

**Conference Dates**

September 24–27, 2008

**Conference Site**

Condado Plaza Hotel  
San Juan, Puerto Rico

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**The Conference**

The purpose of the conference is to encourage an international dialog on topics related to research in access, developmental education, learning assistance, and diversity in postsecondary education that promotes:

- Current Research in the Field
- Research-Based Classroom Techniques
- Current Instructional Methods
- Assessment Instruments
- Research Activity
- Professional Networking

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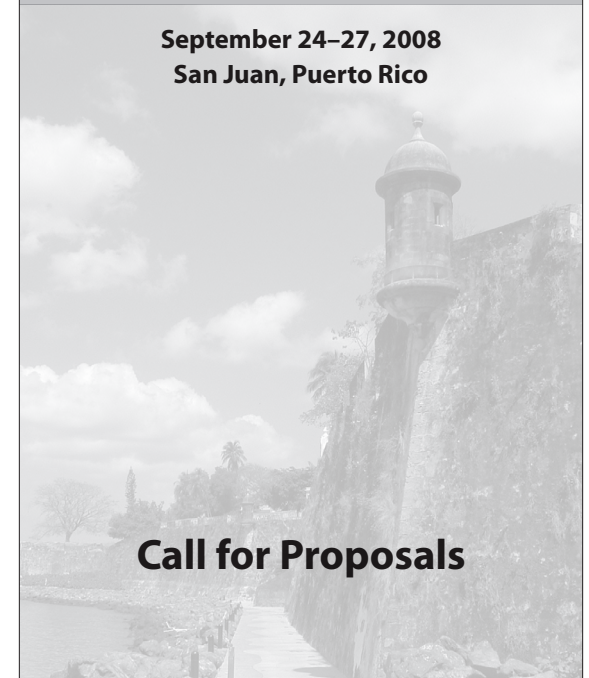
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### Call for Proposals

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### Submitting a proposal

1. Complete proposal form (type)
2. Prepare abstract/teaching plan/summary and copresenter sheet(s).
3. Send three copies of form and all attachments via post or email by April 1, 2008 to

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**Deadline for Proposals:  
April 1, 2008**

## Call for Proposals

Please complete and mail or visit [www.ncde.appstate.edu/cfp](http://www.ncde.appstate.edu/cfp) to submit electronically.

The Conference Program Committee welcomes proposals on any topic related to developmental or access education and related support services for underprepared college students. Proposals should, however, be grounded in research or represent completed or ongoing evaluation or research. Appropriate proposals might include reports of program activities based on research and theory, reviews of assessment instruments and techniques, results from master's theses or doctoral dissertations, reports of ongoing program evaluation, reviews of literature, models for evaluation, summaries and analyses of state or local data collection activities, or research-based theories or models, especially those including application to goals related to diversifying higher education.

### Primary Presenter *(responsible for correspondence)*

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Title \_\_\_\_\_  I am willing to be a moderator

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*Answer items 2, 3, and 4 on a separate sheet(s). List name, title, institutional affiliation, and mailing address of copresenters on a cover sheet.*

1. **Session title:** \_\_\_\_\_
2. **Abstract:** Describe your session in a 250-word abstract. Include (a) objectives, (b) research methods, (c) results, and (d) implications for improved practices in developmental education.
3. **Teaching plan for session:** Describe how you will carry out the session and the teaching methods you will use. Bear in mind the importance of active engagement of the participants in your session.
4. **Summary:** Write a summary of your presentation (minimum 30 words, maximum 50 words). If your proposal is accepted, this summary will appear in the conference program.
5. **Session preference:**  60 minutes  90 minutes *Session length cannot be guaranteed.*
6. **Equipment needed:**  Overhead projector  Flipchart  Projection screen  
*Other equipment may be available for a fee.*
7. Are you willing to make your presentation more than once?  Yes  No

*Note: Presenters are responsible for registration and conference fees.*