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# PRE-CONFERENCE

Thursday, Feb. 23, 5 to 9 p.m.

Maucker Union, University of Northern Iowa

- 4:30-5:00p.m. Registration
- 5:00-5:10p.m. Welcome, Dean, College of Education, Dr. Gaetane Jean-Marie  
Introduction of Keynote Speaker, Sandra Staton, Pre-conference Facilitator
- 5:20-6:00p.m. Keynote Address: Dr. Iheoma Iruka,
- 6:00-6:30p.m. Response to Keynote Address - Featured Presenters
- 6:30-7:00p.m. Supper (Buffet Style)
- 7:00-7:15p.m. Setting the Stage for Breakout Groups - Sandra Staton, Pre-conference Facilitator
- 7:45-8:00p.m. Overview of Assigned Facilitated Dialogue/Conversations Dr. Gloria Kirkland Holmes, Pre-Conference, Conference Coordinator
- 8:00-8:05p.m. Transition to Groups
- 8:05-8:40p.m. Groups will have starter conversational questions – Facilitated Dialogue/Conversations in Groups:
- Group 1:**
- Group 2:**
- Group 3:**
- Group 4:**
- Group 5:**
- Group 6:**
- 8:40-8:45p.m. Transition Back to Large Group for Report-outs
- 8:45-9:00p.m. Group Report-outs- Certificates & Wrap-up