



**Save the Date | Fourth Annual  
Teaching as Civic Engagement Conference  
“Creating Safe Schools for all Students”  
Saturday, November 14, 2009 | 8:30am - 4pm**

**Debra Chasnoff:** Come hear this academy award winning producer and director present and discuss “Straightlaced”, her latest film that delves into the subtle and not-so-subtle ways that gender performance norms and anti-gay attitudes constrict everyone. Learn more about her other films in the Respect for All series at [www.groundspark.org](http://www.groundspark.org).

**Lunch with Colleagues:** Enjoy lunch at the Cheryl Chase Center with time for sharing and socializing.

**Teacher and School Psychologist Alumni Panel and Workshops:** Tufts graduates will describe and discuss their work on creating safe spaces in classrooms and schools. Workshops may cover topics such as: evaluating curricular materials; social and emotional learning programs; teaching, learning, and school-based mental health; and initiating conversations with other professionals to build a responsive school climate. Our goal is for you to leave with concrete next steps to be taken in your schools.

**Afternoon Alumni Networking:** Come to relax and enjoy refreshments and collegial conversation. Reconnect with classmates and faculty. Meet current students. Network with representatives of professional opportunities for educators.

Registration materials will be posted in October,  
[ase.tufts.edu/education](http://ase.tufts.edu/education)

