



"Embracing Academic Diversity through Effective Research & Collaboration"

Monday, April 12, 2010 thru Tuesday, April 13, 2010

Bennett College for Women will host the VA-NC LSAMP 2010 Alliance Day & the Inter-Disciplinary Research Day.

The VA-NC LSAMP Alliance Day (April 12, 2010) will unite eight partner institutions exclusively (University of Virginia, Bennett College for Women, Elizabeth City State University, George Mason University, Johnson C. Smith University, St. Augustine's College, Virginia Commonwealth University, and Virginia Tech) whose definitive goal is to help students pursuing careers in science, technology, engineering and mathematics (STEM) to progress to the next stage of obtaining a graduate education. The day will feature:

- Keynote Address by Dr. Julianne Malveaux, Bennett College for Women's 15th President. Dr. Malveaux is also a labor economist, noted author, and colorful commentator. Julianne Malveaux has been described by Dr. Cornel West as "the most iconoclastic public intellectual in the country." Her contributions to the public dialogue on issues such as race, culture, gender, and their economic impacts are shaping public opinion in 21st century America. [Read Full Bio](#)
- Partner Meeting
- LSAMP Student/Scholar Meeting & Informative Workshops
- Peer-to-Peer Networking & Social Activity

Bennett College's 3rd Annual Inter-Disciplinary Research Day (April 13, 2010) will fuse and showcase diverse academic disciplines/traditional fields of study through both oral and poster presentations. This inter-disciplinary event involves researchers, students, and teachers in the goals of connecting and integrating several academic schools of thought, and professions. The Bennett College for Women Inter-Disciplinary Research Day has become one of the college's initiatives, keeping in alignment with Bennett's ultimate mission to offer women an education conducive to excellence in scholarly pursuits; preparation for leadership roles in the workplace, society, and the world; and life-long learning in a technologically advanced, complex global society. The event will not be limited to Bennett Belles only since this year it will count with the participation of the VA-NC LSAMP Alliance partners and of local colleges. Pre-Registration is a must! Upon registration, presenters must classify themselves as one of the following:

- Student Poster Presentations
- Student Oral Presentations

REGISTRATION COMING SOON