



University of Maryland College of Education

ALUMNI COLLEGE 2007

RETURN TO LEARN

COLLEGE OF EDUCATION ALUMNI CHAPTER

Saturday, Oct. 13, 2007 • Benjamin Building

- 8:30 a.m. Registration, Continental Breakfast and Welcome to Alumni College 2007
- 9:20 a.m. KEYNOTE SPEECH: "Teaching and Learning"
Associate Professor Emeritus John Splaine, *Department of Education Policy Studies*
- 10:10 a.m. CONCURRENT SESSIONS I:
A Conversation with Dr. John Splaine
Using the Metaphor of Pathway to Improve the Coherence of Pre K-12 Literacy Instruction
Professor John O'Flahavan, *Department of Curriculum and Instruction*
Survival Skills for Beginning Elementary and Special Education Teachers
Catherine Kern, *Reading Recovery teacher*; Carla Malozowski-Kieval, *Staff Development specialist*;
Shannon Ambush, *Special Education teacher*
A Conversation with Maryland Teachers of the Year
- 11:20 a.m. CONCURRENT SESSIONS II:
The Impact of School on At Risk Behaviors of Children and Adolescents
Jim DeGeorge, *Associate Director, Advocates for Children, College Park Scholars*;
Tom Saunders, *Principal, Howard County*
"Leadership: Lessons Learned"
Professor of Practice Carol Parham, *Department of Educational Leadership, Higher Education and Int'l Education*
"How Teachers Can Learn and Transfer Learning: Mind in Action in the Classroom"
Dr. Frank Lyman, *Former University of Maryland and Howard County Teacher Education Center Coordinator*
- 12:30 p.m. CONCURRENT SESSIONS III:
Survival Skills for Beginning Secondary Teachers
Jennifer Roland, *Middle School teacher, Montgomery County*;
Holly Ponzillo, *High School teacher, Baltimore County*
Living Well in Retirement
Dr. Pierre Colombel, *Organizational Development consultant and Adjunct Professor, Johns Hopkins University*
Why Children ARE Being Left Behind: NCLB from a Cultural Perspective
Dr. Christy Tirrell-Corbin, *Director, COE Honors Program and Undergraduate Early Childhood Education*
- 1:30 p.m. LUNCH AND KEYNOTE SPEECH: Charles Driesell, *UM Men's Basketball Assistant Coach*

To register for 'Return to Learn', contact **Ms. Frances Woods**: 301.405.2340 or email fwoods@umd.edu

RSVP Deadline is Thursday, Oct. 4, 2007