

OC Human Relations Presents

# Walk In My Shoes

*16<sup>th</sup> Annual BRIDGES Middle School Youth Conference*

Friday, March 5

Program: 8:30am-1:15pm; Registration: Begins at 7:45am

California State University, Fullerton

Titan Student Union 800 N. State College Blvd

Your school is invited to bring up to 20 participants to a day-long conference that brings together students and teachers from across Orange County. Participants will explore issues of identity and culture, develop their leadership skills and be exposed to examples of successful youth activism. Our goal is to empower and mobilize students to work towards creating positive social change in their schools and communities.

Walk In My Shoes BRIDGES Youth Conference offers over two dozen dynamic, thought provoking workshops addressing human relations issues through interactive skill-building workshops, theater, panel discussions, and presentations by students and community organizers.

### Students Say:

*"...priceless knowledge"*

*"changed my views on a lot of things"*

*"...workshops that teenagers care about & are interested in."*

*....motivates me to take action!"*

Due to the generosity of our sponsors, we are able to offer the conference at the modest cost of \$15 per person. A box lunch is included in the registration fee.



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To register, email the information to: [Dave@ochumanrelations.org](mailto:Dave@ochumanrelations.org)

Or complete and fax or mail the registration form to:

Dave Southern, OC Human Relations  
1300 S. Grand Ave, Building B, Santa Ana, CA 92705  
Fax: (714) 567-7474

***Register early - space is limited - first come, first served!  
Send an email indicating your interest as soon as possible!***

### PLEASE PRINT

School: \_\_\_\_\_

### Advisor/Contact Information:

1. \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: (    ) \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: (    ) \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Total number of participants registered: \_\_\_\_\_ (Max 20)

We'd like to bring more than 20- please wait list us for an additional: \_\_\_\_\_

Dietary Needs: Please indicate number of Vegetarian meals required: \_\_\_\_\_

*To guarantee seats, we must receive a check or purchase order by February 26. Make checks out to OC Human Relations and please note the name of the school registering AND that the payment is for Walk In My Shoes on your check or P.O. You are responsible for paying \$15 times the number of participants registered, no matter how many actually attend the event.*

### **Special Note for 2010 and the School Budget Crisis**

We realize that many schools are facing serious funding restrictions this school year making it difficult to arrange for substitutes and buses. With this in mind, here are some suggestions:

- *If there is money available for subs &/or buses in your district, book them as early as possible.*
- *Arrange for a non-teaching colleague to bring students to the event*
- *Arrange with your colleagues to cover your classes during their prep times*
- *Arrange for parents to carpool and supervise students*
- *Encourage the PTA to fundraise*
- *Share a bus with another school in your district*
- *Borrow a van from your school district*