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**NATIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR
MULTICULTURAL EDUCATION**
Advocates for Educational Equity and Social Justice

NAME's 2009 Annual International Conference In Denver

October 28 — November 1

Grand Hyatt Hotel

**A Mile High Commitment to Change: Reaching New Heights
in Equity & Social Justice
Throughout the Global Community**

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The NAME Conference
is the largest annual meeting of
leading Multicultural Education
teachers, practitioners, activists,
scholars and researchers.

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Central points to NAME's philosophy:

- To respect and appreciate cultural diversity;
- To promote the understanding of unique cultural and ethnic heritages;
- To promote the development of culturally responsive and responsible curricula and pedagogy;

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More central points to NAME's philosophy :

- To facilitate acquisition of the attitudes, skills, knowledge and dispositions needed to function in a multicultural society;
- To eliminate racism and discrimination in society; and,
- To achieve social, political, economic and educational equity for all members of society.

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NAME believes that Multicultural Education...

provides equity for all
regardless of culture, ethnicity, race,
class, language, age, gender,
sexual orientation, disability,
religion, immigration or marital status.

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NAME believes that Multicultural Education....

- is essential for all learners;
- incorporates every aspect of education;
- promotes excellence and opportunities;
- provides targeted strategies that guarantee high achievement for all our students; and,
- is a fundamental principle of democracy.



NAME believes that Multicultural Education must address school improvement through ...

- curriculum content
- teaching methodology
- school climate
- student-staff interactions
- parent involvement
- professional development
- pedagogy, policy and practice.

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NAME is where...

- research and theory move to informed action and practice.
- teachers and practitioners connect with researchers and scholars.
- PreK-12 and Higher Ed connect.
- rich, cutting-edge educational resources and strategies abound.

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Attending the NAME Conference provides:

- Outstanding professional development
- Networking with national experts
- Exposure to cutting edge strategies
and resources
- A learning environment that stimulates,
energizes and inspires

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NAME Conference provide special programs for:

Students— Grad, Under-Grad and High School

Teachers of all levels, preK-16+

Counselors and social workers

Cultural studies practitioners

Activists and advocates

Administrators

Policy Makers

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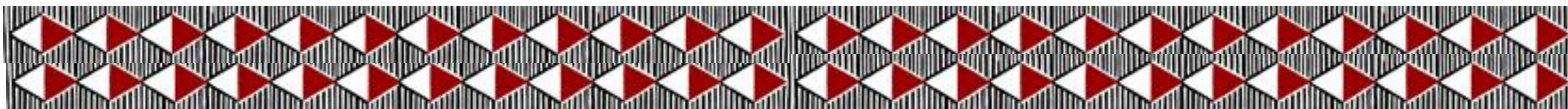
Special Conference Programs

- *Friday, Oct. 30:*
Student Diversity Day for high school students



- *Saturday, Oct. 31:*
PreK-12 Institute for teachers and practitioners

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Conference Components:

Pre-Conference Institutes--Weds., Oct. 28

Keynote Lectures

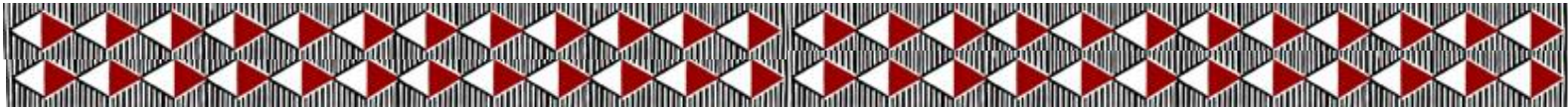
Over 200 Concurrent Sessions

Multicultural Video Festival

Conversations with Leading Authors

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More Conference Components:

Networking Opportunities

Job Bank and Exhibit Hall

New Resources and Materials

Awards for Outstanding Work

Cultural Tours and Adventures

Local School Visits

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Add your voice to NAME in Denver 2009!

Call for Presenters
application
is currently available on
the NAME web site:

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Deadline: March 31, 2009



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