

## 2010 Keynote Speakers

**Friday February 26<sup>th</sup>, 2010 Rosalind Wiseman**

**Saturday February 27<sup>th</sup>, 2010 Dr. Stuart Chen-Hayes**

### **Rosalind Wiseman**

Rosalind Wiseman is an internationally recognized expert on children, teens, parenting, bullying, social justice, and ethical leadership.

Wiseman is the author of *Queen Bees and Wannabes: Helping Your Daughter Survive Cliques, Gossip, Boyfriends, and Other Realities of Adolescence*. Twice a *New York Times* Bestseller, *Queen Bees & Wannabes* was the basis for the 2004 movie *Mean Girls*. Her follow-up book *Queen Bee Moms and Kingpin Dads* was released in 2006, and she is a monthly columnist for *Family Circle* magazine.

Since founding the Empower Program, a national violence-prevention program, in 1992, Wiseman has gone on to work with tens of thousands of students, educators, parents, counselors, coaches, and administrators to create communities based on the belief that each person has a responsibility to treat themselves and others with dignity. Audiences have included the American School Counselors Association, Capital One, National Education Association, Girl Scouts, Neutrogena, Young Presidents Association, Independent School Associations and the International Chiefs of Police, as well as countless schools throughout the U.S. and abroad.

She is a frequent guest on the Today Show and been profiled in *The New York Times*, *People*, *Los Angeles Times*, *Chicago Tribune*, *Washington Post*, *USA Today*, Oprah, Nightline, CNN, Good Morning America, and National Public Radio affiliates throughout the country.

#### **In 2009, Rosalind Wiseman has three publications scheduled for release:**

- Her groundbreaking book *Queen Bees & Wannabes* will be updated with a chapter on younger girls, insights on how technology has impacted kids' social landscapes, and new commentary from girls and boys;
- The *Owning Up Curriculum*, a comprehensive social justice program for grades 6-12, will reflect an ever-changing adolescent culture, and incorporate new strategies for using media to engage students;
- And a new young adult novel will mark Wiseman's first foray into fiction. The book follows its 14 year-old heroine, Charlotte Healey, as she navigates the personal and social challenges of her freshman year of high school.

Wiseman has a Bachelor of Arts in Political Science from Occidental College. She lives in Washington D.C. with her husband and two sons.

### **Stuart Chen-Hayes**

Dr. Stuart Chen-Hayes is Program Coordinator and Associate Professor of Counselor Education/School Counseling in the Counseling, Leadership, Literacy, and Special Education (CLLSE) Department at Lehman College of the City University of New York, which is accredited both by the Council on the Accreditation of

Counseling and Related Educational Programs (CACREP) [www.cacrep.org](http://www.cacrep.org) and the National Council for the Accreditation of Teacher Education programs (NCATE) [www.ncate.org](http://www.ncate.org).

Dr. Chen-Hayes was born and raised in Park Forest, IL and graduated from Indiana University with a bachelor's degree in Journalism and Religious Studies and a master's degree in Counseling and Counselor Education. He graduated from Kent State University with a Ph.D. in Counselor Education. Dr. Chen-Hayes is a National Certified Counselor [www.nbcc.org](http://www.nbcc.org) and a Licensed Clinical Professional Counselor (IL, inactive). He has counseled in middle schools, community mental health counseling, chemical dependency counseling, college and university counseling and residence life, family counseling, and a group practice in sexuality and couples counseling and psychiatry. He also has served as a equity-focused school counseling program consultant and trainer in elementary, middle, and high schools and K-12 school districts. He has been on the Lehman/CUNY Counselor Education/School Counseling faculty since 1998, and taught as a Counselor Educator for five years at National-Louis University in Chicago. Since 2000, he has coordinated Lehman's Counselor Education/School Counseling program partnership as a companion institution with the Education Trust's National Center for Transforming School Counseling (NCTSC) [www2.edtrust.org...+School+Counseling/main](http://www2.edtrust.org...+School+Counseling/main). In 2007, Dr. Chen-Hayes was Visiting Professor of Counseling at National Changhua University of Education in Changhua, Taiwan.

Dr. Chen-Hayes is a member of Chi Sigma Iota, the international professional counseling honorary, and has received many awards including: a 2009 recipient of the National Center for Transforming School Counseling's (NCTSC) Trailblazer Award, a 2008 recipient of the Association for Multicultural Counseling and Development (AMCD) Human Rights Award, designated in 2007 a Leader in the Field by Microtraining & Associates [www.emicrotraining.com](http://www.emicrotraining.com), and a 1995 recipient of the 'Ohana Honors Award from the American Counseling Association (ACA).

Dr. Chen-Hayes is a member of the American School Counselor Association (ASCA) [www.schoolcounselor.org](http://www.schoolcounselor.org), the American Counseling Association (ACA) [www.counseling.org](http://www.counseling.org), the Association for Counselor Education and Supervision (ACES) [www.acesonline.net](http://www.acesonline.net), and President-Elect of the North Atlantic Region of the Association of Counselor Educators and Supervisors (NARACES) [www.naraces.org](http://www.naraces.org). He is a past-president of Counselors for Social Justice (CSJ), the Illinois Counseling Association (ICA), and the Illinois Association for Multicultural Counseling (IAMC). He is on the editorial boards of the Professional School Counseling journal and the Journal of Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual, and Transgendered Issues in Counseling. He serves as a book reviewer for both Corwin Press and the American Counseling Association.

Dr. Chen-Hayes has written and/or co-authored 40 refereed research publications in journals including Contemporary Sociology; Counseling and Human Development; Excelsior: The Journal of Teaching and Learning; The Family Journal: Counseling and Therapy for Couples and Families; Journal of American College Health; Journal of Humanistic Counseling, Education, and Development; Journal of Lesbian and Gay Social Services; Professional School Counseling; Journal of Marital and Family Therapy; in various edited book chapters; and in DVDs including "Equity-focused School Counseling: Career and College Readiness for Every K-12 Student" (2009) and "Counseling LBGT Youth in Schools and Families, Vols. 1, 2" (2000) with Microtraining Associates [www.emicrotraining.com](http://www.emicrotraining.com). He has delivered 150 professional counseling and social justice advocacy presentations.

Dr. Chen-Hayes is a member of the New Jersey Gay Men's Chorus [www.njgmc.org](http://www.njgmc.org), the Family Equality Council [www.familyequality.org](http://www.familyequality.org), a regular participant with Center Kids [www.gaycenter.org](http://www.gaycenter.org), an event organizer for Jumpstart's Read for the Record [www.readfortherecord.org](http://www.readfortherecord.org), and with YingHua International School (YHIS) as president of the YHIS Family Association (YHFA) and as bilingual school counseling program consultant [www.yhis.org](http://www.yhis.org).