Come Join Us for An Exciting January Flex Day with a Very Special and Important Guest!!
Spend the WHOLE DAY in a very rewarding and exciting time with:

Dr. Vincent Tinto

Author of:
Student Retention and Graduation: Facing the Truth, Living with the Consequences.
"Learning Better Together: The Impact of Learning Communities on the Persistence of Low-Income Students" (with Catherine Engstrom)"
***Moving Beyond Access: College Success for Low-Income, First-Generation Students* (with Jennifer Engle)"**
Research and Practice of Student Retention: What Next?"
"Access without Support is Not Opportunity."

Vincent Tinto received his Ph.D. in Education and Sociology from the University of Chicago in 1971. He is a Distinguished University Professor at Syracuse University from June 1998 till the present and was a Senior Scholar at The Pell Institute for the Study of Opportunity in Higher Education in Washington D.C. from 2004 to the present.

His research has been on student persistence and attainment, as well as how educators can enhance student success, particularly for low-income, underrepresented, and/or under-prepared students in two and four institutions in urban settings. Dr. Tinto has been actively involved in state, national, and international program and policy change efforts in higher education with regard to different social groups and he has been actively involved with TRIO programs (like ACCESS at Mission), the Council for Opportunity in Education, and the National Learning Communities Projects, as well as many other higher education based organizations.

His current research looks at the long-term impact of learning communities on the success of academically under-prepared and low-income students in two and four year colleges in urban settings.

For more info on Dr. Tinto:

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Come out and join us for this important and exciting day! Dr. Tinto will be giving a talk and joining us for our Flex Day activities.

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