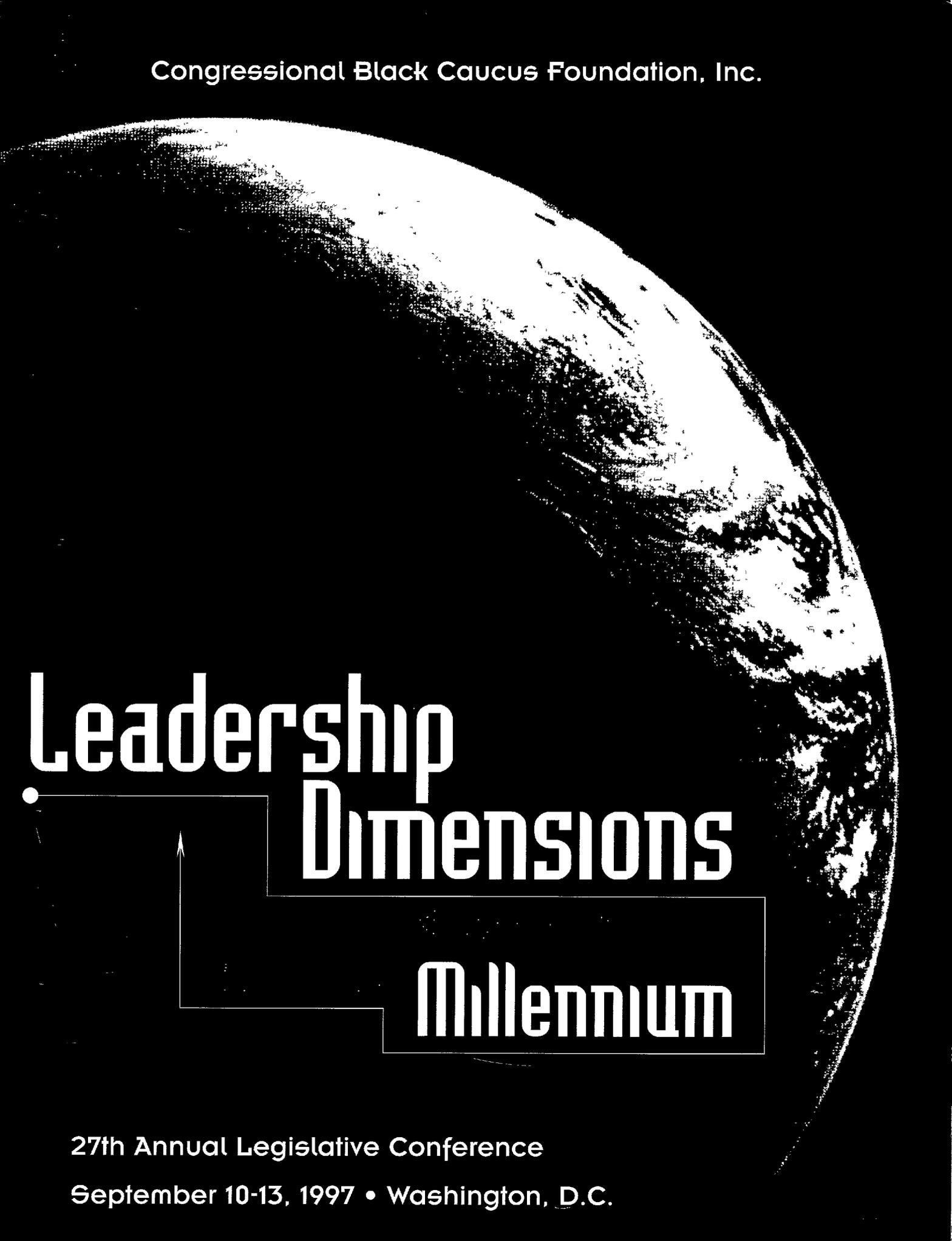


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On behalf

of the Congressional Black Caucus Foundation (CBCF), I enthusiastically welcome you to the 27th Annual Legislative Caucus (ALC).

