

Dear Ms Davis,

Thanks for your message regarding the conference in March.

Our workshop topic is "Empowering Women to Pursue Higher Education: Stories and Strategies"

Description of Presentation: Stories of women will be used as examples and strategies for beating the odds and pursuing higher education will be provided.

My Biographical Sketch

My name is Dr. Alberta Yeboah. I am an Associate Professor of Social Science

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University, Jackson, Mississippi. I obtained my undergraduate degree in Social

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and Instruction with an emphasis in Social Studies Education from Ohio University

in Athens, Ohio. I currently serve as a member of the Editorial Advisory Board

of Collegiate Press of San Diego, California and a Reader/Reviewer for the Jackson

State University "Researcher". My research interests focus on educational reform,

multicultural education, issues in Social Science Education, gender issues, ethnic and racial issues, issues in urban education, homelessness and globalization

of education.

My colleague, Dr. Tabitha Otieno, will send her biographical sketch.

Thanks for giving us the opportunity to present at the conference.

Alberta Yeboah