

# Careers@4: Education

Monday, October 27, 2008

## PANELISTS:

**Anela Freeman**, District Director, The Office of California State Senate Majority Leader Gloria Romero

**Ileana Davalos**, Principal, Los Angeles Unified School District, Eastman Avenue Elementary School

**Meg Palisoc**, Co-Founder & Co-Director, Synergy Academies

**Dr. Melora Sundt**, Professor of Clinical Education & Associate Dean of Academic Programs, University of Southern California's Rossier School of Education

**Angel Bridgeport-Curtis**, Program Coordinator, JET

## RELATED RESOURCES

### Panelist Websites

- California State Senate Majority Leader Gloria Romero: <http://dist24.casen.govoffice.com/>
- Los Angeles Unified School District: <http://www.lausd.net>
- Synergy Academies: <http://wearesynergy.org/>
- USC Rossier School of Education: <http://www.usc.edu/dept/education/index.htm>

### Professional Organizations

- National Council for Accreditation of Teacher Education: [www.ncate.org](http://www.ncate.org)
- Association for Career & Technical Education: [www.acteonline.org](http://www.acteonline.org)
- American Federation of Teachers: [www.aft.org](http://www.aft.org)
- National Association for the Education for Young Children: [www.naeyc.org](http://www.naeyc.org)
- American Counseling Association: [www.counseling.org](http://www.counseling.org)
- American School Counselors Association: [www.schoolcounselor.org](http://www.schoolcounselor.org)
- National Board for Certified Counselors, Inc: [www.nbcc.org](http://www.nbcc.org)
- ACPA – American College Personnel Association: [www.myapca.org](http://www.myapca.org)
- NASPA – Student Affairs Administrators in Higher Education: [www.naspa.org](http://www.naspa.org)
- The National Association of Elementary School Principals: [www.naesp.org](http://www.naesp.org)
- The National Association of Secondary School Principals: [www.nassp.org](http://www.nassp.org)

### Books in Career Planning & Placement Library

- Opportunities in Teaching Careers by Janet Fine
- 101 Career Alternatives for Teachers by Margaret M. Gisler
- The Academic Job Search by Mary Morris Heiberger & Julia Miller Vick
- Careers in Education by Roy A. Edelfelt & Alan J. Reiman
- Real Resumes for Teachers by Anne McKinney
- Rhythms of Academic Life: Personal Accounts of Careers in Academia edited by Peter J. Frost and M. Susan Taylor

### USC Student Organizations/Activities

Chicanos for Progressive Education, Chinese Educational Graduate Organization, Education Graduate Organization (EGO), Joint Educational Project (JEP), PASA (Postsecondary Administration and Student Affairs) Network, Teaching International Relations Program (TIRP), Troy Camp, School Counselors of Tomorrow (SCOT), TESOL/TEFL Society, and USC Masters of Arts in Teaching Student Organization.

## Trade Publications/Websites

- The Chronicle of Higher Education: <http://chronicle.com>
- Academic360: <http://academic360.com>
- Higher Education Recruitment Consortium (HERC): <http://www.socalherc.org>
- Idealist: <http://www.idealist.org>
- Edjoin: <http://www.edjoin.org>

## RESEARCH TIPS (Industries, Organizations and Occupations)

- Reference Career Planning & Placement Center "Research" and "Networking" handouts
- Occupational Outlook Handbook (U.S. Department of Labor): <http://bls.gov/oco/home.htm>
- Occupational Areas Of Interest: Educational Administrators; Education and Health Services; Educational Services; Teacher Assistants; Teachers – Adult Literacy and Remedial and Self-Enrichment Education; Teachers – Pre-School, Kindergarten, Elementary, Middle, and Secondary; Teachers – Postsecondary; Teachers – Special Education

## UPCOMING EVENTS

**Tuesday, October 28, 2008**

Meeting the Challenges of the Job Search 2009

4:00 - 5:00 pm

Trojan Presentation Room - Student Union B3

## COMPANY PROFILE EVENTS

- The Nielsen Company, Tuesday, October 28th - 6:00pm-8:00pm – Trojan Presentation Room – Student Union B3
- Macy's West, Wednesday, October 29th - 5:00pm-7:00pm. – Trojan Presentation Room – Student Union B3
- Yahoo! – Finance Division – Thursday, October 30th – 5:00pm-7:00pm. – Trojan Presentation Room – Student Union B3

## USC CAREER PLANNING & PLACEMENT CENTER

Advising Services: self-assessment; resume and cover letter review; interview preparation; internship and job search assistance; offer evaluation and negotiation. You can schedule an appointment to see an advisor or simply drop by between 12:00 and 3:00 pm Monday through Friday for a 10-minute session.

**Connections With Employers:** The Career Planning & Placement Center provides opportunities for connections with a variety of employers through On-Campus Recruiting Program, Career Fairs (offered each semester, next semester it will occur on February 5, 2009 from 10 am to 2:30 pm), and Internship Week (offered each semester, next semester it will be taking place February 23 - 26, 2009).

**Employment Database:** connectSC (<http://careers.usc.edu>)

**Alumni Contacts:** The Trojan Network

**Career Panels & Workshops:** The Career Planning & Placement Center hosts many career panels and workshops over the course of each semester. Students registered on the connectSC system will be apprised of the details of these events. General information on our career panels and workshops can also be accessed on the calendar at our web site.



