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### **Clinton and Trump Presidential Campaign Surrogates To Debate Education at Urban Schools Town Hall Meeting**

#### ***Journalist Dan Rather to Moderate Forum***

WASHINGTON, Oct. 17 – The co-chair of the New York State Trump-Pence campaign and an education adviser to Hillary for America will debate presidential education policy at a national town hall meeting on Oct. 21 in Miami.

The forum is being held in conjunction with the Council of the Great City Schools' 60<sup>th</sup> Annual Fall Conference of the nation's big-city school leaders.

A nonpartisan panel of urban school leaders from three voter swing states – Florida, Ohio and Pennsylvania – will weigh in on urban school needs and issues the next president should consider.

**WHO:** Noted broadcast journalist **Dan Rather, Moderator**  
Trump surrogate Carl Paladino, Buffalo Public Schools board member  
Clinton surrogate Mildred Otero, former education adviser for Clinton  
Miami-Dade County Public Schools Superintendent Alberto Carvalho  
Cincinnati Public Schools board vice president Melanie Bates  
School District of Philadelphia Superintendent William Hite

**WHAT: National Town Hall Meeting:**  
*Urban Education and the Presidential Campaign*

**WHEN:** Friday, Oct. 21 (2:30-4 p.m., Eastern Time)

**WHERE:** InterContinental Miami Hotel, Bayfront Ballroom, Lobby level

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The *Twitter* hashtag for the town hall meeting is **#EdDebate2016**  
Debate to be streamed live at [www.dadeschools.tv](http://www.dadeschools.tv)