

UNIVERSITY *of* NORTHERN COLORADO



Dear UNC Faculty and Staff:

This fall, the University of Northern Colorado is launching a multi-year initiative to develop and maintain an inclusive campus that welcomes and supports the faculty, staff and students who comprise the university community. Toward this end, the University has selected Carolyn Love of Kebaya Coaching~Consulting and George Crochet of the Crochet Consulting Group to assist us in developing innovative strategies for a more inclusive campus.

As the initiative gets underway, we are seeking input from members of the campus community regarding the issues the university will need to address over the next few years in order to achieve our goal. Your input is critical to the success of this process, and I hope you will be able to attend one of ten focus group sessions that will occur November 9-16. You will find a schedule listing the days, times, and locations of the sessions at the end of this email.

By sharing your experiences, thoughts, and opinions, you will be helping the consultants identify the issues that matter most at UNC and contributing to the overall success of the initiative. The information you provide will be used to shape activities that will occur during spring semester including an assessment to benchmark the level of bias that currently exists and workshops to provide strategies for moving forward.

Carolyn and George have been meeting with student, staff, faculty, and administrative leadership and governance groups over the past month and have already learned much about our university community. I hope you will add your voice to the conversation by attending one of the focus sessions.

Sincerely,

Allen Huang, Ed.D.
Provost and Senior Vice President for Academic Affairs

Upcoming Diversity Focus Group Sessions

November 9

9:30-11 Candelaria 1025
2-3:30 Ross 60

November 10

10:30-12 McKee 219
1:30-3 UC Spruce A

November 13

11:15-12:45 Michener L73
1:30-3 Gunter 1120
3:30-5 Candelaria 2140

November 14

12:30-2 UC Spruce B
3:30-5 Michener L85

November 16

11-12:30 Gunter 1150