



**National Comprehensive Center for Teacher Quality**  
**What Works Conference**  
Advancing Student Achievement Through  
Effective Teaching and Leadership

**Agenda—Preliminary Draft**

**November 5–7, 2007**  
**Fairmont Hotel, 2401 M St. N.W., Washington, D.C.**  
**202-429-2400**

**Monday, November 5**

- 11:00 a.m.–1:30 p.m.**    **NCCTQ Staff Meeting and Luncheon**
- 1:30–3:00 p.m.**        **NCCTQ Advisory Board Annual Meeting**
- 3:00–5:00 p.m.**        **NCCTQ Higher Education Council Annual Meeting**  
**NCCTQ Communications Coordination Council Annual Meeting**
- 4:00–6:00 p.m.**        **Registration for the Conference Opens**
- 4:30—6:00**              **Regional Comprehensive Center Teacher Quality Liaison Meeting**
- 6:00 p.m.**                **Pre-conference Dinner and Keynote Presentation**

**Tuesday, November 6**

- 8:00–9:00 a.m.**        **Registration**  
**Continental Breakfast**  
**Regional Team Meetings**
- 9:00–9:15 a.m.**        **Official Welcome to the Conference**
- 9:15–10:15 a.m.**        **Morning Keynote Address**
- 10:30 a.m.–11:45 p.m.**    **Concurrent Sessions**
- 12:00–1:30 p.m.**        **Luncheon Plenary**
- 1:45–3:15 p.m.**        **Working Sessions for Regional Teams**
- 3:30–4:45 p.m.**        **Concurrent Sessions**
- 5:30–7:00 p.m.**        **Reception in the Colonnade**

## **Wednesday, November 7**

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| <b>7:00–9:00 a.m.</b>        | <b>Continental Breakfast</b>                                                                     |
| <b>7:30–8:30 a.m.</b>        | <b>Early Bird Panel</b>                                                                          |
| <b>8:30–9:30 a.m.</b>        | <b>Morning Plenary Session</b>                                                                   |
| <b>9:45–10:45 a.m.</b>       | <b>Roundtable Sessions and Concurrent Presentation</b>                                           |
| <b>11:00 a.m.–12:00 p.m.</b> | <b>Roundtable Sessions and Concurrent Presentation</b>                                           |
| <b>12:15–2:00 p.m.</b>       | <b>Luncheon and Working Session for Regional Teams<br/>Optional: Luncheon Panel Presentation</b> |
| <b>2:15–3:30 p.m.</b>        | <b>General Session and Closing Remarks</b>                                                       |