**Conference Agenda**

*Friday, September 19, 2014*

All events on this day will take place at the BWI Double Tree Hotel.

890 Elkridge Landing Road, Linthicum, MD 21090. Phone: 410-859-8400

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| **Time** | **Event** | **Location** |
| 2:00-6:00pm | **Registration**  (pick up conference materials, including booklet with  full schedules) | Main Hallway  BWI Double Tree Hotel |
| 4:30-5:45pm | Opening Plenary Session:  **Welcome and**  **Business Card Mixer** | Harbor Room  BWI Double Tree Hotel |
| 6:00-8:00pm | **Banquet and Keynote Speaker**  Dr. Karsonya Wise Whitehead  Professor of Communication and African and African American Studies at Loyola University, Maryland | Chesapeake/Annapolis Room (Grand Ballroom)  BWI Double Tree Hotel |

*Saturday, September 20, 2014*

All events on this day will take place on the UMBC campus.

1000 Hilltop Circle, Baltimore, MD 21250. Transportation to and from the hotel will be provided.

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| **Time** | **Event** | **Location** |
| 8:00-9:00 am | **Breakfast** | Skylight Room  The Commons, 3rd Floor |
| 9:15-10:15am | **Poster Presentation Session** | Main Street,  The Commons, 1st Floor |
| 10:45am- 12:20pm | **1st Concurrent Student Oral Presentations** | ITE Building Rooms  227, 229, 231, 233, 237, 239 |
| 12:30-2:00pm | **Luncheon Featuring McNair Alumni Panel** | UC Ballroom |
| 2:00-2:30pm  **Time** | **Group Photos Taken**  **Event** | UC Ballroom Lounge  **Location** |
| 2:00-4:00pm | **Graduate School Fair** | 310 and 312 UC |
| 4:00-4:55pm  5:05-5:15pm | **2nd Concurrent Student Oral Presentations**  **Closing Remarks**  Cynthia M. Hill  Associate Provost and  Director of the UMBC McNair Scholars Program | ITE Building Rooms  229, 231, 233  UC Ballroom |