The ALC is one of the nation's preeminent conferences. Its goals are to present a National Town Hall Meeting and Congressional Issue Forums and Braintrusts on a range of topics of concern to the African-American community; to give recognition to CBC members and other outstanding achievers in government, business and community service through awards and recognition programs; to raise funds to support CBCF educational programs, publications, non-partisan public policy and research efforts; and to provide a networking opportunity for a broad cross section of African-American leaders and individuals.

The ALC theme this year—"Leadership Dimensions for the New Millennium"—speaks to the interests of many of you who are on the forefront of providing policy direction, establishing networks and facilitating change in our communities, whether we're acting locally, nationally or globally.

We join you in looking toward the new century with excitement and great anticipation. I am encouraged about the new millennium. When I see the caliber of leaders who participate in the ALC every year, I look at what lies ahead as a time filled with promise, an era primed for progress, a season ripe with possibilities.

So as we go about the activities of the ALC in the next few days, it is my hope that we take away from this event some ideas, a set of suggestions, a list of business contacts — any resource that will help make our communities a little better. I sincerely believe that change is possible if we act in unification locally and nationally.

Again, welcome to the ALC.



Mr. LeBaron Taylor

CHAIRMAN / CONGRESSIONAL BLACK CAUCUS FOUNDATION, INC.

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It is my distinct honor to welcome you to the Congressional Black Caucus Foundation's 27th Annual Legislative Conference. Since its beginning, the Conference has brought together African American leaders from across the country—elected officials, community activists, government appointees and grassroots workers. The participants represent all walks of life—from great urban centers in New York and California, to rural hamlets and towns in Mississippi and South Carolina. This year's theme, "Leadership Dimensions for the New Millennium," emphasizes the urgent need for us to fortify ourselves for the challenges we are destined to face in the 21st century.

This has been an extraordinary year. We have celebrated the 50th anniversary of Jackie Robinson desegregating major league baseball. We have seen athletes of color achieve extraordinary levels of professional and economic visibility and success. The Michael Jordans and the Tiger Woods of the world have established new levels of excellence in their fields. But we misspeak and mislead if we suggest that Michael Jordan and Tiger Woods represent the transcendence of economic equity and professional liberty in our society today. They do not. For all the doors that may have been opened in fields such as athletics, entertainment and even politics, other doors are being narrowed or even closed at the same time.

Over the last few years, there has been an all-out assault on affirmative action programs and we have experienced disturbing reports of discriminatory practices at some of our nation's best-known corporations. Several states have passed anti-affirmative action laws, and as a result, some of our most prestigious public universities will enroll few, and in some instances, no African American students in their professional schools this fall. And yes, there is even legislation in Congress that would, if made into law, prohibit any form of affirmative action in the federal government.

But such contradictions and contrasts are not new. A century ago, African Americans were voting and being elected to public office throughout the country, and in a matter of a few years, those rights and responsibilities were taken away by poll taxes, literacy tests and other policies and practices that diluted black voting power and relegated people of color to almost a century of second-class citizenship. Today, we seem to be experiencing what Yogi Berra might describe as, "Deja vu all over again".

The profile of the average American in the twenty-first century will include diverse racial and ethnic distinctions more prominently than ever before—African American, Asian American, Hispanic American, Anglo American, Native American and so on. We must be prepared for an increasingly competitive and contentious society. As leaders, we must be ready and we must train new and younger generations of leaders who value the rights we hold dear.

Thank you for your support of our 27th Annual Legislative Conference and for your sustaining commitment over these many years.



Hon. James E. Clyburn

HONORARY CHAIRMAN, ANNUAL LEGISLATIVE CONFERENCE

Dear Friends:

As Chair of the Congressional Black Caucus, I am happy to welcome you to the 27th Annual Legislative Conference (ALC).

