The Role of and Opportunities for Higher Education in an Aging Society

Thursday, May 1, 2008
Dinner meeting beginning 6:30 pm at the Woodlands Inn and Resort, Wilkes-Barre, PA

Sponsored by Luzerne County Community College’s Workforce and Community Development Division and AARP-PA

Dr. Rick Moody, Judy Goggin, Phyllis Snyder, and Dr. Bernard Ulozas will meet with two and four-year college/university presidents along with faculty/staff from academic affairs, workforce development, continuing education, alumni affairs, and public relations/development to discuss higher education institutions’ important role with the rapidly changing aging demographics and the exciting opportunities that exist in terms of educational outreach, alumni development, fund raising, grant, and research activities.

Harry R. Moody, Ph.D., is Director of Academic Affairs for AARP in Washington, DC. He also serves as Senior Associate with the International Longevity Center-USA and Senior Fellow for Civic Ventures. Dr. Moody previously served as Executive Director of the Brookdale Center on Aging at Hunter College and Chairman of the Board of Elderhostel.

Dr. Moody is the author of over 120 scholarly articles, as well as a number of books including: Abundance of Life: Human Development Policies for an Aging Society (Columbia University Press, 1988); Ethics in an Aging Society (Johns Hopkins University Press, 1992); and Aging: Concepts and Controversies, a gerontology textbook now in its 5th edition and ranked by Amazon.Com as the best-selling aging textbook in print. His most recent book, The Five Stages of the Soul, was published by Doubleday Anchor Books (1997) and has been translated into seven languages worldwide.

A graduate of Yale (1967) with a Ph.D. in philosophy from Columbia University (1973), Dr. Moody taught philosophy at Columbia, Hunter College, New York University, and the University of California at Santa Cruz. From 1999 to 2001 he served as National Program Director of the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation’s Faith in Action and, from 1992 to 1999, was Executive Director of the Brookdale Center at Hunter College. Before coming to Hunter, he served as Administrator of Continuing Education Programs for the Citicorp Foundation and later as Co-Director of the National Aging Policy Center of the National Council on Aging in Washington, DC.

Judy Goggin is a Vice President for Civic Ventures. She is based in Boston and currently leads the development of the Civic Ventures Next Chapter Initiative. She has worked in the field of aging and lifelong learning for more than 25 years. Prior to joining Civic Ventures in 2001 Judy was associated with Elderhostel for 18 years where she served as Vice President for U.S. Programs and was involved in the development of Elderhostel's Service Learning programs and the Elderhostel Institute Network, a membership organization of Lifelong Learning Institutes. She began her career in the field of continuing education where she was involved in the early development of external degrees and credit for prior learning at colleges in Oregon and Colorado. Goggin speaks, conducts workshops for national organizations, and writes for publications in the areas of aging, higher education, civic engagement, and encore careers. She serves in an advisory capacity for several national organizations and initiatives including AARP, The American Society on Aging, The National Council on the Aging, The Transition Network and The American Libraries Council.

Civic Ventures is a think tank and an incubator, generating ideas and inventing programs to help society achieve the greatest return on experience. Founded in the late 1990s by social entrepreneur Marc Freedman, Civic Ventures is reframing the debate about aging in America and redefining the second half of life as a source of social and individual renewal. Through research, publishing, conferences, and media outreach, Civic Ventures reports on the growth of the experience movement. Through programs and consulting, Civic Ventures brings together older adults...
with a passion for service and helps stimulate opportunities for using their talents to advance the greater good. In these ways, Civic Ventures is helping America realize an experience dividend.

**Phyllis Snyder**, Vice President of CAEL, has consulted with organizations to increase the quality and availability of learning opportunities for their workforce during the last thirteen years. With funding from the US Department of Labor, she has designed a Nursing Career Lattice program using the apprenticeship model that has been implemented in nine states. She has studied the implications of the aging workforce on business and has developed programs to help address the transition to an encore career.

Phyllis is a graduate of Smith College and holds master’s degrees in education from Harvard University and in City Planning from the University of Pennsylvania

**Bernard Ulozas, D.A.** Served as a training specialist and researcher for the Space and Naval Warfare Systems Center, San Diego, California where his primary research focus areas involved human capital development and business intelligence. He has worked for the Department of Defense, mainly with the US Navy, in leadership and research positions involved with technical curriculum development, instruction, evaluation of training programs as well as the design and development of training systems utilizing computer based technologies.

He has also taught at the college and university levels in various academic fields including History, Psychology, Instructional Leadership, Management, and for approximately 15 years in the Department of Workforce Development with Southern Illinois University.

Dr. Ulozas received a Bachelor of Arts degree in History from King’s College in 1974, a Master of Arts degree in History from Carnegie-Mellon University in 1976 and a Doctor of Arts degree in History with emphasis in Curriculum Development from Carnegie-Mellon University in 1980.

**REGISTRATION INFORMATION**

**Registration Fee:** $49 payable to Luzerne County Community College. The fee includes instruction, materials, and dinner. If using a purchase order, please attach it to a completed registration form and mail as quickly as possible. Register early since enrollment is limited. Please register no later than **Thursday, April 24** to provide adequate time for planning. *Please be advised -- registrations will not be held without payment. Payment must be received one week prior to the event.*

**Location:** The program will be held at the Luzerne County Community College’s Educational Conference Center, Nanticoke, PA. For driving instructions and campus map visit: [http://www.luzerne.edu/about/welcome.jsp](http://www.luzerne.edu/about/welcome.jsp)

**Cancellations and Substitutions:** You may cancel your registration up to 10 business days before the program (i.e. April 19) and the LCCC Continuing Education Dept. will refund your registration fee less a $10 cancellation fee. There are no refunds after April 17. Substitutions may be made at any time.

**How to Register:**

- Call Rebecca McCaffrey, LCCC Workforce and Community Development Division, at 800-377-5222, ext 602. Email is rmccaffrey@luzerne.edu
- Fax registration form to: **(570) 740-0605**
- Mail registration form to:
  Rebecca McCaffrey  
  Luzerne County Community College  
  Workforce and Community Development Division  
  1333 S. Prospect Street  
  Nanticoke, PA 18634-3899
Registration Form

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