

**National Tribal Education Departments Forum**  
**Sunday, October 1, 2006**  
Sacramento Convention Center, Room 306, Sacramento, CA  
In conjunction with the Annual Session of the National Congress of American Indians

**DRAFT AGENDA (09-14-06)**

- 8:00 a.m. Continental Breakfast Buffet for Forum Participants
- 9:00 a.m. Welcome by Matthew Franklin, Chairman, Ione Band of Miwok Indians; Blessing by Gen Denton, (*Miwok*) ; and, Introductions
- 9:30 a.m. *Updates on Yankton Sioux Tribe v. Kempthorne; Navajo Nation v. Kempthorne; and Eight Northern Indian Pueblos Council v. Kempthorne (federal court lawsuits over BIE / OIEP restructuring)*
- 10:15 a.m. Break
- 10:30 a.m. *Tribal Education Departments in California: A Panel Presentation by Brenda Montero, Tribal Education Director, Viejas Band of Kumeyaay Indians (*invited*); Marcellene Norton, Tribal Education Director, Hoopa Valley Tribe; and, Jim McQuillen, Tribal Education Director, Yurok Tribe*
- 12:00 p.m. Lunch provided for Forum participants; Luncheon Program:
- Brief Update on the California State University System's Outreach Efforts to the American Indian Population by Jorge Haynes, Senior Director of External Relations, Office of the Chancellor*
- Keynote Address, Issues in the Education of California's Native American Students, Curtis Notsinneh, Legislative Aide to California Assemblymember Jackie Goldberg*
- 1:30 p.m. *What You Need to Know About Tribal Sovereignty over Education: An Open Training Session for Tribal Leaders*
- 3:30 p.m. Break
- 3:45 p.m. *Finalizing TEDNA's Report and Recommendations to NCAI regarding the Reauthorization of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act / No Child Left Behind Act – A Working Session Open to All Interested*
- 5:00 p.m. Adjourn

**A TEDNA BOARD MEETING WILL FOLLOW THE FORUM:  
TEDNA MEMBERS ARE WELCOME TO ATTEND THE BOARD MEETING**

***There is no registration fee for this Forum***

***The Forum is Co-Sponsored by NCAI, NIEA, TEDNA, NARF, NISBA, the Rosebud Sioux Tribe, Capitol Area Indian Resources, Inc., California Tribal University, and the California State University Chancellor's Office***