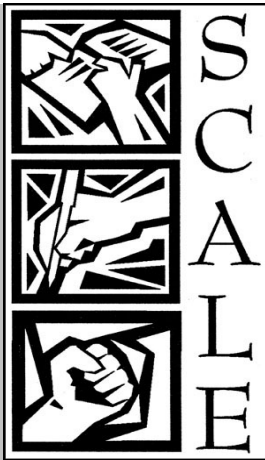


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STUDENT COALITION FOR ACTION IN LITERACY EDUCATION

**READ. WRITE. ACT.
2005 NATIONAL CONFERENCE**

October 28-29, 2005
UNC-Chapel Hill
Chapel Hill, North Carolina

Each year, SCALE hosts the Read. Write. Act. National Conference, the only national conference devoted to the interests and concerns of campus-based programs. Campus literacy leaders and representatives from across the nation gather each fall for an intensive weekend of workshops, round tables, and networking events. Campus programs, tutors, coordinators, adult learners, administrators, and community partners come to share information, learn new skills, challenge assumptions, and develop ideas to create more participatory literacy programs.

**FEATURED AT
2005 READ.WRITE.ACT.**

**KEYNOTE SPEAKER:
WARREN BUFORD, CHILDREN'S DEFENSE FUND**

"Linking Literacy, Liberation and Leaving No Child Behind"

Warren Buford will address the connection between literacy, liberation and Leaving No Child Behind. He will discuss how this connection is essential in order to create an America in which we *truly* leave no child behind by viewing literacy-empowerment as an essential element in the process of "liberation" and by putting this value into practice in our service and advocacy work.

Warren Buford is committed to empowering college-age youth to be change-agents for increased educational, social, and political opportunities for children in America, through service *and* advocacy. He currently serves as the Children's Defense Fund Freedom Schools™ Deputy Director for Operations and New Initiatives, where he oversees day-to-day operations of the national program and new initiatives, which include the *Freedom Schools Higher Education Partnership Initiative*. Prior to joining CDF, Warren spent eighteen months in Cape Town, South Africa, as a *Rotary International Ambassadorial Fellow*. During his time in Cape Town he worked for the Centre for the Study of Violence and Reconciliation and pursued graduate studies in peace-building, transitional justice, and political and social transformation at the University of Cape Town. His graduate work focused on rights of victims in post-conflict political transitions, with specific attention given to the South African Truth and Reconciliation Commission.

SPECIAL EVENT: "REHEARSALS FOR ACTION"

Augusto Boal's "Theater of the Oppressed" as a tool for Transformative Dialogue

SAMPLE WORKSHOPS:

- Literacy and ESOL Tutoring Techniques.
- Race, Class, and Literacy
- Student Leadership Makes a Difference
- Kitchens, Classrooms, and Swimming Pools: Equalizing Access to Resources in an Academic Community
- Contemporary Multicultural Poetry as a Literacy Tool
- Writing About Family Matters
- And More!

ROUND TABLE DISCUSSIONS:

- Service Learning and Reflection
- Literacy Policy and Advocacy
- Community Partnerships
- Adult Learner Leadership
- College Student Leadership

introducing

**"Ten Indicators of
Effective Tutoring Programs"**
SCALE's new resource for evaluating and improving your program.

LAUNCHING

"ReadWriteAct.Org"
The newly designed, information-packed SCALE website including an extensive Trainer Toolkit, Resource Library, and more!

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WHAT YOU'LL LEARN:

- Practical, effective strategies for enhancing child, adolescent and adult literacy.
- Updates on education policy and research that affect national literacy.
- Inventive approaches to partnership building.
- Inspiring plans to increase involvement in service learning.

WHO YOU'LL MEET:

- Nationally recognized experts in the field of literacy and service learning.
- Student leaders who make a difference in their campus and communities.
- Innovative program administrators who build valuable partnerships among colleges, students, learners, and community resources.
- AmeriCorps/VISTA volunteers, America Reads administrators, Service Learning Faculty, literacy learners, and others!

REGISTRATION INFORMATION:

You may register by mail, fax, or on-line.

Mail:

SCALE

UNC-Chapel Hill, CB#3505

Chapel Hill, NC 27599-3505

Fax: 919.962.6020

On-Line: <http://readwriteact.org/conference/registration.html>

FEES:

Registration includes Friday and Saturday workshops, lunch, and refreshments on both days, and entry into special events. Early bird registration ends on August 31, 2005.

MEMBER	Early Bird	Regular
Student	\$50	\$75
Staff/Community	\$175	\$225
NON-MEMBER	Early Bird	Regular
Student	\$75	\$100
Staff/Community	\$225	\$250

ACCOMMODATIONS:

Conference rates have been secured at three hotels located near UNC-Chapel Hill:

Hampton Inn and Suites

20 rooms blocked for conference participants. (Must reserve by September 30.)

Reservations: 919.403.8700 / 800.HAMPTON

*NOTE: When making reservations, mention group code "UNC SCALE-Read. Write. Act. Conference" to get conference room rates.

Holiday Inn Express

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Reservations: 919.489.7555 / 800.HOLIDAY /email laurie@atmahotelgroup.com

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Holiday Inn-Chapel Hill

15 rooms blocked for conference participants. (Must reserve by September 30)

Reservations: 919.929.2171 / 888.452.5765 / fax 919.929.5736

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The mission of SCALE is to mobilize and support college students and campus-based programs to address the literacy needs of this country. Through a dynamic partnership between campus and community, SCALE develops leaders who are agents of social change.