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Corporate Community Spirit Award

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Special Youth Awards:

Brianna Morris
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Special Thanks Award:

DeVry University
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Academic UpRise, Inc.

Presents

The 8th Annual Symposium Expo

& Back to School FLING!

Theme:

“Training Our Youth to be Leaders”



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November 19th, - 21st

AU Sponsorship Awards Reception

Thursday, November 19, 2009

Corporate Community Spirit Awards Program

5:30 PM

Cocktails & Silent Auction

6:00 PM

Welcome

Mayor Bob Foster

Councilman Dee Andrews

Master of Ceremony

Mike Murray

Pledge of Allegiance

Anthony Howard

Opening Remarks

Mr. Gabriel Garciamendez

Academic UpRise Board Chair

Awards Presentations:

Entertainment

Awards Presentations:

Closing Remarks

Elder Eddie Pierson, III

Founder/President/CEO

Youth Summit

Host:

DeVry University

“Training our Youth to be Leaders”

Friday, November 20, 2009

9:00 A.M.....Registration

Meet and Greet

9:30 A.M.....Welcome

(President DeVry University, Mayor Bob Foster,
Vice Mayor Val Lerch, Councilman Dee Andrews,
Gabriel Garciamendez, AU Chair)

(Expectations:

Antoine Cofield and Briana Morris

10:00 A.M.....**Leadership Qualities**

(Report out)

11:00 A.M - 11:45 A.M.**Setting and**

Achieving Goals: Panel

(Resources, Careers, Education)

11:45 A.M.....**Working Lunch**

12:30 P.M..... **What's Next?**

Guest Speaker/Mr. Darryl Barnes

DeVry Alumni/Northrop Grumman Technology

(Resources, Careers, Education)

12:45 P.M.....**Evaluation/closing**

1:00.....Adjourn

Students return to Schools.



Academic UpRise EXPO & Back to School FLING!

Saturday, November 21, 2009

9:30 A.M.

Opening Ceremony

Welcome

Councilman Dee Andrews
(Recognition of Special Guest)

Let the Games Begin!

Jumpers for Children!
Jumpers for Youth & Adults!

Enjoy the EXPO

Many Resources to take Advantage of!
Educational, Health Care,
Youth Opportunities,
After School Programs!

Turkeys to be raffled off!

Let the fun begin!

Happy Thanksgiving!

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