Union University has become a national center for exploring Baptist issues. With respect to Baptist identity, this is the second major conference hosted on campus in the past three years.

The first was in April 2004 and was entitled “Baptist Identity: Is There a Future?” More than 300 attended the sessions, which were led by leaders such as SBC Executive Committee President Morris Chapman, Southern Seminary President R. Albert Mohler and Distinguished Professor of Theology Emeritus James Leo Garrett from Southwestern Seminary.

Baptist Identity II picks up another important discussion in denominational life related to convention, cooperation and controversy.

“Baptist Identity II is a much needed conversation for Southern Baptists as we seek to better understand our history and heritage in order to build a new sense of cooperation for our shared service in the 21st century,” said David S. Dockery, president of Union University. “The conference speakers will be outstanding. Each speaker is prepared to address a key issue facing Southern Baptists at this time in our history.”

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Thursday, February 15

2:00 p.m. Open Registration, Open Bookstore

4:00 p.m. | Session I
Mike Day
“The Future of Baptist Associations and State Conventions”

Mike Day is Director of Missions for the Mid-South Baptist Association, Memphis, Tenn. He earned the D.Min from The Southern Baptist Theological Seminary in Lawrenceville, Ga. Day, who previously served with the North-American Mission Board, is highly respected for his creative leadership.

6:00 p.m. Dinner

Thursday, February 16

8:00 a.m. Continental Breakfast

8:30 a.m. | Session IV
Paige Patterson
“What Can Southern Baptists Learn from Reforms?”

Paige Patterson is President of Southern Baptist Theological Seminary. Dr. Patterson has served as president of the Southern Baptist Convention as well as president of Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary. A respected theologian, Dr. Patterson is author of several significant books.

10:00 a.m. | Session V
Russell Moore
“Toward a Missional Convention”

Russell Moore is Dean of the School of Theology, Senior Vice President for Academic Administration, and Associate Professor of Christian Theology at The Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, where he earned a Ph.D. He is author of The Kingdom of Christ.

12:30 p.m. Lunch

3:00 p.m. | Session VII
Gregory A. Thornbury
“The Angry Young Men of the SBC”

Gregory A. Thornbury is founding Dean of the School of Christian Studies at Union University. He earned the Ph.D. from The Southern Baptist Theological Seminary. Dr. Thornbury is also Senior Fellow at the Institute for Religious and Secular Thought.

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6:00 p.m. Dinner

Friday, February 17

8:30 a.m. | Session IX
Ed Stetzer
“Toward a Missional Convention”

Ed Stetzer serves as the Mississippi and Research Team Director at the North American Mission Board in Aplacheca, Ga. and as Co-Pastor of Lake Ridge Church in Guntown, Ga. He earned a Ph.D. from The Southern Baptist Theological Seminary and D.Min from Beeson Divinity School.

10:00 a.m. | Session X
Timothy George
“The Future of Baptist Identity in a Post-Denominational World”

Timothy George is Dean and Professor of Divinity at the Beeson Divinity School. One of the most respected historians in the evangelical world, Dr. George is the editor of The Reformation Commentary on Scripture with InterVarsity Press. He holds the Th.D. from Harvard University.