Each year, the ALC allows the members of the CBC, primarily through the Braintrusts and Issue Forums, the opportunity to interact with the people we serve. It also allows us the chance to educate and inform our constituents about the legislative and public policy issues we grapple with each day in Congress.

In the 105th Congress, the CBC has developed an agenda and legislative initiatives to protect the hard fought gains that people of color and women have made over the past 30 years and to provide access to opportunities for all citizens. Specifically, the Agenda focuses on, among other things, eradicating drugs, expanding health care coverage for children, and increasing economic development in urban and rural communities to create jobs and expand opportunities.

Recognizing that leadership is not about one person, the theme for the ALC this year is, "Leadership Dimensions for the New Millennium." Real leadership means raising the stature, the energy and the effectiveness of everyone. As members of the CBC, we represent many who traditionally have had no voice or representation in the political and economic policies in this country.

Our collective voices have become even more important since Conservatives took control of Congress in 1994. This Congress, along with a conservative judiciary, has sought to dismantle many of the civil rights gains—affirmative action, anti-discrimination laws, voting rights and economic justice gains—enacted to remedy past discrimination.

As we look toward this new millennium, it is our hope that leaders on every level of the social, economic and political arena can work together to maintain these gains. In addition, we must create an environment that provides opportunities for our young people.

The task is formidable, but not impossible. We know how gifted, talented and accomplished we are. The united power of our history, our tradition and our faith will carry us forward to a better tomorrow.



Hon. Maxine Waters

CHAIR, CONGRESSIONAL BLACK CAUCUS

Conference Schedule At-A-Glance

WEDNESDAY

September 10, 1997
Registration and Ticket Booth
8:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.
Washington Convention Center

National Press Conference*
10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.
Washington Convention Center

Grand Opening & Tour
Exhibits Program
12:00 noon

Washington Convention Center
Exhibits Program*
12:00 noon - 7:00 p.m.
Washington Convention Center

THURSDAY

September 11, 1997
Registration
8:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.
Washington Convention Center

National Town Hall Meeting *
10:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon
University of the District of Columbia

Exhibits Program*
10:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.
Washington Convention Center

Issue Forums*
1:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.
Washington Convention Center

Gospel Extravaganza*
8:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m.
Metropolitan Baptist Church
1225 R Street, NW
Washington, DC

FRIDAY

September 12, 1997
Registration
8:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.
Washington Convention Center

Braintrusts & Issue Forums*
9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
Washington Convention Center

Exhibits Program*
10:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.
Washington Convention Center

Annual Awards Ceremony **
6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.
John F. Kennedy Center
for the Performing Arts

CBC Spouses Benefit Concert **
8:00 p.m. - 1:00 a.m.
Washington Convention Center

CBC Spouses Evening Fashion Show **
10:30 p.m.
Grand Hyatt Hotel

SATURDAY

September 13, 1997
Registration
8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Washington Convention Center

National Prayer Service ***
8:00 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.
Washington Convention Center

Exhibits Program *
9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Washington Convention Center

CBC Spouses Luncheon Fashion Show **
11:00 a.m.
Grand Hyatt Hotel

CBCF Fellows Reception
6:30 p. m. - 7:00 p.m.
Union Station

ALC Gala**
9:00 p.m. - 2:00 a.m.
Union Station

*events open to the public

** ticketed events through registration

***limited seating capacity - advance
registration recommended/tickets required

Theme: RACE RELATIONS IN THE NEW MILLENNIUM

University of the District of Columbia

Auditorium

Thursday, September 11, 1997

10:00am-12:00 noon

Moderator: The Honorable Maxine Waters (California-35th District)
Chair, Congressional Black Caucus

Panelists: Dr. John Hope Franklin, PhD
Chairman, President Clinton's Advisory Board on Race
Professor Emeritus; Duke University, Department of History

Dr. Julia Hare, Ed.D,
Social Psychologist

Dr. Cornel West, PhD
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Members of the Congressional Black Caucus

African Americans are painfully aware of the role that race plays in the daily decisions of American institutions. Last June, the President of the United States established an Advisory Board on Race and charged them with the responsibility of developing a dialogue on race and race relations.

