

CAPITAL COMMUNITY COLLEGE
2019 BLACK & LATINO MALES SUMMIT
Hartford, CT

Call for proposals deadline: March 22, 2019 at 11:59pm EST.

Symposium Date: April 25, 2019

Please send your proposals and questions to Paul Singleton II, psingleton@capitalcc.edu.

DESCRIPTION

The Summit is an opportunity for individuals to engage in meaningful exchange centering the experiences of Black and Latino males in education. Current high school and college students, community leaders and professionals are invited to attend. The goal of the summit is to promote postsecondary educational attainment of Black and Latino males, and offer culturally relevant strategies, information, and resources to better equip students for personal, academic and career success. All sessions will seek to motivate, inspire, and educate attendees on today's most relevant issues impacting Black and Latino males. We welcome presenters representing various groups, including high school juniors and seniors, 2-and 4-year college students, teachers, Pk-12 school administrators, college professors, industry professionals and community members. Proposals should engage attendees across education levels and have direct relevance to the experiences of Black and Latino males in the U.S. secondary and post-secondary education systems.

LOCATION

Please join us at Capital Community College, located in 950 Main St, Hartford, CT 06103. Registration and check-in will be held on the 11th floor.

CALL FOR PROPOSALS

This year's Summit theme is: *Rewriting Our Narrative (of the Black & Latino Male Identity)*

All proposals are welcome, but we particularly encourage submissions on the following content areas:

1. Masculinity/Male Identity
2. Career and Professional Development
3. Entrepreneurship
4. Retention, Graduation, and Academic Achievement
5. Social and Community Engagement
6. Navigating Spaces as a Male of Color

SUBMISSION GUIDELINES

Proposals can take one of three forms: (a) paper/complete session, (b) a panel discussion, or (c) a workshop. **Note: Proposals that emphasize community colleges will get priority consideration.** Please note that references are required, but do not count towards word limit.

- Paper session: Proposals should spell out the paper's focus and rationale; if accepted, this paper and others related to it will be combined into a complete session. An individual-paper proposal should be single-spaced and between 750-1000 words,

excluding references. It should include the topic and an overview of the findings or conclusions, a discussion of how the paper relates to other scholarship in the field, and the sources.

- **Complete Session:** Proposals should provide a prospectus for a coherent collection of 3 papers, including a title for the session, a title and summary of each paper, and a chair and discussant, if possible. A complete-session proposal should be single-spaced and between 1000-1500 words, excluding references. The proposal should include the topic and an overview of the findings or conclusions, a discussion of how the session relates to other scholarship in the field, and the sources.
- **Panel Discussion:** Proposals should outline a session in which a group of three or four qualified panelists presents a series of thought-pieces that discuss important issues, research, or books in the field. A panel-discussion proposal should be single-spaced and no more than 2000 words, excluding references. The proposal should include an overview of the discussion topic, the major findings or conclusions, how they contribute to the field, and a chair.
- **Workshop:** Proposals should explain the focus of the session, the number of leaders (no more than three), and how the session will proceed. A workshop proposal should be single-spaced and no more than 1500 words, excluding references. The proposal should describe the plan of the workshop, the intended audience, the activities, and the workshop's connections to larger issues in education.

The submission website will be available beginning February 25, 2019. Proposals are due on or before Friday, March 22, 2019 (no later than 11:59 p.m. EST).

SUBMISSION PROCEDURES

- To submit a proposal, please email a **pdf version of your proposal** with the subject "Summit Proposal" along with the designated contact person's name, email and phone number.
- To reduce wait time, we will be reviewing proposals and contacting presenters on an on-going basis,
- **Please send your proposals and questions to Paul Singleton II, psingleton@capitalcc.edu.**