



OSA Mid-year Conference

The Oromo Studies Association (OSA) would like to invite you to its Mid-year Conference that will take place at Blackburn University Center, Howard University, Washington, DC, on April 14, 2007, 9:00 am to 5:00 pm. The theme of the conference is “Strengthening the Core Components of Oromo National Movement.” Invited speakers will address different topics as related to the state of Oromo politics, ideology, organization and mobilization.

Among our invited speakers are:

Dr. Addissu Tolessa

Dr. Asafa Jalata

Obbo Dima Noggo

Abbaa Kalacha

Obbo Leenco Latta

Obbo Lube Birru

Expert presentations will be followed by question and answer session. Then, the audience will be divided into small groups and discuss the same issues and make suggestions. Unity for common good is power and accelerates the pace of positive change. Victory will be impossible without strong organization, mobilization, leadership quality and determination. The forum seeks to rekindle *Oromummaa*, *Safu’u* and *Tokkumaa* as a service to the Oromo people.

This is an open forum and OSA cordially invites its members, interested Oromos and friends of Oromos to attend and partake in this timely discussion to revitalize cooperation, and reinvigorate mutual trust and unity.

OSA Executive Committee