

**CASE WESTERN RESERVE UNIVERSITY  
EAST CLEVELAND PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT  
PROVOST SCHOLARS  
University Seminar  
Session Seven  
Thursday, January 23, 2014  
2:30pm-5:00pm  
Kelvin Smith Library  
Rm LL06 B/C**

**WELCOME BACK**

**Purpose**

The purpose of this University Seminar is to welcome back the Provost Scholars and reflect on their New Year's resolutions. Each scholar will reflect on the "Passionate Pursuit of Knowledge" and develop three to four goals for how to pursue, increase and develop their personal knowledge both in and outside the classroom. In addition to developing goals in the pursuit of knowledge, scholars will also create specific actions steps for their individual plans. Examples include creating a weekly time table to explore the local library or community resources, interviewing neighborhood elders, stakeholders and leaders about the legacy and history of East Cleveland, and researching a new subject area.

**Objectives**

**Provost Scholars will:**

- (1) Participate in a large group setting to welcome back the Provost Scholars and reflect on their New Year's resolutions.
- (2) Deliberate on the Passionate Pursuit of Knowledge and what this means for each scholar, as well as establishing three to four goals to increase and develop their personal knowledge.
- (3) Write down a plan of action that includes specific, achievable goals for pursuing and acquiring knowledge.

**Agenda**

- Welcome Back
- Sharing a New Year's Resolution: The Provost Scholars' Passionate Pursuit of Knowledge
- Planning action steps to achieve the new year's resolution(s)

**Materials Needed**

- Flip chart, paper and markers
- Round Table and Chairs

**Faculty**

- Faye Gary
- Dennis Harris
- Katrice Williams, Master's Student, Program Manager

**Concierge and Matre'D**

- Provost Scholars Leonardo Armstrong and Brianna Moore  
**Heavy hors d'oeuvres will be served**