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## **South Hosts Latino Family Leadership Conference**

*Full-day event features workshops for parents and youth.*

Saturday, October 10, 2009

8 am – 3 pm

South Seattle Community College

Rainier Hall & Cascade Court

6000-16<sup>th</sup> Ave. SW, Seattle, WA 98106

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### ***Event Summary***

South Seattle Community College is pleased to host *Educación para todos – Latino Leadership Conference*. The free event, presented by Campaña Quetzal, features panels and workshops for parents and youth on topics of education, leadership, violence, immigration, social justice, and access to higher education.

### ***For Parents (Rainier Hall)***

Graduation requirements

Transitions – Elementary/Middle/High School/College

Bilingual services

Attendance and truancy

Understanding college

### ***For Youth, ages 12-21 (Cascade Court)***

Immigration and social justice

Healthy lifestyles (obesity, healthy eating, reproductive health, fitness)

Environmental justice

Breaking the cycle of violence

The conference is free, and includes complimentary breakfast and lunch for participants. Guided childcare, with interactive activities (face painting, coloring projects, and music) will be provided.

Driving directions: [www.southseattle.edu/campus/map.htm#sscc](http://www.southseattle.edu/campus/map.htm#sscc). Take Metro routes 125 or 128 for front-door service to South.

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