While there has always been a discussion on race in America, it has often been within one's own race; whites with whites, blacks with blacks. Black parents explain racism to their children at an early age. They are painfully aware that their very ability to earn a living, to have access to equal education, to own a business, to obtain a home loan, to have a clean living environment and adequate health care are far too often based on decisions made by whites for blacks. And far too many of these decision-makers believe that blacks are inherently inferior, and, therefore, less deserving.

There is a dialogue about race that goes on within the white community on a daily basis that is rarely overheard by blacks. Those discussions are publicly revealed by actions taken by whites that are invariably detrimental to blacks. The recent brutal attack on a Haitian immigrant in New York, the beheading of a black veteran in Virginia and the murder of a black couple by white soldiers from Fort Bragg are horrific examples. The recent use of racial epithets and revelations by some of American's top corporate managers also reveal deep-seated racial problems.

This Town Hall meeting and Plenary Session will address the issue of race and race relations in a forthright, no holds barred, open and hard-hitting discussion. We will not cottle or protect our friends in this discussion, nor will we fear our enemies. This session will set the tone for determining efforts on behalf of black leadership to identify, define, and deal with race, discrimination, marginalization and racism.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 11, 1997

MEMBER	TIME	ROOM	ISSUE FORUM
Rep. Eva Clayton	3:30-5:30	10/11/12	The Media: Its Impact and Influence on Teen Pregnancy
Rep. Jim Clyburn Rep. Sheila Jackson-Lee Del. Eleanor Holmes Norton	1:00-3:00	22	Affirmative Action in 1997: Keeping the Doors Open
Rep. John Conyers	1:00-3:00	15	Entertainment and the Information Revolution
Rep. John Conyers	5:30-7:30	15	Jazz in the Media: Possibilities & Pitfalls
Rep. John Conyers Del. Donna Christian-Green	3:30-5:00	15	Haiti: Jobs, Justice, and Peace
Rep. Elijah E. Cummings	1:00-3:00	32/33	Empowering the Black Family
Rep. Danny Davis	1:00-3:00	23/24	Community Organizing for Empowerment
Rep. Chaka Fattah	3:30-5:30	13	American Cities Foundation Innovations in Urban Education: Improving Outcomes
Del. Donna Christian-Green	1:00-3:00	29	Insuring the Survival of the African American Physician in the New Millennium
Rep. Alcee L. Hastings Rep. Elijah Cummings Rep. Cynthia McKinney Rep. John Lewis	1:00-3:00	10-11	Environmental Justice: Too Much Waste, Too Little Opportunity for the African-American Community
Rep. Sheila Jackson-Lee Rep. Juanita Millender-McDonald	1:00-3:00	37	Our Children, Our Future
Rep. William Jefferson	3:30-5:30	26	Small Business: Using the Tax Code for Entrepreneurial Development
Rep. Harold Ford, Jr.	1:00-3:00	27	Bridging the Gap: A Dialogue Between the Civil Rights Crusaders and the Hip-Hop Generation
Rep. Jesse Jackson Jr.	3:30-5:30	14	Race Dialogue or Race Entertainment?
Rep. Cynthia McKinney Rep. Carolyn C. Kilpatrick Del. Eleanor Holmes Norton	3:30-5:30	23/24	Politics of Natural Hair
Rep. Juanita Millender-McDonald Rep. Cynthia McKinney	1:00-3:00	14	The Census and Reapportionment: Organizing for Representation
Del. Eleanor Holmes Norton	1:00-3:00	30	Words of Inspiration: Personal Stories of Success and Achievement by Famous Black Autobiographers



