

Office of Equal Opportunity & Diversity

Campus Conversations Series

Presents

Access and Retention of Minority Students in Higher Education

A Presentation and Conversation with

Thomas Parham, Vice Chancellor, Student Affairs

Wednesday, November 30, 2011

Noon-1:00 p.m.

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Thomas Parham, Ph.D. is Vice Chancellor, Student Affairs, as well as an adjunct faculty member at the University of California, Irvine. Prior to these positions, he served as Assistant Vice Chancellor for Counseling and Health Services, Counseling Center Director, and Director of the Career and Life Planning Center at UCI. In addition to authoring six books, over thirty-five journal articles and/or book chapters, he has also produced several videos focusing on African American youth and counseling. In consultations, public addresses and television appearances throughout the United States, Dr. Parham has addressed such issues as multicultural counseling, counseling African Americans, and educating youth. Dr. Parham has received many honors and awards for his work; some of the more recent is the Janet E. Helms Award for Mentoring and Scholarship in 2010.

The event is part of the Office of Equal Opportunity and Diversity's *Campus Conversations Series* which aims to provide the campus community with opportunities to engage in dialogues about contemporary topics related to equal opportunity and diversity.

Event is free and open to the community. If you have questions or need further information, please call 949-824-5594 or oeod@uci.edu. To learn more about OEOD, please go to: www.oeod.uci.edu.

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