



Hotel Information:

Clarion Hotel

120 East Main Street
Rochester, NY 14604
Phone: (585) 546-6400
\$119 per night

Crowne Plaza Rochester

70 State Street
Rochester, NY 14614
Phone: (585) 546-3450
\$169.95 per night

Hyatt Regency Rochester

125 East Main Street
Rochester, NY 14604
Phone: (585) 546-1234
\$154 per night

** Participants are responsible for their hotel reservations. Please make registrations early.
Space is limited.

The Latino Community is growing nationally, and Upstate New York is not an exemption. The Latino Upstate Summit will offer you the opportunity to better understand the issues of this growing population in the Upstate New York region.

There are many serious issues facing the Latino community. Topics such as Immigration, Youth, Latino Health, Education, and Economic Development are just a few of the many subject matters we will discuss at this event. This forum is the ideal opportunity to enhance one's knowledge of current issues and trends affecting Latinos. In addition you will learn more about the Latino community. This event presents a unique networking opportunity for professionals from all sectors, corporate, public, government and non profit.

The second annual Latino Upstate Summit includes Latino Community based Organizations from Albany, Amsterdam, Rome-Utica, Syracuse, Buffalo and Rochester. These CBO's will come together to discuss their growing concerns and best practices when serving their communities. In order to bring consciousness to these issues, best practices and outcome based interventions will be showcased.

Don't miss this opportunity to engage with other professionals who work closely with the Latino community in the different sectors throughout New York, and to meet the "Who is Who" in this sector of Empire State.



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The 2nd Annual Latino Upstate Summit

Friday, October 17, 2008
Rochester Riverside Convention Center
Rochester, New York

The Latino Upstate Summit is brought to you by:



Registration Form

Please indicate which sessions you would like to attend.
Please use ONE registration form per person.
Send completed form with check or money order payable to:

Ibero-American Action League, Inc.
ATTN: Zory Martinez-Allocco
911 East Main Street
Rochester, NY 14605

Workshops & Lunch \$75.00

Please indicate which sessions you would like to attend.

Session I: _____

Session II: _____

Session III: _____

Session IV: _____

Workshops, Lunch & Ibero's 40th Celebration Dinner \$125.00

Ibero's 40th Celebration Dinner ONLY \$50.00 (\$27 of the price of each \$50 may be considered a charitable contribution, and is tax deductible.)

Name: (Contact Person) _____

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Please note:

We are unable to accommodate new reservations at the door.

Workshops

IMMIGRATION: "Latinos and Immigration"

The immigration workshop will focus on Latino workers at great risk of being exploited including, labor trafficking. Because of the lack of documentation they can be cheated out of wages, denied access to health and safety information and be treated disrespectfully. Our presenters will each bring their views of the different aspects of immigrant labor.

YOUTH: "What do you see when you see me"

A youth guided discussion with skits and break out groups. Youth will present and discuss with adults what works for them using skits and small group discussions. They will challenge adults and will be challenged back.

HEALTH: "Health care and it's growing concerns among Latinos"

It's with out a doubt that health care has been a burning topic among all, however for Latinos the concerns are even greater. You will gain knowledge regarding the specific issues that relate to the health disparities among Latinos and the issues they face in accessing proper health care.

EDUCATION: "Education of Latino Youth: Basta el ¡Ay Bendito!"

Their success depends on the committed collaboration of the "whole village"/comunidad.

The panelists will discuss the education of Latino students with a focus on the drop-out rates including the root causes, possible solutions, best practices and effective collaboration. An overarching theme for the discussion will emphasize the need for the "whole village/comunidad" (parents, advocates, CBO, school system, Federal State and local levels) to commit to working together to find the solutions.

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT " The Economy in our region"

Our nation within the last years has faced major economic change and the Upstate New York Region has not been any different. During this session you will learn about the current economic status of Latinos in our area. What are the trends and what does the future hold? What's within our control and what is not?

AGENDA

7:30 am – 8:30 am
Registration & Continental Breakfast

8:30 am – 9:45 am
Plenary *(with Elected Officials)*

10:00 am – 10:50 am Session I
A. Immigration
B. Youth
C. Health
D. Education

11:00 am – 11:50 am Session II
A. Economic Development
B. Youth
C. Health
D. Education

12:00 pm – 1:30 pm
Lunch *(with Speaker)*

1:40 pm – 2:30 pm Session III
A. Immigration
B. Youth
C. Health
D. Education

2:40 pm – 3:30 am Session IV
A. Economic Development
B. Youth
C. Health
D. Education

3:40 pm – 5:00 pm
Reports & Closing

For registration, please select one topic per session. Keep this section for your records.

Please cut out this portion and return with your payment for registration. Thank!