

# COCAL VI Program for Saturday, August 7, 2004

*All sessions at Roosevelt University*

<b>7:30am</b>	<b>Registration</b>	<b>Continental Breakfast</b>
7:45am		7:30 am - 8:30 am
<b>8:00am</b>	2nd Floor	
8:15am	Lobby	
8:30am		
8:45am	Roosevelt	<b>Plenary</b>
<b>9:00am</b>	University	Ganz Hall
9:15am		Panel Discussion on
9:30am	7:30 am	National Unions: What vision for change?
9:45am	to	Representatives of US and Canadian national unions
<b>10:00am</b>	5:15 pm	8:45 am - 10:15 am
10:15am		<b>Break</b>
10:30am		10:15 am - 10:45 am

10:45am	<b>Workshop Session II: 10:45 am - 12:15 pm</b>					
11:00am	<b>#1 (Strategy Stream #2)</b>	<b>#2 (Campus Organizing Stream #2)</b>	<b>#3 (Bargaining Stream #2)</b>	<b>#4 Building Equality &amp; Unity</b>	<b>#5 Recent Job Actions</b>	<b>#6 AFL-CIO Teach-ins</b>
11:15am						
11:30am						
11:45am	National/International strategies (and possible follow-up from plenary)	So now you have a group, What next? (affiliation, staff, organization)	Negotiating for economic compensation (pay, benefits, etc.)	Combating discrimination in higher ed and in our own movement	How to make them work for us (stories)	
12:00pm						
12:15pm	<b>Lunch</b> Boxed Lunch Provided <b>12:15 pm - 1:45 pm</b>		<b>Interest Group Caucuses</b>			
12:30pm			Time and space provided for interest group caucuses to meet			
12:45pm			Women, People of Color, Lesbian/gay/bisexual/transgender, subject matter specialists, etc.			
1:00pm			<b>12:15 pm - 1:45 pm</b>			
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1:30pm						
1:45pm	<b>Plenary</b>					
2:00pm						
2:15pm	Panel: Learning from other unions of contingent workers					
2:30pm						
2:45pm	<b>1:45 pm - 3:15 pm</b>					
3:00pm						

3:15pm		<b>Break</b>				
3:30pm		3:15 pm - 3:45 pm				
3:45pm		<b>Workshop Session III: 3:45 pm - 5:15 pm</b>				
4:00pm		<b>#1 (Strategy Stream #3)</b>	<b>#2 (Campus Organizing Stream #3)</b>	<b>#3 (Bargaining Stream #3)</b>	<b>#4 Teaching for Equity</b>	<b>#5 Legislative &amp; Political</b>
4:15pm						
4:30pm		Our Ultimate Vision: our struggle's place in broader society	Gaining Employer Recognition	Contract Comparison of Selected Issues (bring a copy of your contract)	Promoting Justice for Contingent Faculty in the Classroom	Experiences We Can Learn From
4:45pm						
5:00pm						
5:15pm		<b>Reception</b>				
5:30pm		Light Refreshments and Open Bar				
5:45pm		Roosevelt University, Second Floor Lobby				
6:00pm		Presentation of COCAL Prickett-Wakefield Awards (with brief speeches by honoree(s))				
6:15pm		Poetry or Music				
6:30pm		5:15 pm - 6:45 pm				
6:45pm						
7:00pm						
7:15pm						
7:30pm						
7:45pm						

**8:00pm**

**Buffet Dinner**

8:15pm

Elephant & Castle Restaurant in Club Quarters Hotel

8:30pm

(\$30 person extra; pay by August 2)

8:45pm

Brief Speech by Stewart Acuff, Organizing Director of AFL-CIO

**9:00pm**

Entertainment provided by local contingent faculty musicians