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Friday, October 20

8:00 – 8:30  On Site Registration
8:30 – 9:00  Open & Welcome
9:00 – 11:00  Keynote: Dr. Hassimi Maiga, Askya Mohammed Center for Education and Research (AMCER), Gao, Mali & Atlanta

11:00 – 12:30  Lunch (On your own)
   ▪ Timbuktu Manuscripts on View  ▪ African Marketplace
12:30 – 2:30  Keynote: Charles S. Finch, MD, Morehouse School of Medicine
2:45 – 4:15  Workshops
   ▪ Susan Goodwin, Rochester Teacher Center and
       Dr. Gaya Shakes, Rochester School District
   ▪ Dr. Mwalimu J. Shujaa, Medgar Evers College, CUNY
   ▪ Dr. Rosemary Traoré, University of North Carolina, Charlotte

4:15 – 4:30  Break
4:30 – 6:00  Film & Discussion: “The Language You Cry In”
6:00 – 7:00  Reception

Saturday, October 21

8:30 – 9:00  Opening & Welcome
9:00 – 11:00  Keynote: Dr. Noma LeMoine, Los Angeles Unified School District
11:00 – 11:10  Break
11:10 – 12:40  Workshops
   ▪ Reverend Ronnie Lister, Interdenominational Theological Center
   ▪ Dr. Joyce E. King, Georgia State University
   ▪ Dr. Akinyele Umoja, Georgia State University

12:40 – 1:45  Lunch (On your own)
   ▪ Timbuktu Manuscripts on View  ▪ African Marketplace
1:45 – 3:45  Keynote: Joycelyn Wilson, University of Georgia
3:45 – 4:00  Break
4:00 – 5:30  Closing Plenary
   ▪ Dr. Asa G. Hilliard III, Nana Baffour Amankwawia II
   ▪ Dr. Joyce E. King, Georgia State University
5:30 – 6:30  Reception

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