

## Commission for Administrative Leadership September 2012 Conversations\*

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### 1. ACPA Diamond Honoree



Dear CAL Colleague:

As you may know, CAL has committed to supporting ACPA and the foundation by committing to identifying at least one Diamond Honoree per year. It is our pleasure to announce that **Angela Montelongo** is being honored as a Diamond Honoree this year. Angie is being recognized for her contributions to the profession of student affairs specifically through her work with student leaders, housing and residential life, and Orientation. As a part of this honor we seek to raise funds, in her name, which will continue to provide support for scholarship, students, and the profession through ACPA's foundation. Contributions to this fund will provide an additional way to honor Angela's commitment to students and her leadership in student affairs.

Angie has served ACPA through her service to ACPA through the Commission for Administrative Leadership (CAL) as a Directorate Member and Chair of the Convention Showcase committee. She has also served as Placement Outreach Chair for ACPA's Latin@ network and has been recognized with the Dr. John Hernandez award through this network. She has also focused on continuing to sharpen her skills through professional participation in the ACPA Donna M. Bourassa Mid-Level Manager leadership institute and the TACUPSA retention conference.

Perhaps you have been impacted by her work in higher education or had the opportunity to connect with her and count her among your professional and/or personal friends. This is an opportunity for you to help the profession in honoring her and allowing her to know the extent of her impact. You can visit the Educational Foundation website in order to make your gift of \$20, \$25, \$50 or more. Be sure to fill out the form and then scroll down to designate your gift in the box adjacent to her name near the bottom of the page.

Thank you for joining us in honoring Angie and her contributions.

### 2. Welcome from the Technology Chair – Yolanda Norman

Happy September everyone!

As I mentioned earlier this month in my "CAL Conversations Callout" email, my name is Yolanda Norman and I'm your new technology chair. I know the months of August and September have been quite busy for all of you (myself included!) and I'm excited to get us motivated in utilizing all of our different technological avenues this year to share what's happening on your campuses. Because we're the commission that covers all function areas, those conversations can be about almost anything. Using our

Commission list-serve, social networking, our webpage, and other avenues you would like for us to consider, the possibilities of professional development sharing are endless. I'm here to help in any way that I can when it comes to our use of technology and hope to hear your voice soon! Ready, set, communicate.

### **3. CAL Twitter Chat (#CALchat)**

Our second #CALchat event took place this past Tuesday with special guest Jayne Brownell taking us through the topic of "Political Engagement and Civility on Campus". Jayne is the Assistant Vice President for Student Affairs at Hofstra University and is also a CAL Directorate Board member. This year Hofstra is preparing to host a Presidential Debate and Jayne provided us great insight into political engagement on her campus. It was an incredible wealth of knowledge and hats off to Jayne and others that participated in the chat.

Missed the chat? We invite you to take part in our next one coming up in October. Our next #CALchat on Twitter is scheduled for *October 23, 2012 from 12p-1p (CST)* and we are still looking for possible topics. If you have a topic or interested in being an expert, please send me an email at [normany@stthom.edu](mailto:normany@stthom.edu).

While preparing to take part in the next chat, you can follow our commission on Twitter today using the handle [@CALacpa](https://twitter.com/CALacpa) and keep using the hashtag #CALchat to keep the conversation going.

### **4. 2013 Dalton Institute**

Last year, ACPA assisted in the promotion of the 2012 Jon C. Dalton Institute on College Student Values within its community. It is that time of year again, and we are in the midst of planning for the 2013 Dalton Institute at this time. This year the Institute will once again take place in Tallahassee, Florida on January 31st through February 2nd.

The theme is Character in an Age of Self-Promotion: Exploring the Role of Social Media on College Student Values. We have an outstanding schedule of featured speakers (<http://studentvalues.fsu.edu/Featured-Speakers>), including Eric Stoller, Jean Twenge, Kevin Kruger, and Kent Smith.

At this time, we are still accepting program proposals, awards submissions, and participant registrations. The links for the respective websites are listed below, and informational flyers have also been attached:

Awards (DUE Oct. 12): <http://studentvalues.fsu.edu/Awards>

Program Proposals (DUE Oct. 19): <http://studentvalues.fsu.edu/2013-Call-for-Programs>

Registration (Early deadline: Dec. 14): <http://studentvalues.fsu.edu/2013-Dalton-Institute-Registration>

As the Dalton Institute nears, we would love to send you occasional updates regarding the program, as well as additional promotional fliers. If you'd like more consistent updates, please take the time to follow us on Twitter (@DaltonInstitute) or recommend us on Facebook (search: Dalton Institute on College Student Values).