

## African Student Association

Forum Event:

October 23, 2008

6:30pm @ the International House (I-House)

Theme: Politics in the African American Communities

*The program will be like a discussion panel and these are the topics ASA would like for you to discuss. The program will then be open up to the audience for discussion after the panel has touch on each topic. This will open up the topic for an open floor discussion where the audience will be able to respond to the topics and ask any questions they have. The panel will try their best to respond to any questions ask. The task for this program is to be able to discuss the different problems and issues with Politics in the African American communities. This program will give everyone the chance to get involved with the issues that we are afraid to raise or discuss in class because we are minority on this campus. ASA hope you will come out and feel comfortable to express your opinions.*

### Discussion Topics

- 1. How will this 2008 election process affect the African American history and community?**
- 2. Why do you as the panel feel that some African American do not have faith in Obama?**
- 3. Obama being the nominee of the Democratic Party what effect would it have on the percentage of African American voters as compare to the past? Would it encourage African Americans to turn out to vote?**
- 4. What do you understand when some in the African American community say Obama is not "Black enough"?**
- 5. As an African descent what would you like to see Obama discuss more or things in his policies he can improve on?**