

# **Council of Professors of Instructional Supervision (COPIS)**

## **Annual Fall Meeting**

**Sponsored by: University of Puerto Rico-Aguadilla Campus**

**Aguadilla, Puerto Rico**

**October 28-30, 2011**

### **Friday, October 28**

**6:00pm: Reception**

**7:00pm: Dinner**

**8:00pm: Opening Session**

**Welcome:** José A. Acosta Ramos, President of the Coordinating Committee.

**Message of the President:** Don Beach, Tarleton University, Texas.

**Special message:** Hon. Carlos Méndez, Mayor of the City of Aguadilla.

**Announcement of the Blumberg Scholars for 2011:** Edward Pajak, Professor and Chair, Department of Teacher Development and Leadership, John Hopkins University, Baltimore, MD.

**Presentation of the Keynote Speaker:** Ivelice Cardona, Chancellor of the University of Puerto Rico, Aguadilla Campus

**Keynote Speaker:** Dr. Miguel Muñoz Muñoz, President of the University of Puerto Rico: The University of Puerto Rico: Vision toward the future  
Announcements for the next two days

**Sponsoring institution:** University of Puerto Rico, Aguadilla Campus

**Saturday, October 29**

*\* Breakfast, Meetings, and Lunch*

**7:30-8:15am: Breakfast**

**8:15-9:35am: Supervision in Cultural Context**

- Ann Sundstrom Allen & Kathleen Topolka Jorissen, Western Carolina University, *Preparing Instructional Supervisors: The Power of Cultural Context*
- Kendra Strange-Shaffer, Principal, Northside Elementary, Texas City ISD, *Supervision in Culturally Diverse Campuses: The Impact of Student-Teacher Racial Congruence on Achievement*
- Arthur Shapiro, University of South Florida & Martha Santiago, Principal, Shelly S. Boone Middle School, *The “Sotomayor Effect: The Family as a Construct for the Supervisory Process, a Culturally-Based Approach for Supervision*

**9:35-10:30 am: Supervision in Historical Context**

- Jan Hammond, C. W. Post, Long Island University & Rose Rudnitski, State University of New York, New Paltz, *Creating Schools for a Post-Colonial Developing Society: Lessons Learned from a Founding Instructional Leader, Mrs. Y. G. P.*
- Jose Acosta Ramos, University of Puerto Rico, Rio Piedras Campus, Wilfredo Toro Vasquez, Metropolitan University of Puerto Rico, Aguadilla & Diannette Soto, Inter American University of Puerto Rico, San German Campus *School Reform in Puerto Rico during the ‘90s: Cultural Challenges to Instructional Leadership*

**10:30-10:45am: Break**

**10:45-12:05am: Supervision in School Contexts**

- Nathan Scott McClanahan, Highland Park High School, Highland Park ISD, *Supervision for a High-Achieving High School Culture: What AP Students Say*
- Jennifer Jacobs, Texas State University, *Teacher Leaders as Supervisors: Examining the Conditions that Influence Equity-Centered Supervision*

- Rebecca West Burns, Penn State University, *Developing Teacher Leaders in a Professional Development School Context: The Transformative Nature of the Hybrid Role*

**12:00-1:15pm: Lunch and Keynote Address:** *Promoting Professional Dialogue and Scholarship in Instructional Supervision: A Modest Proposal*

**1:15-2:10pm: Supervision, Teaching and Learning**

- Edward Pajak, Johns Hopkins University, *Teaching or Instruction: Which Is It?*
- Steve Gordon, Texas State University, *Instructional Supervision and the Culture of Learning*

**2:10-3:05pm: Conceptualizing Instructional Supervision/Leadership**

- Susan Sullivan and Vivian Shulman, The College of Staten Island, CUNY, *Here Today, Gone Tomorrow: Conceptualizing Instructional Leadership through Case Studies of Unsustained Initiatives*
- Sarah W. Nelson & Michael P. O'Malley, Texas State University, Texas State University, *Reconceptualizing Instructional Supervision through Love in Leadership*

**3:05-3:20pm: Break**

**3:20-4:40pm: Working with Teachers: Supervision, Coaches, & Instructional Facilitators**

- Diane Yendol-Hoppey, University of South Florida, *Supervision to Increase Novice Teacher Impact and Staying Power*
- Martha N. Ovando, The University of Texas at Austin, *Instructional Coaches: Behind the Scenes Instructional Leaders*
- Bret Range, Heather Duncan, Sue Scherz, & David Hvidston, University of Wyoming and John Pianowski, University of Arkansas, *Collaborative Supervision: Instructional Facilitators' Perceptions of their Formative Supervision of Teachers*

### **Saturday Night: A Night in Aguadilla**

The local planning team wants COPIS members to enjoy the local culture and has recommended possible restaurants for us to sample the cuisine of Aguadilla, Puerto Rico

*Desecheo (787)-891- 0600*

*D' Grillade (787) 891- 2010*

*Oleana Creative Cuisine-(787) 882-7474*

*Novecento Italian Bistro (787) 882-7475*

*Rompeolas Bar & Grill (787) 891-6831*

### **Sunday, October 30**

**7:30-8:30am: Breakfast**

**8:30-9:30am: Panel Discussion** – Frances Schoonmaker, Teachers College, Columbia University and Ed Pajak, Johns Hopkins University, *Juxtaposing Instructional Supervision Perspectives and International Development Work*

**9:30-10:15am: Panel Discussion and Issues Forum** - *Lessons Learned: Supervision in a Cultural Context*

**10:15-10:30am: Break**

**10:30-11:30am: Business Meeting (COPIS members only)**