



North Carolina Agricultural and Technical State University and the Rehabilitation Counseling Program Presents:  
The 5<sup>th</sup> Annual Racial and Ethnic Minorities with Behavioral Addictions (REMBA) Conference

**Taking the First Steps to Recovery:  
“Unveiling the Intimate Relationship Between Minorities & Addiction”  
April 14-15, 2011**



**KEYNOTE SPEAKER:**

Todd Bridges, Actor, Author, Director



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Barbara Akins RN, BSN, FCN, CSAC-R

**Pre-Conference:**

Thursday

April 14, 2011 (12:00 noon-8:00 PM)

Ethics Update: Dr. Michelle Maulsby, Rh.D, CRC  
Counselor Supervision & LPC Requirements:  
Ms. Christine Greene, LPC

*Networking/Career Exhibition:* Alcoholics Anonymous,  
NC Problem Gambling Program, Easter Seals,  
Goodwill, GTCC, and many more.

**Conference:**

Friday

April 15, 2011 (9:00 AM-5:30 PM)

**Opening Speaker:** Barbara Akins is the Director of Nursing for  
Detox Residential Treatment Facility, a consultant for behavioral  
health and substance abuse service providers and the co-owner of  
Akins and Associates DWI Services.

**Keynote Speaker:** Todd Bridges is best known for roles as  
Willis Jackson on the hit sitcom “Diff’rent Strokes” and as Monk  
on “Everybody Hates Chris.”  
16 Breakout sessions  
Poster Sessions

We are proud to welcome Rehabilitation Counselors, Community/Agency Counselors, Counselor Educators and Supervisors, Human Resource Professionals, Administrators, Students, and other Human Service Personnel to the conference. CEU and CRC credits will be offered. We look forward to seeing you there!

**Registration Deadline: Thursday, April 1, 2011**  
**Registration fee: \$40.00 Students, \$65.00 Professionals**

**Benefits of attending this year’s REMBA Conference:**

- Breakfast and Lunch included on 4/15/2011
- Attendees will receive a Conference Bag and Pen
- Professional Development, CEU’s
- Networking opportunities

**Location:**

The Grandover Resort  
1000 Club Road  
Greensboro, NC 27407  
(336) 294-1800

Request the NC A&T State University-REMBA Conference Rate (159.00/night, typically \$189.00)

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