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McNair Scholars Program Division of Campus Life and University Relations

#### **Ronald E. McNair 19th Annual Closing Symposium** On July 25, 2014, McNair and EPSCoR (EPS)

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Dr. Glendon Miller Dr. Evan Palmer	Dr. Jeff Noble Dr. Mark Vermillion	Elka Garcia - MS Bio Sara Gomez - MA Spa
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Dr. Sarah R. Taylor	Dr. Michael Birzer	
Dr. Michelle Redmond	Dr. Donald Distler	Happy Birthday! to those birthdays during the months of June, July,
Dr. Susan Bray	Dr. Jodie Hertzog	Ann Weatherman • June 11th
Rosa Palacio	Joshua Palacios	LaWanda Holt-Fields • July 2nd
Dr. Francisco Florez-Cuautle	Dr. Anil Mahapatro	Janelle Petrisor • July 7th
Dr. Mike Rogers	Dr. Janet Twomey	Stan Saiz Jr. • July 15th
Dr. Moriah Beck	Dr. Rhonda Lewis	
Dr. Rhonda Lewis	Kendra Stewart (EPS) <i>BreAnn Collins</i>	

1. Clear, Concise, and Well-constructed Language

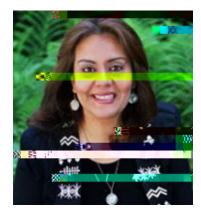
2. Construct Veritable Content

## **Events to Come**

	6	Research Assembly Meeting
		"Writing and Editing"
	9 - 11	Summer Research Seminar
	12 - 13	Library Database Tour
Organizing and Citing Sources	18	GRE Prep — Session 1
	25	GRE Prep — Session 2
	27	Manuscript Rough Draft Due
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	2	GRE Prep — Session 3
	11	<b>Research Assembly Meeting</b> <i>"Presentation Skills"</i>
	9	GRE Prep — Session 4
	16	GRE Prep — Session 5
	11	Final Summaries Due
	14 - 23	Mock Presentations
	18	Summary Rough Draft Due
	23	All Research Materials Due
	25	19th Annual Closing Symposium
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	18	First Day of Classes
	23	McNair Orientation

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Leticia Márquez-Magaña, Molecular Biologist, San Francisco State University



### **GRAD-CONNECT**

"Don't be discouraged. A bad semester or problems with your research can make

"The things you are doing for yourself are ging to barf t than [your dildren]. How can you teach someone better than by example?" ~Margery Hannah, 2007–2009

"Never give up on your dreams. When times get hard (and they will) you've got to take a step back and think 'Am I really willing to give up after getting so far?' I hope the answer is 'no.' Encourage yourself, because sometimes you will have to. With God, all things are possible. Don't forget it. May God bless you abundantly!" ~Sarah Cummings, 2009 – 2013 "Find what you're truly passionate about, and follow that passion." ~Mikki Phan, 2006 – 2008

"The journey is long and hard but if you keep your mind on your goals, McNair will teach you what you need to know. You just have to be assertive, and you will succeed." ~Diane Brown, 2007 – 2010

"Take advantage of this opportunity to learn about yourself: your strengths and weaknesses, your hopes and your dreams, and the countless possibilities that lay ahead for you. Then take this knowledge and make a difference in the world you live so that others can follow suit." ~Salyi Vu, 2000 – 2004

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