



North Carolina Alliance to Create
Opportunity Through Education

MENTORING WORKSHOP FOR CURRENT & FUTURE FACULTY

Mentoring & Diversity - Gateway to Empowerment

The Workshop will feature a panel discussion titled "Mentoring as a Means to Increase the Participation of Underrepresented Groups". The panel members are recipients of the Presidential Awards for Excellence in Science, Mathematics, and Engineering Mentoring:

Martha Absher, Assistant Dean of Education and Outreach, Pratt School of Engineering, Duke University

Winser E. Alexander, Ph.D., Professor of Electrical and Computer Engineering, North Carolina State University

Vallie Guthrie, Ed.D., Associate Professor of Education, Director of Greensboro Area Math & Science Education Center, North Carolina A&T State University

Tony L. Mitchell, Ph.D., Assistant Dean of Engineering Student Services: College of Engineering and Professor of Electrical and Computer Engineering, North Carolina State University (Institution Award)

Christine Grant, Ph.D., Professor of Chemical and Biomolecular Engineering and Associate Dean of Faculty Development and Special Initiatives: College of Engineering, North Carolina State University

Steven F. Watkins, Ph.D., Associate Professor and former Director of Graduate Studies, Department of Chemistry, Louisiana State University

Tanya Furman, Ph.D., Professor of Geosciences and Assistant Vice President and Associate Dean for Undergraduate Education, Pennsylvania State University

Jonathan F. K. Earle, Ph.D., Associate Dean of Student Affairs and Professor of Agricultural/Biological Engineering, University of Florida

Ricardo B. Jacquez, Ph.D., Professor of Civil Engineering and Director of New Mexico Alliance for Minority Participation, New Mexico State University

The agenda also features breakout sessions designed for current faculty members, post-docs, and graduate students.

**The McKimmon
Center**

at

**North Carolina
State University**

Monday,

March 31, 2008

8:15am* - 2:00pm

**Registration and continental breakfast start at 8:15am, sessions begin at 9:00am*

**Online registration
and additional
information available at
www.unc.edu/opt-ed**

Registration is open until Wednesday,
March 26, 2008 at 5pm

NC OPT-ED is an alliance of programs operating at NC A&T State University, NC State University, and UNC-Chapel Hill.

