders will discuss how the Mayor and School Leadership of New Haven, Connecticut envision high quality public schools as a central vehicle to bring back the middle class and reinvigorate New Haven’s economy and community.
 - **Q & A Session**
- 12:30 PM** **Lunch**
- 1:15 PM** **Keynote Address:** Maria Blanco, Executive Director of the Chief Justice Earl Warren Institute on Race, Ethnicity and Diversity, Boalt Law School, UC Berkeley
- 2:00 PM** **Concluding Remarks**
- 2:15 PM** **Reception**

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