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**Student Leaders To Unveil Education Policy Recommendations For 2011** 

~Students represent delegations back home on Florida education reform~

**Tallahassee, FL-** Fresh from debate at the 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Florida Student Education Policy Conference, student leaders will unveil their 2011 education policy recommendations during a student-led press conference at the **Florida Press Association** on **Wednesday**, **March 9th** at **8:30am** in Tallahassee. Following the press conference, students will present their resolutions to key education leaders and legislative members during scheduled meetings at the Capitol. "Our voice and our perspective as students can add tremendous value to the education reform debate taking place this legislative session," said Mariana Justo, senior at Miami-Dade College. "I hope that our visit to Tallahassee sends a strong message to legislators and that our ideas are received as constructive, relevant, and valuable." "At the end of the day, it's our responsibility to get involved in the public debate and we're excited about doing so," said Justo. The student delegations recently met in Orlando to debate and come to consensus on education reform measures important to them. <u>ENLACE Florida</u>, a statewide network promoting college readiness, access, and success for underrepresented students, is coordinating and facilitating the effort.

## PRESS CONFERENCE DETAILS

WHO: Florida College & University Students, Florida Student Education Policy Conference
WHAT: Unveil 2011 Education Policy Recommendations
WHEN: Wednesday, March 9<sup>th</sup>, 8:30am
WHERE: Florida Press Association, 336 East College Avenue, Tallahassee