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Academic Discussion Group

WCPA's Academic Division is sponsoring a discussion of the article, "Thin Ice: Stereotype Threat and Black College Students" by Claude Steele

Friday, April 30, 2010

11:00 am

Border's Bookstore
680 Post Road, Scarsdale
(near Lord and Taylor)

Border's phone: 914-725-4637

Interested colleagues are invited to a discussion of this landmark research on the effect of a perceived threat of being stereotyped on one's performance. Dr. Steele, currently the Provost at Columbia Teacher's College, has demonstrated this effect in black students attending predominantly white colleges as well as in women who underperform in math classes. Please come and join this discussion of the effects of feeling stereotyped and what can be done to overcome the impact on behavior. *The Atlantic*, August, 1999.

<http://www.theatlantic.com/magazine/archive/1999/08/thin-ice-stereotype-threat-and-black-college-students/4663/>

This event is free and open to the public, however RSVPs are requested for planning purposes.

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