



The Langston Hughes Society



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TO: Langston Hughes Society Members and Friends
FROM: Dellita Martin-Ogunsola, Univ. of Alabama at Birmingham

Mr. **Kevin Powell** will be the keynote speaker at the Langston Hughes Society Luncheon on **Thursday, April 10, 2008**, at the Francis Marion Hotel, 387 King Street, Charleston, SC. The luncheon will be held in conjunction with the Sixty-eighth Annual Convention and Seventy-first Anniversary of the College Language Association hosted by The College of Charleston and cosponsored by Claflin University and South Carolina State University, April 9-12, 2008.

We must give the hotel a firm number of people who will be attending the luncheon. Cost: \$39.00. Please indicate if you plan to attend the luncheon by March 31, 2008.

Please return the bottom portion of this memo to:

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Call for Papers: LHS @ MLA, 27-30 December, 2008, San Francisco, CA

Langston Hughes, American Intellectuals, and the Loss of Civil Liberties in the McCarthy Era. Papers connecting Langston Hughes's writing with that of other American intellectuals who fell into the McCarthy dragnet in the 1950s. One-page abstract and biographical profile e-mailed by **7 March 2008** to Dr. Dellita Martin-Ogunsola (dellita@uab.edu).

NOTE: One must be a member of the Modern Language Association and the Langston Hughes Society by **1 April 2008**.

We thank you for your continued support of the Langston Hughes Society.

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Langston Hughes Society Luncheon
Thursday, April 10, 2008, 12:00 to 1:15 p.m.
Francis Marion Hotel (Colonial Ballroom)

Name: _____

Institution: _____

_____ I plan to attend the Langston Hughes Society Luncheon.

_____ I need a vegetarian meal.

_____ Number of attendees for luncheon @ \$39.00/person

Please make check payable to the *Langston Hughes Society*.
(One does not have to be a member of the LHS to attend the luncheon)

Disclaimer: There will be no refunds. All sales are final.