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What is Arkansas Doing to Close the Achievement Gap?

Clinton School professor of education policy **Dr. Keith Nitta** and Hendrix College professor of politics **Dr. Jay Barth** will present a report on the state of Arkansas public education in the post-*Lake View* era. "What is Arkansas Doing to Close the Achievement Gap?" assesses whether reforms Arkansas has adopted are likely to close the achievement gap between economically advantaged and disadvantaged students and between white and minority children in the state. It also identifies additional promising steps to close the achievement gap in future years. The report is a collaborative effort of Arkansas Advocates for Children and Families, the Arkansas Public Policy Panel, Hendrix College and the Clinton School of Public Service.

When: Thursday, February 21, 2008
12:00 p.m. - 1:00 p.m. – Lunch and Lecture
*Bring your own lunch. Water and soft drinks provided.

Where: Clinton School of Public Service
Sturgis Hall

***Reserve your seats** by emailing publicprograms@clintonschool.uasys.edu or calling 501.683.5239.

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John Lithgow, actor and author

Monday, February 18, 2008 at 6:00 p.m. (Statehouse Convention Center)

Kathleen Blanco, former governor of Louisiana

Wednesday, February 20, 2008 at 6:00 p.m. (Sturgis Hall)

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