Rep. Major Owens	3:30-5:30	21	Opportunity-to-Learn: Celebrating the 10th Anniversary of Title IIIB for HBCUs
Rep. Donald M. Payne	1:00-3:00	26	Literacy and Early Childhood Development: Improving Literacy in the African American Community by Focusing on Young Children and Their Parents
Rep. Charles Rangel	3:30-5:30	27	Tax Issues: Making the Best of a Bi-Partisan Budget
Rep. Bobby Rush	3:30-5:30	30	A Demand for Justice: The Political Prosecution & Persecution of African Americans, Part II - Where Do We Go From Here?
Rep. Robert C. "Bobby" Scott Rep. Julia Carson Rep. John Conyers Rep. Sheila Jackson-Lee	1:00-3:00	13	Preventing Juvenile Crime: Sound Policies vs. Sound Bites
Rep. Robert C. "Bobby" Scott	3:30-5:30	25	Amending the Constitution: Minority & Individual Rights Under Siege
Rep. Louis Stokes Rep. Danny Davis	1:00-5:30	31	Managing Health Care in the New Millennium
Rep. Bennie Thompson	3:30-5:30	29	Labor - Welfare/Workfare, Workforce Preparation 2000
Rep. Edolphus Towns	1:00-3:00	25	Title IX-The Myth of Sports Funding Equality and the Dilemma for HBCUs and Black Female Athletes
Rep. Maxine Waters	3:30-5:30	32/33	Connections, Coverage, and Casualties: The Continuing Story of the CIA and Drugs
CBC SPOUSES	1:00-3:00	20/21	Hunger in the Classroom: What Can We Do To Feed Our Friends?

Conference '97 Issue Forums and Braintrusts

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 12, 1997

MEMBER	TIME	ROOM	BRAINTRUST
Rep. Carrie Meek	09:00-12:00	31	AGING BRAINTRUST Policy Changes and A New Attitude By Congress.
Rep. Eva Clayton Rep. Bennie Thompson Rep. Sanford Bishop Rep. Earl Hilliard	12:30-3:30	31	AGRICULTURE BRAINTRUST The Plight of the Black Farmer — Problems and Possibilities
Rep. Maxine Waters	09:00-12:00	22	BANKING BRAINTRUST The Changing Banking and Financial Services Landscape: Ensuring Success for the African American Community in the 21st Century
Del. Eleanor Holmes Norton	09:00-12:00	23/24	BLACK WOMEN'S BRAINTRUST Sound Mind, Body and Spirit: Lifestyle Choices and Your Health
Rep. Julian Dixon	12:30-3:30	21	CORPORATE AFFAIRS BRAINTRUST Creating a More Inclusive Corporate Workforce — Strategies for Developing Effective Diversity Programs
Rep. John Conyers Rep. Robert C. Bobby Scott	12:30-3:30	30	CRIME BRAINTRUST African Americans and Police Misconduct
Rep. Major Owens	2:30-5:30	33	EDUCATION BRAINTRUST Opportunities for Access to Technology and The Universal Fund Application Process
Rep. Major Owens	12:30-2:00	33	EDUCATION BRAINTRUST Opportunities for School Transformation — Improvement Strategies and Charter Schools
Rep. Sheila Jackson-Lee	09:00-12:00	25/26	ENERGY BRAINTRUST Energy Deregulation — International and Beyond
Rep. Louis Stokes Rep. Eddie Bernice Johnson Del. Donna Christian-Green Rep. Robert C. Bobby Scott	09:00-5:00	13/14/15	HEALTH BRAINTRUST - Making the Grade: Our Children's Health - CBC Response to the AIDS Challenge: A Summary Report
Rep. Donald Payne Rep. Cynthia McKinney Rep. Alcee Hastings Rep. Earl Hilliard Rep. Corrine Brown	09:00-12:00	27	INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS BRAINTRUST Africa Emerging into the Global Economy
Rep. Eddie Bernice Johnson	09:00-12:00	33	SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY BRAINTRUST An Interactive Demonstration on How Technology Has Impacted Our Lives
Rep. Albert Wynn Rep. Harold Ford, Jr. Rep. Mel Watt	09:00-12:00	21	SMALL BUSINESS BRAINTRUST Opportunities and Challenges for African-American Businesses in Rep. Elijah Cummings the 21st Century
Rep. Jim Clyburn Rep. Corrine Brown	12:30-3:30	29	TRANSPORTATION BRAINTRUST Policies and Practices: Impact on the Black Community

