



18th Biennial Statewide  
Sexual Violence Prevention/ Intervention Conference  
May 7-9, 2007  
Raleigh, North Carolina  
The Sheraton Raleigh Hotel

## Conference @ A Glance

### Monday, May 7, 2007

8:00 am - 9:00 am Registration

9:00 am - 10:00 am Prevention Institute

10:15 am - 10:45 am Health & Wellness

10:45 am - 12:15 pm 3 Concurrent Workshops

(A) Moving Upstream..Primary Prevention 101

(B) Army Sexual Assault Prevention and Response Program – Mary Hale

(C) Sexual Violence within Abusive Same-Sex Intimate Relationships – Christine Murray, Keith Mobley, Anne Buford, & Megan Seaman-DeJohn

12:30pm -1:30pm Keynote Lunch – Aishah Shahidah Simmons

1:45 pm - 3:15pm 3 Concurrent Workshops

(A) Comprehensive Multilevel Approaches to Sexual Violence Prevention

(B) "NO!" The Silence Around Black Women and Rape – Aishah Shahidah Simmons

(C) Creating a Survivor Speakers Bureau– Sarah Dawgert

3:30pm - 4:30pm Plenary

### Tuesday, May 8, 2007

7:30 am - 8:30 am Breakfast

8:30 am - 9:30 am National Snapshot

9:45 am -11:15 am 3 Concurrent Workshops

(A) Step Up and Speak Out...The Importance of Integrating Anti-Oppression Work into Sexual Violence Prevention

(B) Racism and Rape Crisis Movement – Michelle Johnson and Margaret Barrett

(C) Special Topics in Sexual Assault Investigation Part I – Michael Prodan

11:30 am -1:00pm 3 Concurrent Workshops

(A) Media Advocacy to Prevent Sexual Violence

(B) Is your Agency Accessible to Clients with Disabilities? – Carol Nobles, Melissa Radcliff, & Tina McNeill

(C) Special Topics in Sexual Assault Investigation Part II – Michael Prodan

1:00pm - 2:00pm Lunch – Roundtable

2:00pm - 2:30pm Health & Wellness

2:30 pm - 4:00 pm 3 Concurrent Workshops

(A) So Now What?...Putting Primary Prevention into Practice

(B) Hear My Voice...Take a "STAND:" Breaking the Silence Regarding Sexual Violence and Individuals with Disabilities – Jennifer Haynes

(C) Communication with Your Board: How You Say is What You Get – Margaret Henderson

6:30 pm - 10:30 pm Evening Social and Gathering

### Wednesday, May 9, 2007

7:00 am - 8:30 am Breakfast

8:30 am - 10:00 am 3 Concurrent Workshops

(A) The "Why" and "How" of Local Policy Change: Exploring Applications for Sexual Violence Prevention

(B) Raped Again: Blaming the Adolescent Survivor – Elizabeth Walters

(C) Building an Advocacy Toolbox: Essential Nuts & Bolts – Jack Register, Quinstar Coleman, Charmeine Turner, & Robyn Burge

10:00 am - 10:30 am Break

10:30 am - 12:00pm Member meeting

10:30 am - 4:00 pm RPE grantee meeting

## 2007 HOPE GALA

The staff and board of directors of NCCASA cordially request the pleasure of your presence at the 2007 HOPE GALA. The 2007 HOPE GALA will be held on Friday, April 27, at the Carbarrus Arena and Event Center. Join us for a fun-filled evening featuring fabulous food and wonderful entertainment. Special guests include renowned classical vocalist Sarah Morgann and Dan Truhitte, famed for his movie role of Rolf in "The Sound of Music".

Time: 6:00pm - Welcome Reception  
7:00pm - Program begins

Attire: Black tie

Cost: \$100 per person; \$175 per couple

All proceeds benefit NCCASA and its initiatives for advocating for the rights of survivors of sexual violence and local programs that assist survivors, as well as its work to prevent sexual violence in North Carolina and beyond.

For more information, contact Tracy Wright at 1-888-737-2272 or (919) 870-8881.

NCCASA would like to thank their conference sponsors the Governor's Crime Commission and DHHS-Division of Public Health (Injury Prevention and Violence Unit)

## Featured National Presenter



Aishah Shahidah Simmons is an award-winning African-American feminist lesbian documentary filmmaker, international lecturer, published writer, and activist. An incest and rape survivor, she spent eleven years, seven of which were full time, to produce/write/direct NO! Ms. Simmons is the recipient of numerous grants and awards, including the International Federation of Black Prides; 2006 DC Rape Crisis Center's Visionary Award; a major grant from the Ford Foundation to support the international educational marketing and distribution of NO!; 2006 National Award for Outstanding Response to and Prevention of Sexual Violence from the National Sexual Violence Resource Center; Leeway Foundation's 2005 Transformation Award; an Artist-in-Residency at Spelman College's Digital Moving Salon; and several

production/post production grants from the Valentine Foundation, the Bread and Roses Community Fund, the Astraea Lesbian Foundation for Justice, the Delaware Valley Legacy Fund of the Philadelphia Foundation, and the Gloria Steinem Fund of the Ms. Foundation for Women.

