

**"ADVANCING WOMEN IN
HIGHER EDUCATION"**

*WPUNJ ACE-NET
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***Words from our Institutional
Representative, Jane Austin***

Greetings!

It's good to be back and ACE-Net has hit the ground running this semester. As many of you know, ACE-Net's overarching goal is to address the needs of women and the issues relating to women's leadership in higher education. We have several exciting events planned and are dedicated to keeping you connected to resources and events happening at the state level as well. **Check out the back of this page for what's happening soon!**

WPU's ACE-Net chapter hopes to reach out to the women on campus and provide support for the development of leadership skills while also offering opportunities to network and develop lasting relationships.

So what are we doing at WPU? As your Institutional Representative, I am working with a terrific team of women to spread the word about the organization and set up some events that will hopefully inform and inspire you. We started out with our Annual ACE-Net Breakfast where we welcomed our new President, Kathy Waldron. It was a record turnout of over 80 women (and a few men, too). Dr. Waldron gave us some insights into her career path in higher education which was a fitting way to start out the new academic year for our group.

We're also running a Brown Bag Series so you can network with others on campus whom you otherwise might never have met. The first was a discussion held on October 8th led by Dr. Pixy Ferris on Promotion. The next meeting featured Dr. Elizabeth Haines who discussed her research on "Women in the Workplace" on November 1st. Susan Dinan is in charge of this series of discussions, so feel free to contact her with your ideas. We're also bringing in Dr. Mary Papazian, Provost at Lehman College, who will talk about negotiating what you're worth this Spring so look for more details in the coming weeks.

Other items on our agenda this year include the development of a website so we can communicate more efficiently with our members. We will also be researching the feasibility of a mentoring program on campus.

I'd like to encourage each and every one of you to attend the ACE-Net State Conference at Rutgers University on Friday, November 19th from 9:00am to 3:00pm. I know that it seems difficult to fit in yet another meeting, but you will find this a worthwhile event. Please feel free to contact me should you have questions or ideas. ACE-Net is about you so let's work together in building strong networks, support and opportunities.

Best Regards,
Jane

ACE-NET Steering Committee with President Kathy Waldron at the "Breakfast with the President", September 30, 2010

From left to right front:
President Waldron
Dorothy Feola
Nina Jemmott
Virginia Overdorf
Back:
Nancy Friend
Kate Makarec
Sandie Miller
Djanna Hill
Jane Austin



Statewide Fall Conference

Date: *Friday, November 19, 2010*

Time: *9:30 am - 3:00 pm*

Location: *Rutgers University (see details on next page)*

Women of Color Conference

Date: *Friday, February 25, 2011*

Time: *9:30 am - 1:00 pm*

Location: *Brookdale Community College*

Statewide Spring Conference

Date: *Friday, April 15, 2011*

Time: *9:30 am - 2:00 pm*

Location: *Middlesex County College*



*Save
The Dates!*

*New Jersey
ACE Net-
work*

*2010-2011
Conferences*

Wellergenics:

***Be the Leader in Your Work Life and Office Environment
Lead & Energize Your Immediate Work Environment
With The Power of One (YOU)***

Are you sick and tired of your work place being sick and tired???

*Is **Presenteeism*** more of a problem than **Absenteeism**?
'Ain't it awful' mindset? The choice is yours.*

Wellergenics:

***NJCUPA & NJACEnet
Welcomes you to a Joint Interactive Meeting***

***November 19, 2010
Rutgers University
9 am Registration
Rutgers Visitors Center***

The Leadership Edge

Supportive environment:

Whether it is at home or on the job, a supportive environment is how the spirit is embraced and fostered.

Connect: People yearn to connect with others to enrich their sense of meaning and belonging to something greater.

One Self in your personal and professional life: Don't leave your inner self home. Every day you wake up and go to work, you choose your atti-

****Mind & Spirit:** *Christine Ranck, Ph.D., Ignite the Genius Within*

Body: *Chair Massages*

***** Corporate Citizenship:** *Ania's World of Goods (<http://www.aniasworldofgoods.com/>)*

Rewards: *Non-monetary that spark enthusiasm*

Communication & Fun: *Dr. Kathleen Reddick, Positive Work Culture*

Health Care Reform: *How will new legislation impact institutions of Higher Learning:*

*If you don't know what **Presenteeism** is, you must come!

