Building Community Through Diversity: Personal Empowerment

Program
Thursday, October 8, 2015
The College at Brockport

8 – 11:30 am  Registration, Seymour College Union, Lobby

9 am  Welcome, VIP Greeting, Seymour College Union, Ballroom

Presentation of Diversity Engagement Awards &
Douglas Feldman LGBT Paper Award
Faith Prather, PhD, Assistant Provost for Diversity
Douglas Feldman, PhD, Professor of Anthropology
Sean Flynn, President, Brockport Student Government
Heidi Macpherson, PhD, President

9:15 – 10:15 am  Keynote Address, Seymour College Union, Ballroom
Liz Murray, Inspirational Speaker and Best-Selling Author of Breaking Night: A Memoir of Forgiveness & Survival and My Journey from Homeless to Harvard

11 am – 2 pm  Study Abroad Showcase, Seymour College Union, Main Lounge

11 am – 12:15 pm  Morning Educational Workshops, Various Locations

- Overcoming Adversity: Personal Stories of Empowerment (Panel Discussion w/Liz Murray) — Seymour College Union, Ballroom West
- Learning the Food System: Experience and Empowerment — Seymour College Union, Gallery
- Rising from the Ashes: A Personal Struggle — Seymour College Union, Room 119
- From Marginalization to Empowerment: Factors that Promote Psychological Growth in Individuals with Stigmatized Identities — Cooper Hall, NY Room
- From Tragedy to Triumph — Seymour College Union, Room 220 (second floor)
- The ism’s of HIV/AIDS — Seymour College Union, Room 114
- Adiposity and Anarchism: Exposing and Examining Fat Oppression in a Capitalist Society — Liberal Arts Building, Room 102

12:45 – 2 pm  Multicultural Food Tasting & Student Entertainment
Seymour College Union, Ballroom

With Special Performances by:

- Sankofa African Dance and Drum Ensemble
- Hip Hop Dance Club
- Step
- Dance Team
- Student Dance Organization
- Jazz Ensemble
2 – 3:15 pm  Afternoon Educational Workshops, Session I

- Cultural Competence Requires Cultural Intelligence: CQ for Your Life and Career (Panel Discussion) — Seymour College Union, Room 220 (Second Floor)
- Debunked!: Title IX and Gender Equity — Edwards Hall, Room 106
- Fatherless: A Symptom to Poverty and Mass Incarceration — Edwards Hall, Room 103
- Building Community Through a Service learning Project: Learning Diversity by Serving — Seymour College Union, Room 119
- The Library: First Stop for Personal Empowerment — Seymour College Union, Room B129 (Basement Level)
- Empowering University Career Centers to be Culturally Sensitive — Seymour College Union, Room 114

3:30 – 4:45 pm  Afternoon Educational Workshops, Session II

- Living Diversity (Panel Discussion) — Seymour College Union, Room B129 (Basement Level)
- Camp Abilities After 20 years: Where We Have Been and Where We Are Going — Seymour College Union, Gallery
- Building and Nurturing African American Communities — Seymour College Union, Room 220 (Second Floor)
- Restoring the Power — Seymour College Union, Room 209 (Second Floor)
- Diversity and Inclusion in Action — Seymour College Union, Room 114
- Exploring the Epidemic of Homelessness in Higher Education — Seymour College Union, Room 119
- Clarity, Movement, and Citizenship: A Reading of Mari Evans’ Poetic Activism — Seymour College Union, Room 228 (Second Floor)

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Thank you for attending!

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