

*The Center for Justice, Tolerance and Community at UC Santa Cruz Presents
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Pushing for Justice, Collaborating for Change: Educational Equity and the Future of California

Connie Rice, Co-Director of The Advancement Project, is known for her success in tackling problems of social inequity and exclusion. Formerly with the NAACP Legal Defense Fund, Rice filed a landmark case on behalf of low-income bus riders in Los Angeles and launched a coalition lawsuit that won \$750 million for new schools in Los Angeles - money previously slated for less crowded, more affluent suburban school districts. Like many litigators, Ms. Rice and The Advancement Project have become convinced that lasting social change requires that we combine litigation and struggle with consensus-based problem-solving, inter-group collaboration, and public policy reform.



**Thursday, April 20, 2006
7:00 PM
Holy Cross Hall**

170 High Street, Santa Cruz, CA
Adjacent to Holy Cross Church, the
Santa Cruz Mission and Mission Plaza Park.
The nearest cross streets are Mission and Sylvar.

Shuttles will be provided between
campus and Holy Cross Hall. Shuttles will
leave Quarry Plaza at 6:00 PM and 6:30 PM.

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