



LITERACY

Creating Connections with Language

2023 Annual Conference | Charleston, SC

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CONFERENCE ITINERARY

OCTOBER 19 - 21, 2023

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 19

2:00 pm - 5:00 pm	REGISTRATION				
5:00 pm - 6:00 pm	RECEPTION				
6:00 pm - 6:15 pm	WELCOME				
6:15 pm - 7:30 pm	Plenary #1	The Past, the Present, and the Future for American Sign Language Presenter: Jody Cripps			
7:30 pm - 8:45 pm	Plenary #2	Building a Foundation for Communication Exchange Presenter: Susan Bashinski			

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 20

7:00 am - 5:00 pm	REGISTRATION				
7:00 am - 8:30 am	BREAKFAST WELCOME				
8:30 am - 10:00 am	Plenary #3	Foundations of the Expository Genre: Characteristics, Challenges, and Opportunities Presenter: James McCann			
10:00 am - 10:15 am	BREAK SESSION CHANGE				
10:15 am - 11:15 am	Breakout Sessions ONE	The Magic of Language Planning Presenter: Tawny Holmes Hilbok	Cue it Up! Presenter: Jeanne Pease	Language Over Speech: How to Ensure Deaf Children Acquire Language Presenter: Kimberly Ofori-Sanzo	Does a Learner's Behavior Constitute Communication or Participation? (Part 1 of a 3-part Series) Presenter: Susan Bashinski
11:15 am - 11:30 am	BREAK SESSION CHANGE				
11:30 - 12:30 pm	Breakout Sessions TWO	Literacy Starts with Language: Supporting Healthy Language Development Presenters: Sarah Honigfeld & Chris Payne-Tsoupros	Reforming Deaf Education and Literacy Practices through a Vygotskian Lens Presenter: Katie Potier & Heidi Givens	Is Play a Necessary Language? Presenter: Guillermo Hernández Santana	Sensory Learning: The Foundation to the World of Literacy Presenters: Krista Olsen & Marcy Meachum
12:30 - 1:30 pm	LUNCH				
1:30 - 2:30 pm	Breakout Sessions THREE	A Few of Our Favorite Things Presenters: Pamela Rush & Bruce Marlowe	Language and Literacy Development using Bedrock Literacy Curriculum and Mind Bloom	Development of Expressive Language Skills Through Strategic and Interactive Approaches Presenter: Leala Holcomb	Bridging Early Identification to Effective Early Intervention (Part 2 of a 3-part Series) Presenter: Susan Bashinski

			Education: A Case Study		
2:30 - 2:45 pm	BREAK SESSION CHANGE				
2:45 - 3:45 pm	Breakout Sessions FOUR	Technology and Inclusion of Multilingual Immigrant D/HH Students and Their Families Presenter: Millicent Musyoka	Arts Integration to Enhance Literacy for Deaf Children Presenter: Adrienne King	Representation Matters: Picture Books for Deaf and Hard of Hearing Children Presenter: Maddie Hinkle	Active Learning: The Building Blocks to the World of Literacy Presenters: Krista Olsen & Marcy Meachum
3:45 - 4:00 pm	BREAK SESSION CHANGE				
4:00 - 5:00 pm	Plenary #4	The Misrepresentation of American Sign Language in Mainstream Film Media: A Call for Inclusive Representation Presenter: Lisalee Egbert			
<i>THE CONFERENCE CONCLUDES UNTIL SATURDAY MORNING. ENJOY YOUR EVENING.</i>					

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 21

7:00 - 8:00 am	BREAKFAST				
8:00 - 9:00 am	Breakout Sessions FIVE	Designing A Literacy Clinic Framework for Deaf P-3 Elementary Students Presenter: Michelle Morales	Literacy Starting with the ABCs Presenter: Nicole Dobson	Facilitation- Addressing Language Deprivation Using Deaf Community Models Presenter: Kandice Hunt	DB Parent Panel
9:00 - 9:15 am	BREAK SESSION CHANGE				
9:15 - 10:15 am	Breakout Sessions SIX	Literacy Instruction for DHH Children with Language Deprivation Presenter: Morgan Lee	Social Development of Deaf Children: "Mindreading" and Literacy, Blending Theory of the Mind with Reading and Writing Presenter: Lisalee Egbert	Rural Access to ASL Resources Presenter: Morgan Snook	Establishing and Utilizing Routines (Part 3 of a 3-part Series) Presenter: Susan Bashinski
10:15 - 10:30 am	BREAK SESSION CHANGE				
10:30 - 11:45 am	Plenary #5	The Transdisciplinary Non-Expert: The Critic(al) Role of Parent-Advocate in Education Planning for a Deaf Disabled Student Presenter: Michael Bruno			
11:45 - 12:00 pm	CLOSING EVALUATION				

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