

Nova Scotia's 5th Annual Crime Prevention Symposium

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Detailed Agenda and Session Information

Dr. Brenda Morrison
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Brenda Morrison is the Director of the Centre for Restorative Justice and an Associate Professor in the School of Criminology, Simon Fraser University. She is a social psychologist with field experience in outdoor education, government administration and restorative justice. Her teaching and research interests include transformative and restorative justice, responsive regulation, school violence and safety, conflict and cooperation, shame-management and social identity, the self and self-interest.

She has presented papers at UNESCO, in Paris, and the House of Lords, in London. Nationally, she is a research partner with PREVNet (Promoting Relationships Eliminating Violence Network). In British Columbia, she is a member of the working group for Social Responsibility and Collaborative Learning in Education, and on the advisory board for the Victims of Homicide Support Initiative. She is an active board member for the North Shore Restorative Justice Society and an associate board member of Vancouver Association for Restorative Justice.



Dr. Nombuso Dlamini
Jean Augustine Chair in Education
York University

*Known for her studies examining youth negotiations of identity in new urban environments, Nombuso Dlamini is the inaugural Jean Augustine Chair in Education in the New Urban Environment. Dr. Dlamini is also the author of *Youth and Identity Politics* (2005) and the editor of *New Directions in African Education* (2008); her youth-focused research asks questions about how global youths' sojourner lives generate valuable social capital that reconfigures the local urban spaces while also resulting in new complexities of educating unfamiliar 'others.'*

Since completing her doctoral studies, Dr. Dlamini has taught at the University of Pretoria, South Africa; Mount Saint Vincent University, Halifax, Nova Scotia; and the University of Windsor, Ontario, where she held the position of Research Leadership Chair. In January 2010, she joined York University, Ontario. Dr. Dlamini is involved in multi-year research projects conducted in international settings (Tanzania, Nigeria and South Africa). She has collaborated with several institutions and multiple disciplines, including social work, education and sociology.