

## **SAVE THE DATE:**

New England Housing Network Annual Conference

Friday, December 2, 2011

Sheraton Needham Hotel, Needham, MA

(Registration information to follow)

### **FEATURED SPEAKERS:**

*Xavier de Sousa Briggs*, Associate Professor of Sociology and Urban Planning, MIT  
(formerly, Associate Director, White House Office of Management and Budget)

*Barbara Burnham*, Director of Federal Policy, LISC

*Sheila Crowley*, President, National Low Income Housing Coalition

*Barbara Fields*, New England Regional Administrator, HUD

*Ethan Handelman*, Vice President for Policy and Advocacy, National Housing Conference

*Margaret Salazar*, Senior Housing Program Specialist, HUD

*Barbara Sard*, Vice President for Housing Policy, Center on Budget and Policy Priorities

(Additional national speakers to be announced)

### **Workshops (partial list):**

Housing Finance Reform and Tax Credit Changes

Impact of Federal Budget Cuts

Section 8: Creative Approaches with Limited Resources

The New Reality for Public Housing

Sustainable Communities

Housing Counseling: Best Practices and Future Plans

### **New England Housing Network Lead Agencies:**

CT Connecticut Housing Coalition

NH Housing Action New Hampshire

MA Citizens' Housing and Planning Association

RI Housing Action Coalition of Rhode Island

ME Maine Affordable Housing Coalition

VT Vermont Affordable Housing Coalition