

AFRICENTRIC LEADERSHIP & MANAGEMENT

Summer Institute

Opening Reception Program

July 13, 2007 6:30 - 9:00 PM

- 6:30 P.M. **Drumming and African Libation Ceremony**
- 6:45 P.M. **Welcome, Mistress of Ceremonies**
- Opening Prayer**, Rev. Wallace Smith, Pastor,
 St. Thomas United Baptist Church
- Libation Ceremony**
 Singing Black National Anthem, Ms. Kim Bernard
- 7:00 P.M. **Performance by Afrikan Dance Group**
- Opening Remarks**
 Charles Sheppard, *Chair, Council on African Canadian Education*
 Kim Cain, *Member, Africentric Learning Institute Committee*
 Calvin Gough, *African Canadian Services Division*
 Dr. Henry Bishop, *Black Cultural Center*
 2007 Summer Institute Instructors - *An Introduction*
 Summer Institute Art Exhibit - *An Introduction* - David Woods
 African Nova Scotian Affairs Office
 Black Educators Association
- 7:15 PM **Choir Director's Introduction and Comments**
 Entertainment, St. Thomas Mass Choir
- 7:30 PM **Introduction to Guest Speaker**
- 7:35 P.M. **Performance by Marimba Group**
- 7:40 PM **Dr. Molefi Asante**, *Professor, Department of African American Studies,*
 Temple University, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
- 8:00 PM **Thank Speaker & Final Comments**
- 8:15 PM **Closing Remarks**
 Entertainment, St. Thomas Mass Choir
- 8:30 PM **Community Reception & Refreshments**
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