

# "Remapping the Terrain: 'Our American Stories'"

A conference in memory of **Ronald T. Takaki**

**October 8-10, 2010**

**The College of Wooster  
Wooster, Ohio**



**Dr. Ronald T. Takaki** (1939-2009) is frequently referred to as "the father of multicultural studies." He established the first ethnic studies Ph.D. program at the University of California, Berkeley, and wrote broadly on Asian-American history and race and ethnic dynamics in U.S. society and culture.

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College and university professors, administrators, students, and independent scholars are invited to participate in a conference honoring the memory of Dr. Ronald T. Takaki, a pioneering scholar of multicultural studies and a 1961 graduate of The College of Wooster, sponsored by the College's Center for Diversity and Global Engagement.

"Remapping the Terrain: 'Our American Stories'" will focus on developing new strategies and paradigms for teaching concepts of race and ethnic studies to undergraduates at liberal arts colleges and universities.

Plenary sessions will focus on three main themes:

- "Rethinking Theories and Paradigms in the Teaching of Race and Ethnicity"
- "Methodologies of Race and Ethnic Studies Pedagogy and Research"
- "Intersections and Mobility within Ethnic Studies"

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For detailed information on the conference program and how to register, go to:  
<http://www.wooster.edu/Offices-Directories/Center-for-Diversity-and-Global-Engagement/takaki>

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