



Best Practices for Supporting Foster Youth in their Higher Education Goals

DATE + TIME + LOCATION

Friday, March 27, 2015

8:30 a.m. – Registration + Breakfast

9:00 a.m. – Program Begins

12:30 p.m. – Program Concludes

Children's Bureau

Magnolia Place Family Center

1910 Magnolia Avenue

Los Angeles, CA 90007-1220

Free parking is available.

Carpooling is encouraged.

REGISTRATION + INFO

Please visit www.jlla.org to register.

Free admission. Donations accepted.

E-mail clf@jlla.org or call JLLA at (323) 957-4280 with any questions.

EVENT + DETAILS

In California, less than half of foster youth graduate high school and even fewer attend college. We will convene a community of stakeholders including academics, nonprofit leaders, social workers, policymakers, foster youth and advocates to discuss and share best practices in supporting foster youth as they face many challenges in their pursuit of higher education. The following individuals are scheduled to speak:

SPEAKERS

Dr. Sofya Bagdasaryan, California State University's School of Social Work

Eric Shamp, United Friends of the Children

Regina Bette, Aviva

Robert Guzman, Los Angeles County Department of Children and Family Services

Maral Karaccusian, Office of Congressman Karen Bass

Jevon Wilkes, Former Foster Youth and Echoes of Hope



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