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ASU's CAAM to hold second national conference on April 18

On April 18, the Center for the African- American Male (CAAM) will hold its second national conference from 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. in the ACAD Auditorium.

CAAM is an organization at ASU that focuses on lowering drop out and incarceration rates of today's African-American males ages 18 to 25. The theme of the conference is "Mentoring, Advocating, Listening, Encouraging, Supporting (M.A.L.E.S.)."

The keynote speaker for the event is Dr. Lee Jones, president and executive editor of InSpire magazine and executive director of the InSpire ILead Institute. Session topics include Health and Wellness, Gangs and their Impact on African-American Men, Helping our Dollars Make Sense, Dress for Success/Interviewing for Employment, Education: The Vehicle that Drives Progress and There's More to Athletics than Sports.

The cost to attend the conference is \$25, which includes the luncheon, a T-shirt and other items. Space is limited.

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