(CONTINUED FORUMS AND BRAINTRUSTS)

Rep. Sanford Bishop Rep. Mel Watt	09:00-12:00	20	VETERANS BRAINTRUST Families and Communities Building Partnerships
Rep. Corrine Brown	12:30-3:30	20	VOTING RIGHTS BRAINTRUST The Voting Rights Act — Today and Tomorrow
Rep. Maxine Waters	12:30-3:30	27	Young, Gifted and Black

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Rep. James Clyburn	09:00 -12:00	10/11	Brownfields: Our Communities at Risk
Rep. John Conyers	09:00 -12:00	30	Racism, Remedies, and Reparations: An Open Discussion
Del. Donna Christian-Green	09:00 -11:00	29	Implications of the New Research Findings in Brain Development of the 0-3 Age Group for the African American Child
Rep. Earl Hilliard Rep. Sheila Jackson-Lee	12:30 - 3:30	22	National Pan-Hellenic Council — Mobilizing the Black Family for the 21st Century with the focus on Economic Empowerment
Rep. Sheila Jackson-Lee Rep. John Lewis	12:30 - 3:30	25/26	The Internet: How to Make Money - Job Creation and Contracting
Rep. William Jefferson	12:30 - 3:30	12	International Trade: Considering the African Growth and Opportunity Act
Rep. Carolyn C. Kilpatrick	12:30 - 2:30	23/24	Women and Business: Moving Toward the New Millennium
Rep. John Lewis	09:00 -12:00	32	A National Anti-Violence Summit
Rep. Bobby Rush	12:30 - 3:30	10/11	Alliance Building Within the — "Isms"
Rep. Edolphus Towns	09:00 -12:00	12	Issues in Caribbean Development

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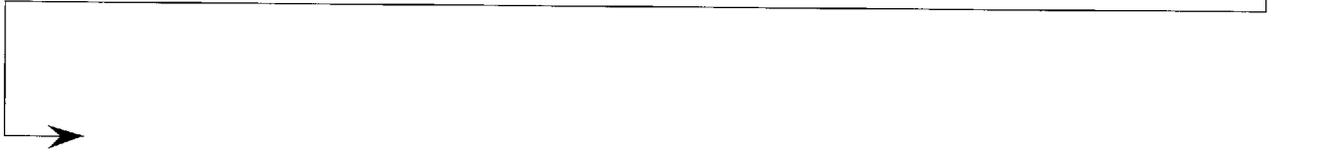
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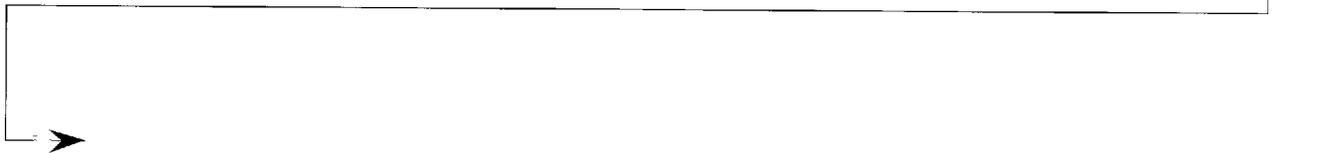
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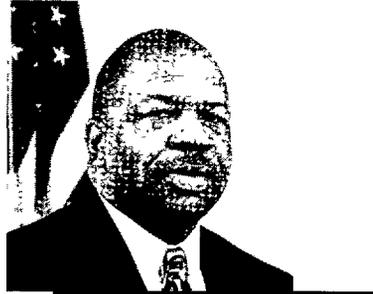
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