

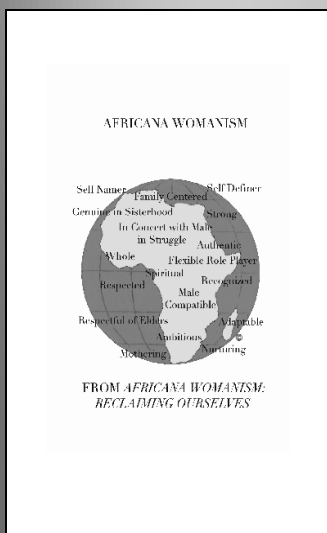


DR. CLENORA HUDSON-WEEMS

Professor/Public Intellectual and conceptualizer of Africana Womanism will be the keynote speaker.

Author of *Africana Womanism: Reclaiming Ourselves*; *Africana Womanist Literary Theory*; *Africana Womanism & Race & Gender in the Presidential Candidacy of Barack Obama*; *Emmett Till: The Sacrificial Lamb of the CRM*; *The Definitive Emmett Till*; *Plagiarism—Physical & Intellectual Lynchings: An Emmett Till Continuum*.

AWARDS BANQUET*



1st International Council of Africana Womanism Conference: University of Zimbabwe (UZ) Chapter October 27 - 29, 2010

“Removing the Wedge, Rediscoursing Family in Search for Sustainable Renaissance: Africana Womanism in Multi-Disciplinary Approaches”

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CALL FOR CONFERENCE PAPERS

The Council of Africana Womanism: Reclaiming Ourselves (UZ Chapter) is inviting all interested academics, members of the community, policy makers and cultural practitioners to submit abstracts between 250 – 300 words on the above theme for the 1st International Africana Womanism Conference to be hosted this year at the University of Zimbabwe in Harare. Papers should be related to the theme and sub-themes. The deadline for submission of abstracts is 20th September, 2010. Provide your name and title, email address and institutional affiliation and mail to africanlangs@arts.uz.ac.zw or imuwati@arts.uz.ac.zw

SUB THEMES

Until the lions have their histories, tales of hunting will always glorify the hunter—African Proverb

- ✚ *Family Centrality: Africana Men & Women: Collectively Combating Societal Ills*
- ✚ *Africana Male-Female Relationships & Genuine Sisterhood: Common Bonds for Establishing & Sustaining Healthy Families*
- ✚ *HIV, AIDS & Drugs: Facing the Global Problem Together for Africa & the World*
- ✚ *Africana Womanism, Spirituality, Self Esteem & the Politics of Economics*
- ✚ *Open Lines for Holistic Health and Successful Communication*
- ✚ *Reclaiming the African Traditional Education System: Preparing the Youths for Assuming the Torch*
- ✚ *The True Meaning of Africana Womanism: Total Commitment to Our Children, Our Family, Our Future*
- ✚ *Africana Womanism: Life, History & African Cultural Knowledge*
- ✚ *Respecting Africana Women: Cultural Bearers, 1st Teachers & Co-Partners*
- ✚ *Africana Womanism in Policy & Curriculum: Mandatory Education for Our Children*
- ✚ *Global Problems & Prospects: Total Parity in the Academy & in the Community*

PROGRAM AND PROGRAM GUIDELINES

Day 1

Registration (All 3 days)

Press Conference

Plenary Keynote—*Dr. Clenora Hudson-Weems*, Pres/CEO/Conceptualizer of Africana Womanism

Presentation of Papers

Opening Reception/Performance (**Tribute to Elders/Youth; Official Launching of ICAW--UZ Chapter**)

Performances (All 3 days)

Day 2 and 3

Presentation of Papers

Luncheon (with official launching of *The Africana Womanism Journal*--Day 2 only)

Awards Banquet (Keynote--Hudson-Weems) with *Honorable Joice Mujuru, VP, the Republic of Zimbabwe*

Launching of *ICAW--UZ Chapter & Induction of Honorees (Day 3)*

REGISTRATION FEES

- *Early Registration: USD 100 (Rand or Pula Equivalent)*
- *Late Registration: USD 120 (Rand or Pula Equivalent)*
- *Senior Citizens 65/ over & Students (with ID): USD 10*
- *Children 17 & under: Free, except Luncheon & Banquet*

Memberships: Institutional & Life--\$250; Professional--\$50; General--\$25; Others--\$10

Other Activities as follows:

1. *Opening Reception—Wednesday 7-9 pm—USD 10; Free with Registration*
2. *Awards Banquet--Honorees/Launching of the ICAW-- U of Zimbabwe Chapter—Friday, 7-9:30—USD 25*
3. *Performances—during Reception & Banquet/ Vendors: USD 50—For Entire Conference*

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HOTEL ACCOMODATION: USD 80 per night

NB. Teas and Lunches will be served.

DISCLAIMER: The organizers of this conference reserve the right to alter, postpone or cancel the indicated arrangements due to circumstances beyond their control.

CONFERENCE COORDINATORS

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