Past Leadership Symposium Topics and Speakers

2013: **CHALLENGES IN HIGHER EDUCATION** Thriving: A new vision for student success
Laurie A. Scheirner, Ph.D. Chair and Professor, Department of Doctoral Higher Education, Azusa Pacific University
David L. Ferguson, Ph.D. Associate Provost for Diversity and Inclusion, Stony Brook University
Jerrold L. Stein, Ph.D. Dean of Students, Stony Brook University
A Panel of SBU students

2012: **CHALLENGES IN HIGHER EDUCATION** Closing the Gaps: Promoting College Access and Success for Low-income Students
Jennifer Engle, Ph.D. The Education Trust
David Bynum, Ph.D. Stony Brook University
Cheryl D. Hamilton, M.A. Stony Brook University
A Panel of SBU students

2011: **CHALLENGES IN HIGHER EDUCATION: Overcoming Challenges and Redesigning for Success**
Adrianna J. Kezar, Ph.D., University of California
Charles L. Robbins, D.S.W., Stony Brook University
Peter M. Baigent, Ed.D Stony Brook University

2010: **CHALLENGES IN HIGHER EDUCATION: Crossing the Finish Line: Access to Success**
Matthew M. Chingos, co-author of *Crossing the Finish Line*
Emily H. Thomas, Director, Office of Planning and Institutional Research

2009: **CHALLENGES IN HIGHER EDUCATION: Purpose Reconsidered**
Dr. Richard Keeling, Principal and Senior Executive Consultant for Keeling & Associates, LLC
Dr. Charles L. Robbins, Associate Dean, School of Social Welfare
Provost Eric Kaler, Stony Brook University

2008: **CHALLENGES IN HIGHER EDUCATION: Beyond the Rhetoric, Creating Healthy Campus Communities**
Dr. William McDonald, Vice President for Student Life, Presbyterian College
Dr. Dennis Heitzmann, Senior Director, Center for Counseling & Counseling Psychology, Penn State
Dr. Charles L. Robbins, Associate Dean for Academic Affairs, Stony Brook University

2007: **CHALLENGES IN HIGHER EDUCATION: The African American Male Experience**
Dr. Tyrone Bledsoe, Executive Director, Students African American Brotherhood (S.A.A.B.)
Dr. Ivory Toldson, Assistant Professor, Howard University
Dr. Olufemi Vaughn, Professor and Associate Provost, Stony Brook University

2006: **LEADERSHIP FOR CIVIC ENGAGEMENT**
Dr. Thomas Buchanan, President, University of Wyoming
Dr. Larry R. Faulkner, Past President, University of Texas at Austin; President Houston Endowment, Inc.
Dr. Peter B. Vaughan, Dean, School of Social Services, Fordham University/ Lincoln Center Campus

2005: **VISIONARY LEADERSHIP: Moral Challenges For Today’s Universities**
Dr. Shirley Strum Kenny, Stony Brook University
Dr. C.D. Mote, Jr., President, University of Maryland at College Park
Dr. Timothy White, President, University of Idaho
Dr. Frances L. Brisbane, Dean, School of Social Welfare, Stony Brook University

2004: **VALUE-CENTERED LEADERSHIP IN HIGHER EDUCATION**
Thomas J. Schwarz, Esq., SUNY Purchase
Dr. Stephen Joel Trachtenberg, George Washington University
Dr. Barbara W. White, Dean, School of Social Work, University of Texas-Austin

2003: **ETHICAL LEADERSHIP: Challenges To Learning Communities**
Dr. John H. Marburger, III, Science Advisor to the President of the United States
Dr. Terry Mizrahi, Pres., Nat. Assoc. of Social Workers; Dir. of Educ., Ctr. for Community Organizing, Hunter College

2002: **LEADERSHIP IN CRISIS TIMES**
Dr. Ray M. Bowen Texas A&M University
Dr. David A. Caputo, Pace University
Carol J. Carmody, Vice Chair, National Transportation Safety Board
2001: CAMPUS & COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENTS: Engineering New Partnerships
Dr. Lattie F. Coor, Arizona State University
Dr. Carl V. Patton, Georgia State University
Dr. Norman A. Brown, Chair Points of Light Foundation Board, Pres. Emeritus, W.K. Kellogg Foundation

2000: INCREASED VIOLENCE: Implications for the Educational Community
Dr. William E. Kirwan, The Ohio State University
Dr. Marie V. McDermont, Norfolk State University
Dr. Gordana Rabrenovic, Assoc. Dir., Brudnick Ctr. on Violence & Social Conflict, Northeastern University

1999: CHALLENGES OF AN INTERNATIONAL LEARNING COMMUNITY
Dr. Louis J. Agnese, Jr., University of The Incarnate Word
Dr. Gregory S. Prince, Jr. Hampshire College
Mariene M. Johnson, CEO, Association of International Educators

1998: CROSS-CULTURAL CONFLICT IN THE EDUCATION COMMUNITY
Dr. Frank G. Pogue, Jr., Edinboro University of Pennsylvania
Dr. Graham B. Spanier, Penn State University
Dr. Bruce R. Hare, Professor, Africana Studies, Syracuse University

1997: STUDENT COMMUNITY WELLNESS
Dr. Isara Santiago Santiago, Hostos Community College
Dr. Robert H. Suzuki, California State Polytechnic University
Dr. Charles E. Glassick, Interim President, Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching

1996: STUDENT COMMUNITY WELLNESS
Dr. Frederick L. Ahearn, Dean, School of Social Services, Catholic University
Dr. Marvalene Hughes, California State University/ Stanislaus
Dr. Arthur Levine, Teachers College at Columbia University