

37th Annual Meeting and Awards Dinner



Conference Theme: Civic Education -- Building One Citizen at a Time

The Founding Fathers placed a high value on civic education:

Wisdom and knowledge, as well as virtue, diffused generally among the body of people, being necessary for the preservation of their rights and liberties ... it shall be the duty of legislators and magistrates in all future periods of this commonwealth to cherish the interests of literature and the sciences, and all seminaries of them

-- John Adams

Above all things I hope the education of the common people will be attended to, convinced that on their good sense we may rely with the most security for the preservation of a due degree of liberty.

-- Thomas Jefferson



UNC Wilmington
14-15 March 2008

FRIDAY, MARCH 14

FRIDAY 2:45 to 4:15

PANEL 1

Wrightsville Beach Room (FSC-2017)

GLOBAL ISSUES ROUNDTABLE

Victor E. Archibong, Greensboro College, Moderator

Jennifer Horan, UNC Wilmington

Rolin Mainuddin, North Carolina Central University

Ngonzi C. Kamalu, Fayetteville State University

Fred Swan, scholar

PANEL 2

Bald Head Island Room (FSC-1023)

STUDENT PANEL ON INTERNATIONAL SECURITY

Daniel Masters, UNC Wilmington, Chair

Jonathan Maready, UNC Wilmington

Cooperation and Its Impact on Individual State Sovereignty

Richard Migliara, UNC Wilmington

Shadow Companies: The Impact of Defense Contractors in Warfare

Lethia Williams, UNC Wilmington

Promoting Democracy through Military Intervention: An Analysis of the Post-World War II Era

Diandra Frommer, Western Carolina University

Resolving Reality: The War in Iraq from the British Perspective

Julie A. Kenneally, Elon University

Women who Kill and the Media that Makes them Famous: A Study of How the Media Covers Female Suicide Terrorism

Carmine Scavo, East Carolina University, Discussant

PANEL 3

Sunset Beach Room (FSC-1025)

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION PANEL

Ted Arrington, UNC Charlotte, Chair

William Albrecht, UNC Pembroke

Public Pension Funds & Value at Risk

Rishore Raga, UNC Pembroke

Ethics and Public Sector Procurement (Contracting): A South African Perspective

Kweku Ainuson, Clemson University

An Advocacy Coalition Approach to Water Policy in China: A Critical Look at the Role of Civic Society

Jim Corey, High Point University, Discussant

5:00 - 6:00	NCPSA BUSINESS MEETING	Lumina Theater (FSC-1008)
6:00 - 7:00	WINE AND CHEESE RECEPTION Welcome from UNCW Chancellor Rosemary DePaolo	Clock Tower Lounge (FSC-2000)
7:00	NCPSA AWARDS DINNER Keynote speaker: John Hood , president, John Locke Foundation "North Carolina and the 2008 Election"	Warwick Center Ballroom #1

SATURDAY, MARCH 15

8:00 - 10:00

CONFERENCE REGISTRATION

Lobby of Clock Tower (FSC-2000)

SATURDAY, 9:00 to 10:30

Wrightsville Beach Room (FSC-2017)

NORTH CAROLINA POLITICS ROUNDTABLE

James Corey, Moderator

Carolyn Justice, 16th District Representative & Deputy Minority Whip, NC State House

John Hood, President, John Locke Foundation

Lee Johnston, UNC Wilmington

Gareth McGrath, Staff Writer, *Wilmington Star News*

SATURDAY, 10:45 to 12:15

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Wrightsville Beach Room (FSC-2017)

THE PRESIDENTIAL NOMINATING PROCESS ROUNDTABLE

Charles Prysby, UNC Greensboro, Moderator

Ted Arrington, UNC Charlotte

Walt DeVries, UNC Wilmington

Peter Francia, East Carolina University

Roger Lowery UNC Wilmington

PANEL 2

Bald Head Island Room (FSC-1023)

LAW AND POLITICS PANEL

Fred Swan, Chair/Discussant

Don Livingston, Claudia Bryant and Sarah Kehrberg, Western Carolina University
Presidential Body Language

Molly Creel, Peace College

The U.S. Constitution as a Leadership Document

PANEL 3

Sunset Beach Room (FSC-1025)

STUDENT PANEL ON POLITICAL ETHICS

Ambrous Jacobs, Bennett College, Chair

David Young, Western Carolina University

Inevitable Storm: How the Failure of Communications, Courage, and Common Sense
Doomed New Orleans

Josh Miller, Western Carolina University

Justice: A Philosophical Study of the Death Penalty

David Hallinan, National University of Ireland Galway

Dialectics and Autonomy: The Progressive Marxism of Sartre's 'Critique of
Dialectical Reason'

John Mero, High Point University, Discussant
