

NATIONAL FORUM FOR BLACK PUBLIC ADMINISTRATORS  
BOSTON CHAPTER



*Cordially invites you to attend*

## “New Urban Mechanics: Driving Civic Innovation through Partnerships and Technology”

Tuesday, April 9, 2013 - 5:30 - 7:30 p.m.  
Healey Library, 11th Floor, Room B, UMass Boston  
100 Morrissey Blvd, Boston MA



Speakers:

### **Nigel Jacob** and **Chris Osgood**

Mayor's Office of New Urban Mechanics  
City of Boston

### **Jason Webb**

Dudley Street Neighborhood Initiative

Come hear Nigel Jacob and Chris Osgood talk about using new technologies such as Web 2.0, Social Media and smartphones to spark innovation in government and increase citizen participation. Join us in this exciting program to discuss the role of technology in government innovation and how this may transform the relationship between citizens and government.

Introduction by

### **Ira A. Jackson**

Dean, McCormack Graduate School of Policy and Global Studies, UMass Boston

Moderators:

### **Michael J. Ahn** and **Michael Johnson**

Department of Public Policy and Public Affairs, UMass Boston

*Light refreshments will be provided*

Seating is limited; please RSVP to [rashelle.brown@umb.edu](mailto:rashelle.brown@umb.edu) to reserve your seat

