**35th ANNUAL UNIVERSITY OF CENTRAL OKLAHOMA**

**Multicultural Education Institute**

***Celebrating the Mosaic of Diversity***

**Friday-Saturday, February 23-24, 2018**

**CALL FOR PRESENTATIONS**

**DEADLINE: JANUARY 12, 2018**

Sponsored by: C.L. Huffman & Associates • Department of Curriculum Instruction, University of Central Oklahoma • English Department, University of Central Oklahoma • Latino Community Development Agency • Mid-Del Public Schools • Oklahoma Association for Bilingual Education • Oklahoma Center for Community and Justice • Oklahoma City Public Schools • Oklahoma State Regents for Higher Education • Oklahoma State Department of Education • Project ENGAGE, University of Central Oklahoma • Putnam City Public Schools • Respect Diversity Foundation • College of Education and Professional Studies at the University of Central Oklahoma

Participants include teachers/professors, graduate and undergraduate students, teacher assistants, school administrators and other interested persons. College credit is available to participants.

Proposals for presentations should relate to the institute theme “Celebrating the Mosaic of Diversity.” Consider how your presentation can promote understanding and appreciation of the value and challenges of education in culturally, linguistically diverse schools. What knowledge, tools or practical strategies can you suggest? Presentations should (1) provide interactive, hands-on experiences or (2) focus on knowledge or processes for immediate application in a school setting. **Presenters are encouraged to provide a handout for participants.**

**Suggested topics:**

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| **COMMUNICATION/****LANGUAGE ACQUISITION*** Conflict Resolution
* Cross-Cultural Communication
* Human Relations
* Language Development
 |  | **COMMUNITY*** Parent, Community and Business Involvement
* Needs Assessment
* Resources
 | **CULTURE*** Cultural Awareness
* Cultural Identity
* Comparative Studies
* History and Traditions
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**Educational Services to Linguistically and Culturally Diverse Students and students with disabilities**

* Assessment, Placement and Evaluation
* Counseling
* Learning/Teaching Strategies
* Curriculum and Materials
* Coordination of Services - Administrative Issues

Complete all sections of the Call for Presentations form. Only fully completed forms will be considered.

Registration fee will be waived if presentation is accepted.

For additional information, contact:

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**Form is fillable. Add your information, save, print, and submit to address below.**

Name of Primary Contact (Please print name as you want it to appear in the program. **For co-presenters, please attach additional sheets**.)

[ ]  Dr. [ ]  Ms. [ ] Mr. **Primary Contact:**

**Title and Organization/Agency:**

**Primary Contact Address:**

**City:**       **State:**       **Zip:**

**Office Telephone:**       **Mobile Telephone:**       **FAX:**

**Email address:**

**Race or Ethnicity (optional):**       **Gender (optional):** [ ]  M [ ]  F

**Title of Presentation:**

**Write a brief description of the presentation for the conference program (maximum - 75 words)**

**All concurrent sessions are 75 minutes in length. Are you willing to repeat this session?** [ ]  No [ ]  Yes

**Equipment needed:** **\*Note: Presenters will need to provide their own laptop.**

[ ]  Chart Board [ ]  Easel [ ]  PowerPoint Projector

[ ]  Other – Specify:

**Are special seating arrangements needed?**  [ ]  No [ ]  Yes please describe:

**If your presentation is accepted, will you use the complimentary registration to attend?**

 [ ]  Yes [ ]  No Banquet Program (February 23, 7:00-9:30 p.m.)

 [ ]  Yes [ ]  No Saturday Luncheon (February 24, 11:30-1:45 p.m.)

**MAIL OR FAX completed form and brief bio-sketch (on separate paper) to be used for introduction purposes to:**

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| **DUE DATE IS JANUARY 12, 2018. Notification of acceptance will be emailed in early February 2018.** |