Nettleford named on Council to plan role of OAS

Professor Rex Nettleford has been named as one of three men from the western hemisphere by the Organisation of American States to develop ways of relating the educational, scientific and cultural program to the hemisphere to the solution of the problems of development. They will especially consider the role of the OAS.

Together with educator and sociologist, Dr Gabriel Betancourt-Meija of Colombia and economist and scientist, Dr Gerardo Bueno of Mexico, Prof. Nettleford will meet from May 23-27 at the OAS headquarters with staff members to work out these new approaches.

The meeting has been called by the OAS’ newly appointed Executive Secretary for Education, Science and Culture, Dr Enrique Martin del Campo. Dr del Campo’s council, known by its Spanish acronym CIECC, will hold its first meeting in Jamaica in September. In anticipation of the meeting, Dr del Campo is now in the island to meet key government officials.

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