

THE ENGAGED UNIVERSITY—Evaluating and Rewarding Engaged Scholarship

The term “engaged university” identifies the dynamic partnerships that universities are forging with external constituencies to advance knowledge while meeting community needs.

UIC faculty, staff, and students are involved in such partnerships, both inside and outside the rubric of “Great Cities.” Participants in this conference will grapple with the challenges of engagement:

- How does engagement affect our national ranking as a research university?
- How can UIC measure and evaluate engaged scholarship in order to reward it appropriately?

For more information— see the Web site at <http://www.uic.edu/depts/oa/tfse/conference.html>

For background reading— consult the Report of UIC’s Task Force on the Scholarship of Engagement, January 31, 2001 version, available as an Acrobat file **on the Web site at—** <http://www.uic.edu/depts/oa/TFSereport.pdf>
A hardcopy of the report may be requested from the Senate Office at (312) 996-2926.

Preregister by February 1 by returning the form by:
fax— (312) 413-2092, or
on-line at the conference Web site, or **campus mail—**
Engaged University Conference
Jane Addams Hull-House Museum
(MC 051), 800 South Halsted Street.

Friday, February 8, 2002

University of Illinois at Chicago
Illinois Room, CCC; 750 South Halsted Street

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8:30–9:00 *Registration and coffee*

9:00–9:15 *Welcome*
Interim Provost Charlotte A. Tate
William G. Jones, *Chair, Senate Executive Committee, UIC*

9:15–10:20 *The Engaged University: What Is It?*
Mary L. Walshok, *University of California, San Diego*
Moderator: William G. Jones, *Chair, Senate Executive Committee/University Library, UIC*

10:30–11:45 *University Engagement in an Era of Comparison and Ranking: Challenges, Risks, and Rewards*
Alexander C. McCormick, *Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching*
Moderator: David C. Perry, *Great Cities Institute and College of Urban Planning and Public Affairs, UIC*

12:00–1:15 *Luncheon discussion*
Timothy Keiderling, *Department of Chemistry, UIC*
Donald A. Chambers, *Department of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology, UIC*
Moderator: Dick W. Simpson, *Department of Political Science, UIC*

1:25–2:30 *Evaluating Campus Engagement*
Joan Straumanis, *Fund for the Improvement of Postsecondary Education and Antioch College*
Response by:
Pat Langley, *Women’s Studies and Legal Studies, UIS*
Steven F. Schomberg, *Office of the Chancellor, UIUC*
Moderator: Margaret (Peg) Strobel, *Interim Director, Jane Addams Hull-House Museum, Professor of Gender and Women’s Studies and History*

2:45–3:45 *Breakout sessions*

4:00–4:15 *Closing remarks*
Interim Provost Charlotte A. Tate

4:15–5:00 *Reception*



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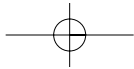
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Lunch is available at no charge for those who preregister.



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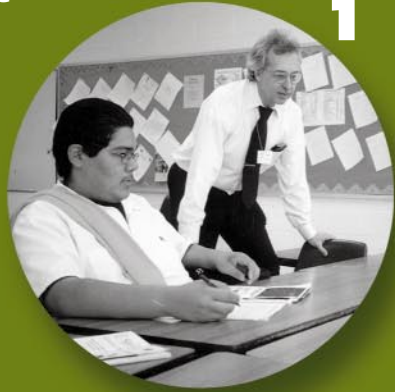
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Examples of engaged partnerships at UIC:

1- Students in the Benito Juarez High School Writing Skills Program, a partnership with the UIC College of Education

2- James Jordan Boys' and Girls' Club youth involved in the Urban Youth Leadership Program with the UIC School of Kinesiology

3- UIC Architecture graduate housing studio students and faculty at the ABLA Homes Brooks Extension, 2001 (Photo: Sharon Haar)



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