

Auburn University  
Center for Governmental Services

Initiative on Immigration

**A Round Table Discussion -  
*Impacts of Hispanic Immigrants  
on the  
State of Alabama***

The Hotel at Auburn University and Dixon Conference Center

December 13, 2007

**Agenda**

- 9:00 a.m. Continental Breakfast**
- 9:15 a.m. Welcome and Opening Remarks**  
Dr. Don-Terry Veal – Center for Governmental Services, AU  
Dr. Royrickers Cook – Office of the Vice President for  
University Outreach
- 9:30 Introductions to the Moderator and to Participants**
- Suggested Topics for Consideration:**
- Issues relating to employment eligibility verification.
  - Employment eligibility and unemployment benefits and workers' compensation.
  - Provision of health care for immigrants residing in Alabama.
  - Issues of human trafficking.
  - Processes to promote the integration of immigrants into society.
  - Required documentation and lawful status determination.
  - Provision of public education K-12, and higher education.
  - Communication barriers.
  - Prohibitions regarding employing illegal immigrants.
  - Challenges and responses on behalf of local and state law enforcement.
  - Challenges for governments.
  - The impact of national trends on the State of Alabama.
- 12:00 noon Luncheon**
- 1:00 p.m. Public Forum on Immigration**