

# California Conference on American Indian Education

*“People must pursue, acquire and own knowledge to achieve  
freedom; otherwise we are mere slaves” -Janine Pease-Pretty on Top, Crow*



## INDIAN EDUCATION: MEETING THE CHALLENGE!

March 15-17, 2015

### **PURPOSE OF THE CONFERENCE:**

The 38th Annual California Conference on American Indian Education (CCAIE) is being held March 15-17, 2015, at the Renaissance Palm Springs Hotel-888 Tahquitz Canyon Way-Palm Springs, California 92262. The conference theme is “Indian Education: Meeting the Challenge!” This is an opportunity to share traditional and academic teaching and learning. The conference honors the commitment of families and those who contribute to the advancement of Indian Education in California.

### **CONFERENCE GOALS:**

- To advocate academic excellence and educational opportunities for American Indian families, educators, tribal leaders, and board members;
- To provide opportunities for networking among American Indian families, elders, tribal leaders, students, and educators;
- To recognize distinguished educators, parents, and students;
- To honor our elders, who are our most revered teachers.