Momentum Shift: How the Millennial Generation is Reshaping America



Monday, July 16 2:00 - 3:00 p.m.

The Gold Room: 2168 Rayburn HOB

Ice cream served starting at 1:45 p.m. RSVP: CRDFellow@dc-crd.com

Speakers:

William Frey, Ph.D., Brookings Institution, author, *Diversity Explosion*

Julie Dowling, Ph.D., University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign, author, *Mexican Americans and the Question of Race*

Moderated by: Angela Manso, NALEO Educational Fund

The U.S. is in the midst of a major demographic shift. In a dozen years the last of the Baby Boomers—which have dominated American society for decades—will reach retirement age; meanwhile the oldest of the socalled Millennials, today's young adults, will have arrived at middle age. What does the rise of the Millennial generation mean for America? How will growing ethnic and racial diversity shape American society? What trends are implicated in this momentum shift—namely, how do Millennials' job prospects, educational achievements, and marital trends compare to previous generations? Join us for a fascinating discussion of the Millennial generation, featuring presentations by two leading researchers in population trends.

This is a widely attended event relevant to official duties.