**Spirit is not religion. It is all-inclusive and interconnected enthusiasm.

*****Jewelry Sales** to benefit women in Third World Countries will **improve your body** through accessorizing, and **boost your spirit** through giving to the world community, and **spark your mind** through the bargains that you'll find in jewelry, bags, and pashminas. (PS. Start your holiday shopping early.)

Ignite Your Creative Genius Within
In this new world, creativity and “whole-brainers” will rule the future.
Christine Ranck, PhD

As our everyday world has become more overwhelming and detailed, we have shifted away from our inherent and ancient whole-brain awareness—to a decidedly left-brain focus. Thus, we have little confidence in our intuitive, connective, holistic, compassionate, optimistic, spiritual and creative abilities. We’re on the brink of the most extraordinary global changes in human history. NO ONE knows what this new world will look like. Using the latest discoveries about the brain, fun facts and concepts from quantum physics, as well as images and sound, explore how we can unlock our creative genius and expand our awareness about life and what we’re doing here in the cosmos.

Christine Ranck, PhD, is co-author of the innovative, consciousness-expanding creativity book, *Ignite the Genius Within*. She is a trauma therapist and psychoanalyst in NYC, and a nationally known motivational speaker on freeing creativity. Her ground-breaking work in healing trauma and enhancing creativity has been featured in numerous newspaper and magazine articles, books, on radio and television, and in several documentary films. She has appeared on many national talk shows, including *The Today Show*. Christine is also a professional singer whose pop vocal trio, *Jukebox Jane*, performs all over the world. Christine has brought her creativity workshops to: The Open Center, NYC; Deloitte and Touche; Amnesty International; International Women’s Writing Guild; Lucent Technologies; National Organization for Women, Esalen Institute, United Nations SRC Enlightenment Society, as well as many others.

www.ChristineRanck.com www.IgniteTheGeniusWithin.com

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Positive Work Culture , Dr. Kathleen Reddick is an Associate Professor and former Director of the Graduate Program in Management at the College of St. Elizabeth. Dr. Reddick also served as Director of Continuing Education and Training for the Metropolitan New York Library Council; held a cabinet-level position at Seton Hall University. She currently serves as an Occupational and Course Evaluator for the American Council on Education for Corporate and Military site visits, and a professor and consultant for Stevens Institute of Technology in collaboration with the NJ Department of Labor to conduct training for the Healthcare profession statewide. Reddick has presented at international, national and regional conferences, including: Human Resources Roundtable at Oxford University, UK; Global Business & Finance Conference in Costa Rica; International Business Conference in Honolulu, Hawaii; International Federation of Training and Development Organisations (IFTDO) Annual Conference, Trinity College in Dublin Ireland. Reddick is President Emeritus of NJ College and University Professional Association for Human Resources, after a 10 year tenure; Chair of the National Financial Advisory Administration (NFAA); a member of the Board of Directors of the American Council on Education New Jersey Chapter of ACENET; and serves on several national training boards.

NJ (ACE) Network is the state chapter of the American Council on Education (ACE) Office of Women in Higher Education, a national organization that seeks to identify, support and advance women in administrative positions in higher education. Our website, www.njacenet.org, has information about our mission, our goals and our activities.

NJ CUPA-HR is the state chapter of the College and University Professional Association for Human Resources (CUPA-HR), which provides global leadership to the higher education human resources profession and the higher education community by offering essential knowledge, resources and connections that enhance individual and institutional capacity and competitiveness. <http://www.cupahr.org>

Wellergenics
NJCUPA-HR and NJ ACE Network
Registration Form

Friday, November 19, 2010

9:30am-3:00pm

Rutgers University

Visitors Center

New Brunswick

Please complete this form and return via email to Manina.Urgolo-Huckvale@shu.edu

Payment in the amount of \$30.00 per person, made payable to NJ ACE Network, can be mailed to:

Manina Urgolo Huckvale, Ed.D., Associate Dean
College of Education and Human Services
Seton Hall University
400 South Orange Avenue
South Orange, NJ 07079

Checks should be made payable to NJ ACE NETWORK (Tax ID # 53-0196573). *(Please duplicate for additional participants.)*

Name: _____

Institution: _____

Address: _____

Phone number and e-mail: _____

Please bring a guest (or two)!

Enclosed is my check for \$ _____ (\$30.00)

REGISTRATION DEADLINE is Friday, November 12, 2010.

Registration and continental breakfast at 9:00 a.m. Program begins promptly at 9:30 a.m.

Lunch follows morning program.

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Directions to the Visitors Center: <http://rumaps.rutgers.edu/?q=bnum:3904>