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Presidents Panel

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Charlotte, North Carolina*

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“Embracing the Past, Impacting the Future”

Focus



Historically, the Presidents Panel has allowed for the scholarly exchange of ideas and information by college and university presidents. This year the depth of the *College Presidential Forum* has been changed to include a group of distinguished professors who are active in the academy performing teaching, research, and service. These individuals are aware of higher education policies and procedures and their impact. Thus, they can contribute a wealth of knowledge to this exchange.

The panel of faculty members will share some of their experiences and insights regarding the perceived challenges in higher education. They will be followed by the university president who will respond from a higher education administrator's, perspective. The knowledge and experiences that these individuals bring to the forum should provide some motivating discussions.

Panelists



Dr. Donald Cunnigen
Professor of Sociology
Rhode Island University
Kingston, Rhode Island



Dr. Gordon Morgan
Professor of Sociology
University of Arkansas
Fayetteville, Arkansas



Dr. George L. Whaley
Professor of Human Resource Management
San Jose State University
San Jose, California

Presidents Panel *9:30 a.m.*



Dr. Charles U. Smith, Presiding
Emeritus Distinguished Professor
and Graduate Dean
Florida A&M University
Presidents Panel Committee Chair

Experiences, Insights, and Challenges in the Academy
From a Faculty Member's Perspective

Dr. Donald Cunnigen

Dr. Gordon Morgan

Dr. George L. Whaley



Experiences, Insights, and a Response to the Challenges
from an Administrator's Perspective

Dr. Ronald L. Carter
President
Johnson C. Smith University
Charlotte, North Carolina

Questions and Answers

Closing Remarks