Ms. Simmons has lectured on and written multiple articles/essays, which are featured in several anthologies and journals in the United States, England, France, and Italy, about the impact of the intersections of oppressions on Black women's lives. She has also facilitated workshops on how to use cultural work to educate about and heal from sexual violence, and the process of making grassroots social change documentaries, to racially and ethnically diverse audiences at community centers, colleges/universities, high schools, juvenile correctional facilities, rape crisis centers, battered women's shelters, and conferences across the United States and internationally.

[www.NotheRapeDocumentary.org](http://www.NotheRapeDocumentary.org)

"NO!" will be available for sale at the conference [cash & checks made to "AfroLez Productions" accepted]:

- \* \$29.95 for home video use only
- \* \$49.95 for organizations whose annual budget is under \$250,000
- \* \$195 for organizations/institutions whose annual budget is over \$250,000

## Here's what's new this year....

- **STRONG PREVENTION FOCUS** – we have added a track ("A") specifically dedicated to the prevention of sexual violence. Participants will learn about prevention and how to incorporate the prevention of sexual violence into multiple levels of society. Together we **will** prevent sexual violence!
- **HEALTH AND WELLNESS STATIONS** – this added feature gives participants the opportunity to take care of themselves and enjoy needed pampering and relaxation.
- **MORE VENDORS** – an even bigger showcase of vendors/exhibitors, eager to introduce you to their products and services.
- **2nd Annual EVENING SOCIAL & GATHERING** – this popular feature gives advocates and professionals the opportunity to network and interact outside traditional settings. Come and enjoy the food, entertainment, and fellowship!
- **NCCASA eBay AUCTIONS** – there will be two exciting online auctions for participants to place bids. The first auction is for a t-shirt autographed by TY PENNINGTON! Pennington was in Raleigh last fall with Extreme Home Makeover.

The second auction is for a week-long vacation on Hatteras Island at a beautiful canal front home! The beach home on North Carolina's beautiful Outer Banks will be available to the winner September 2-9, 2007 (Labor Day Week). The home boasts 3 bedrooms and 2 bathrooms—perfect for a lovely vacation!

Bidding for both auctions begins on April 29, 2007, and ends on May 8, 2007. Winners will be announced at the end of the conference. For more information and to place your bids, visit:

<http://members.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewUserPage&userid=nccasa>

# Accomodations



## The Sheraton Raleigh Hotel

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**\$59.75 single / \$99.75 double.**  
**Deadline for discounted room rate**  
**APRIL 13, 2006**

### ABOUT THE SHERATON

Located in the heart of downtown Raleigh, the Sheraton Raleigh Hotel has over 355 luxurious guest rooms. The Sheraton Raleigh Hotel is less than a block from the Raleigh Convention and Conference Center and within walking distance of the State Capitol, museums, restaurants, nightlife, and the Progress Energy Center for the Performing Arts.

### HOTEL AMMENITIES

- Sheraton Sweet Sleeper (SM) bed
- High Speed Internet Access
- Indoor Heated Pool
- Fitness Facility
- Room Service
- Wake up Service
- Concierge Service
- Dry Cleaning Service
- Shopping Nearby

### HOTEL RESERVATIONS

When making reservations, be sure to identify yourself with the North Carolina Coalition Against Sexual Assault Conference to receive the conference rate. Discounted rates for this conference will be offered until APRIL 13, 2007. After that date, all rooms being held for this conference that have not been guaranteed will be released to the hotel for sale at the prevailing rate.

Conference attendees are responsible for their own reservations and appropriate payment directly to the hotel.

# Registration Form

Name of participant(s)

Organization

Address

City, State

Zip

Email

Phone number (area code first)

Fax number (area code first)

Vegetarian meal

Disability assistance, specify \_\_\_\_\_

Member:

Early by 4/30 (\$100)

Regular (\$125)

Non-Member:

Early by 4/30 (\$125)

Regular (\$150)

SART Team or two from agency:

(\$175)

Full-time students:

One day (\$25)

Full conference (\$50)

One day only:

\$75

Total fee enclosed: \_\_\_\_\_

Yes, I do plan to attend the Evening Social & Gathering

No, I do not plan to attend the Evening Social & Gathering

### Cancellation Policy

Full refund is only given for cancellation of registration received by 4/16/07. In lieu of cancellation, you may transfer your registration to another person with advance notice given to NCCASA.



Accepted

Make checks payable to and mail to:  
NCCASA

Attn: Conference

183 Wind Chime Court, Suite 100  
Raleigh, NC 27615

Phone: (919) 870-8881  Fax (919) 870-8828

Confirmation of receipt of registration will be provided by email.  
We look forward to seeing you!



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