AGENDA FOR THE DAY

9:25-9:30
VOICE OF CULTURE DRUM AND DANCE-DRUMMERS INVOCATION...Event opening

9:30-9:40
• Welcome: Dr. Walt Jacobs, Chair African American & African Studies
• Facilitator, Dr. Rose Brewer: Introduction, Goals and agenda of the pre-conference:
  • “Organizing for Social Change Today: The Youth Challenge”

9:40-10:10 -Culture and Politics
• Spoken Word, Poetic Assassins, 15min
• Sha Cage & (MN Spoken Word Association Youth Liberation Poets) 15min

10:10-10:30
• Setting the Stage: Sam Grant

10:30-10:45 Cultural presentation
• Historical Slide Show Arranged by: Jonathan Rabb 5min
• Frank Sentwali 7 min Performance

10:45-11:25 (40min)
• Activist Panel (The 40th Anniversary Activists) 3min each intro
• Panelist introductions followed by a student facilitated question/answer dialogue
• Rose Massey, Dr. Manuel Woods, Dr Horace Huntley, Bill Tilton, Marie Williams
  (Student Facilitators: Dionne Dillard, Jalessa Joy)

11:25-11:30
Short 5 min Stretching Break & Re-energizer lead by Sha Cage

11:30-12:30 (60min)
Intergenerational Fishbowl: An intergenerational conversation | Facilitator, Dr. Brewer
under 20 Jazzmin Brooks, Dafina Bobo, Brittany Delaney
20-30 Verse, Derek Biney, Alisha Volante
30-40 Chaka Mkali, Shá Cage, Lena Jones
40-50 Sam Grant, Cheryl Wilson
over 50 Rose Freeman Massey, Horace Huntley, August Nimtz Jr.

12:30-12:50: Lunch

12:55-1:05: African Dance Performance by VOICE OF CULTURE DRUM AND DANCE
• As lunch is completed 7-10min

1:10-1:40 (30min) Where do we go from here? Student Breakout groups

1:45-2:00 Closing Remarks
• Cultural visuals of the Takeover slide show as audience adjourns