

## Illinois Women's Leadership Conference



**University Women's  
Professional Advancement**  
Southern Illinois University Carbondale



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Advancement

Following the UWPA Women's Leadership Series, the Illinois Network of Women in Higher Education (INWHE) is hosting a conference for academic women:

### *"Leading From Where You Are"*

April 24, 2009

University of Illinois Urbana-  
Champaign.

For more information about the  
conference please see  
<http://inwhe.org/conference>

For travel support to attend the  
INWHE conference, please  
contact UWPA at [uwpa@siu.edu](mailto:uwpa@siu.edu)

*The mission of UWPA is to enhance  
opportunities for the professional  
development and advancement of women  
at Southern Illinois University Carbondale,  
thereby contributing to the University's  
overall effectiveness and progress.*

**To register for the Women's Leadership Series  
and to RSVP for the Luncheon  
on April 13, 2009**

**contact UWPA at [uwpa@siu.edu](mailto:uwpa@siu.edu)**

**618-453-1366**

**Deadline to register for the Luncheon is**

**April 6, 2009**

## Women's Leadership Series

Weekly events from  
March 25, 2009 to  
April 13, 2009



## UWPA Women's Leadership Series, March 25-April 13, 2009

*The UWPA Women's Leadership Series is designed to provide opportunities for women students, staff, and faculty to learn from the experiences of women leaders and to gain knowledge and skills that can support their efforts to serve as leaders in our campus community.*

### **Events 1 & 2: March 25**

#### **Mississippi Room, SIUC Student Center**

**3-4 pm** "Finding Our Way In"

— Panel of SIUC Women Leaders

**4-5 pm** "Finding Your Leadership Style"

— Dr. Cynthia Sims, Workforce Education

### **Events 3 & 4: April 1**

#### **Mississippi Room**

**3-4 pm** "Being a (Woman) Leader"

— Panel of SIUC Women Leaders

**4-5 pm** "Everything I learned about being a woman leader I read in a book"

—Dr. Michelle Hughes Miller, UWPA

### **Events 5 & 6: April 8**

#### **Mississippi Room**

**3-4 pm** "Making a Difference Throughout Our Careers"

— Panel of Former SIUC Women Leaders and Community Leaders

**4-5 pm** "Networking to Lead"



### **Event 7: April 13, 2009**

#### **Ballroom B, SIUC Student Center**

**11:30 am-1:30 pm  
Luncheon and Talk**

"Women as Transformational Leaders: Why their leadership is so important"

Dr. Venita Kelley, CEO of Kelley Communications and Consulting and Urban Scholar with Central State University in Ohio on the Governor's Initiative to Increase Graduation Rates

Note: The Luncheon requires advance registration. Contact UWPA at [uwpa@siu.edu](mailto:uwpa@siu.edu).