

# New Professionals Workshop



**September 7-8, 2006  
Holiday Inn, Mt. Pleasant**

**Workshop Registration:** Please contact Kristin McGowan at (248) 370-2113 or [mcgowan@oakland.edu](mailto:mcgowan@oakland.edu) . The registration fee will cover all your food and conference materials. Send \$100 registration fee no later than September 8, 2006 to:

Office of Admissions and Orientation  
Attn: Kristin McGowan  
101 North Foundation Hall  
Rochester, MI 48309

**Hotel Registration:** Hotel rooms are \$65 per night and must be reserved via telephone at (989) 772-2905 and you must request to be a part of the MACRAO room block. To receive this rate please reserve a room by August 31, 2006. Also, if you are traveling from a far distance please feel free to reserve a room on Wednesday night for this same rate.

**Attire:**

Thursday: Business casual during the day events

Friday: Jeans or khakis and a school shirt.

Lastly, we request that you to bring a raffle prize from your school; this can be a t-shirt, water bottle, blanket, etc.

We look forward to seeing you at the New Professionals workshop this September and wish you a safe journey to Mt. Pleasant.

Sincerely,

The Secondary Schools Relations Committee

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Thursday September 7, 2006

- 8:30 am Registration  
9:15 am Welcome and Introductions  
9:30 am FISH Philosophy  
Dan Gaken, Central Michigan University  
Coordinator of Student Leadership Development  
10:30 am Icebreaker  
10:45 am Keynote Speaker  
Betty Wagner  
Director of Admissions  
Central Michigan University  
11:45 am Icebreaker  
12:00 pm Lunch  
1:00 pm MACRAO Day/Night Guidelines  
MACAC Statement of Principles of Good  
Practice  
2:00 pm What about the FAFSA?  
Shari Luck-Kettering/Doug Potter  
Central Michigan University  
2:45 pm Fitness Break  
3:00 pm Serving Diverse Populations  
Sedgwick Harris  
Director of Admissions/College Life  
Kellogg Community College  
4:00 pm Icebreaker-Competition  
Winner announced and prizes awarded at dinner  
5:30 pm Optional-Social Hour  
Boomers Night Club  
6:30 pm Dinner  
8:30 pm Bowling

Friday September 8, 2006

- 8:00 am    **Breakfast**
- 9:00 am    **High School Visit Expectations**  
            Jen Verlerger  
            Mount Pleasant High School
- 9:45 am    **Group Photo**
- 10:00 am   **The Millennial Generation**  
            Vicki Bassett  
            Assistant Director of Admissions  
            Aquinas College
- 10:30 am   **Presentation Skills**  
            Shari Luck  
            Kettering University
- 11:00 am   **Survival Skills**  
            Dena Russell  
            Assistant Director of Admissions  
            Northern Michigan University
- 11:30 pm   **Wrap-Up**