

# **The United States Conference of Mayors Workforce Development Council (WDC)**

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### **22<sup>nd</sup> Annual Congressional Forum**

**September 20 – 21, 2010**

**St. Gregory Hotel  
Washington, DC**

The U.S. Conference of Mayors Workforce Development Council holds a Congressional Forum each fall to bring together local workforce development professionals and Washington officials in an intimate setting. The meetings feature dynamic and timely agendas, opportunities to dialogue with Congressional staff and administration appointees in key roles related to the workforce system, and others.

For example, in 2009, the Forum included speakers such as:

- Assistant Secretary for Employment and Training Administration of the U.S. Department of Labor Jane Oates
- The Legislative Aide to Michigan Senator Debbie Stabenow
- The Majority Professional Staff from both the Senate and House Subcommittees on Labor, Health and Human Services Subcommittee of the Appropriations Committee
- The Special Assistant to the President in the Office of Mobility and Opportunity of the Domestic Policy Council
- The Vice President for Economic Development at the American Association of Community Colleges
- The Majority Education Policy Advisor and the Minority Education Policy Director from the Senate Health, Education, Labor and Pensions (HELP) Committee and a Professional Staff member from the Subcommittee on Employment and Workforce Safety of the Senate HELP Committee.

The Forum was preceded by a day-long training session on the Challenges and Successes of the 2009 Summer Jobs Program. A training session also is scheduled for this year.

Registration information will be forthcoming. For inquiries, please contact Ida Mukendi on the WDC staff at 202-861-6724 or [imukendi@usmayors.org](mailto:imukendi@usmayors.org).

Please plan to attend.