



**Social Work Conference
2010**

April 7-9

**University of Illinois
Chicago Campus,
828 South Wolcott
Chicago, IL 60612**

LSWO Conference 2010
An Evening and 2 Full Days of
Continuing Education

The 2010 Conference will offer attendees with an opportunity to Network, Share, and Learn.

- An Opening Networking and Educational Event on Wednesday Evening, April 7.
- Over 24 Workshops will be available on April 8 and 9, 2010.
- Keynotes from Experts in the Profession
- Poster Sessions by current MSW and PhD students.
- Exhibitors from Educational Institutions and Social Service Agencies.

**Latino Social Workers Organization
(LSWO)**

- A Leader in the Recruitment and Retention of Latinos in Higher Education
- A Leader in developing workshops and training modules on Cultural Competency Education and Ethics in Social Work Practice
- A Leader in Mentoring current Professionals and Students in the profession.
- A Leader in Developing online communication with students, professionals, and faculty.
- A Leader in Developing Cultural Competency Learning opportunities, such as Conferences, Symposiums, and Summits

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Program, Registration, and

Conference Details are available online

The Latino Social Workers Organization has a dedicated website for this 2010 Conference. All interested human service professionals can download the program and registration forms from this website:

www.Lswo2010.org

The Latino Social Workers Organization Conference is an excellent continuing education experience for all students, professionals, and faculty. The fees for this conference are very reasonable for any professional, student, or faculty person. The LSWO has an all volunteer staff of faculty, professionals, and students who provide their personal time to make this conference affordable and possible

We appreciate the support of Jane Addams College of Social Work and all the exhibitors and sponsors for this 2010 Conference. Without their support this conference is not possible. Organizations still have time to participating in this conference through placing an ad or participating in the NEW LSWO Resource Directory.

All Professionals, Students, and Faculty will be contributing to this conference by downloading the forms for this conference, and sharing them with your colleagues.

Please feel free to call us at 312-212-3857, if you would like us to mail you the program and registration forms.

2010 Conference Keynote Speakers

Dr. Flavio Marsiglia from Arizona State University School of Social Work



will be presenting at the LSWO 2010 Conference. He is co-author of his new book, **Diversity, Oppression, and Change: Culturally Grounded Social Work**. He is also the Director of the Southwest Interdisciplinary Research Center, funded by NIH, this center supports culturally sensitive research on pre-

vention of substance abuse, HIV/AIDS, and mental health problems.



Dr. Guilamo-Ramos from Columbia University SSW. His research interests are related the role of families in promoting Latino and African American adolescent health, with a special focus on preventing HIV/AIDS, sexually transmitted

infections and unintended pregnancies Dr. Guilamo-Ramos has conducted research primarily in urban, resource-poor settings, such as the South Bronx, Harlem and Lower East Side communities of New York City. More recently, Dr. Guilamo-Ramos has extended his focus to HIV-prevention among vulnerable populations in the Dominican Republic and in India. Dr. Guilamo-Ramos has worked at a number of New York City based social service agencies serving Latino youths and their families. Dr. Guilamo-Ramos was employed at the Hetrick Martin Institute, a social service agency dedicated to meeting the unique needs of gay, lesbian, transgender, and questioning youths.

LSWO Conference 2010: Latino Empowerment/Strengths Perspective in Meeting the Needs of Our Latino Communities

The Annual Latino Social Workers Organization 2010 Conference will take place at the University of Illinois-Chicago Campus. The location address is 828 South Wolcott Avenue, Chicago, IL. The conference will start on the evening of April 7, 2010, and then proceed with 2 full days of continuing education on April 8 and 9, 2010.

April 7, 2010 Opening Networking Event:

- **American Society: Seeking Social Justice and Hope in Social Work Practice. (Documentary Films and Panel)**

April 8 and 9: Full Conference Days

2 Days of Workshops, Poster Sessions and Keynotes/Panels on:

- **Health Disparities Research and Practice: A Social Work Call to Action**
- **Preventing Latino Adolescent and Young Adult Unintended Pregnancies: The Role of Social Workers**
- **Social Workers Responding to Needs of Veterans returning from Iraq/Afghanistan**
- **Social Work and Education: Collaborating to Increase Success for Latino Children and Families**
- **Over 24 workshops and Poster Sessions available**