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### **Greg Michie To Discuss "The Joys And Challenges Of Teaching In Urban Schools"**

**On Campus**

*Submitted by John W. Morgan, Quinnipiac University, on 2010-03-16.*

Award-winning educator Greg Michie will present the lecture, "The Joys and Challenges of Teaching in Urban Schools," at 7 p.m. on Tuesday, April 6, in the Clarice L. Buckman Theater at Quinnipiac University. This event, sponsored by the School of Education at Quinnipiac, is free and open to the public.

Michie is the author of "Holler If You Hear Me: The Education of a Teacher and His Students," an account of how Michie learned to teach in a public school system in the south side of Chicago. In the book, which deals with the critical moral issues teachers face, Michie provides a measure of hope, humor and practical insight about the difficult work of teaching as a means of achieving greater social justice.

Michie teaches at Illinois State University, where he works with student teachers in a year-long internship program in Chicago public schools. He taught for nine years in Chicago, where he developed a media literacy course and an award-winning video production program for middle school students. In 1996 he received the Golden Apple Award for Excellence in Teaching, which is given annually to ten outstanding teachers in the greater Chicago area. For the past nine years he has worked as a teacher educator, preparing undergraduates and individuals changing careers for work in urban classrooms.

For more information, call 203-582-8652.



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