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Newsletter

Dear KYTESOL Friends,

The 2007-2008 academic year has been busy for KYTESOL. The SETESOL 2007 Regional Conference in Louisville certainly had us all in high gear in November. Everyone pulled together for a tremendous effort. Our keynote speakers—Ana Filipek, Roberto Dansie, Rebecca Powell, and John Segota—helped set the tone. The concurrent sessions received rave reviews. The result was an amazing, memorable conference that still has our Southeastern neighbors talking! Thanks to all of you who volunteered and to those who presented for making SETESOL 2008 unforgettable!

We are extremely excited to announce that the keynote speaker at our annual 2008 KYTESOL Conference on September 12 & 13 will be Rafe Esquith, author of *Teach Like Your Hair's on Fire*. Here's an excerpt of this book's review by Publisher's Weekly: "Esquith might be the only public school teacher to be honored by both Oprah Winfrey and the Dalai Lama; he is the only school teacher ever to receive the president's National Medal of the Arts. For the past 25 years, Esquith has taught fifth graders at Hobart Elementary in central Los Angeles. Throughout each school day, Esquith teaches life skills: how to think about problems, how to plan a strategy to solve them and, most important, how to work together and be nice to each other. While his goals are inspiring, he's also practical—most chapters include affordable, how-to directions for a variety of his most effective classroom activities; he's even got a few tips for revamping those inescapable "test prep" sessions."

While Esquith will be the "fire" to get us started, we need YOU to showcase your strategies, methods, and ideas to make the conference sizzle. The theme for this year's conference is "Connecting Ideas: Across the Content Areas and Beyond!" This conference is designed to give ESL and mainstream educators an opportunity to work together to connect ideas and resources for the benefit of ALL students. The Call for Proposals and the Conference Flyer are available on our website: www.kytesol.org. Please help us publicize this exceptional event by posting the flyer at your school and by forwarding it to your colleagues.

We will have vacancies on our board for Member-at-Large positions. If you would like to run for office at our next business meeting at the 2008 KYTESOL Conference, please send your bio to Margo Jang, KYTESOL Secretary (mjang@fuse.net). If you know of someone who would be a good candidate, please encourage him or her to run for office.

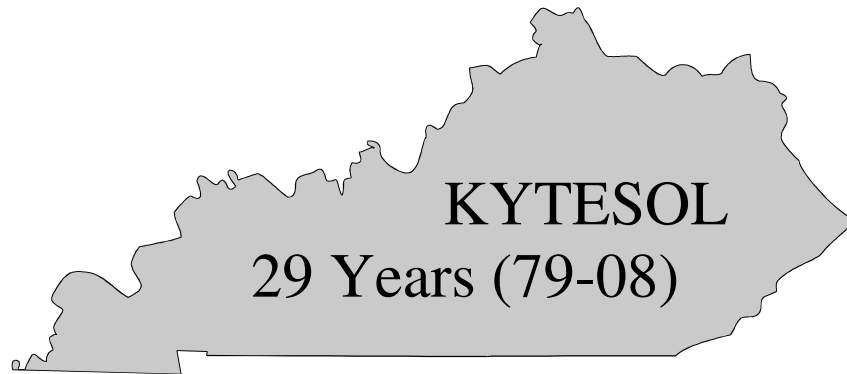
Summer is almost here and will be gone before we know it. Best wishes for a relaxing and rejuvenating summer!

Sincerely,

Daniele Di Giacomo Novak

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KYTESOL President

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***Connecting Ideas:
Across the Content Areas and Beyond!***

2008

September 12 & 13

**Georgetown College
Thomas and King Leadership & Conference Center**

This year's conference will be an outlet for mainstream and ESL teachers to come together, connecting ideas and resources for the benefit of all students.

**Friday Night Keynote: Rafe Esquith, Author
*Teach Like Your Hair's on Fire***

**This outstanding educator is an inspiration to ALL teachers!
Everyone is invited!**

Rafe Esquith was awarded Oprah's Use Your Life Award and is the only teacher to be awarded the president's National Medal of the Arts. He has also received the Walt Disney American Teacher Award for National Teacher of the Year and the Dalai Lama's Compassion in Action Award.

- Special pricing is available for the keynote address for those unable to attend the entire two-day conference.
- An evening reception will accompany the keynote address.

**For Call for Proposals & more information,
please visit: www.kytesol.org**



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CALL FOR PROPOSALS

Conference Dates & Location:

September 12 & 13, 2008

**Thomas and King Leadership & Conference Center
at Georgetown College**

Procedures for Submitting Proposals: The selection of proposals will be refereed. Concurrent Sessions will be scheduled for one or two 45-minute sessions. Poster Sessions will exhibit for 45 minutes. Please email your proposal in a Word or RTF file with the following information via email to: kylesolproposals@gmail.com. You will receive acknowledgement of receipt within one week.

PROPOSALS MUST INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION:

I. Presenter Information

1. Title of the presentation (10 word max.)
2. Contact Information (for **ALL** presenters):
 - Name and affiliation(s)
 - Institution and mailing address
 - Phone and email
3. Biographical Information for each presenter (25 words max.)
4. Technology Requests (fees may apply; inquire)
5. Scheduling Requests (if applicable): Friday AM, Friday PM, or Saturday AM.

II. Abstract of Presentation

1. 50 word (max.) program entry
2. Presentation Type: Concurrent Session or Poster
 - For concurrent sessions, please specify whether the session will be one or two 45-minute sessions in length
3. Connection to conference theme & subtopic (see below)
4. 150 word description of the presentation (content, format, and participant involvement)
5. All applicable strands: E-elementary, M-middle school, S-secondary, HE-higher education, AE-adult education, AD-administration, MG-migrant, R-research, TT-teacher training, T-technology

SUGGESTED SUBTOPICS:

- Collaboration/Team-teaching Strategies
- Effective Research-Based Programs
- Program and/or Student Assessment
- Using Technology to Enhance Student Learning
- Resources to Use in the Mainstream Classroom
- Best Practices in Teaching Reading
- Modification/Accommodation Strategies
- ELL and Special Needs
- Advocacy
- Specific Strategies for Elementary, Middle, Secondary, Higher Education, or Adult Education
- ELL Populations
- Teacher Training
- Implementing Mandated Changes
- Parental Involvement/Family Literacy
- Cultural Exchange Programs

Deadline for Submission: June 15, 2008

Candidates will be notified of acceptance by August 1, 2008.
All presenters must pre-register for the conference by August 15, 2008.

For more information, please visit www.kytesol.org

The logo for KYTESOL 2008, featuring the word "KYTESOL" in white capital letters on a blue background that includes a silhouette of the state of Kentucky.



GEORGETOWN

C O L L E G E

Thomas and King Leadership and Conference Center at Georgetown College

100 Stadium Drive, Georgetown, KY 40324

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Directions from the South:

Take I-75 North to Exit 125 (Georgetown); turn left off the ramp onto U.S. 460.

Take a left at the first traffic light onto U.S. 460 Bypass West.

At the second traffic light, turn right onto Lemons Mill Rd. (Hwy 1962 West).

Pass the "Johnson Controls" Plant on the right and turn right into the driveway bearing the Georgetown college sign. Follow the driveway to the stop sign and The Leadership & Conference Center is straight ahead.

Directions from the North:

Take I-75 South to Exit 126 (Georgetown); turn right off ramp onto Cherry Blossom Way

(U.S.460 bypass) At the fifth (5th) traffic light turn right onto Lemons Mill Rd. (Hwy 1962 West). Pass the "Johnson Controls" plant on the right and turn right into the driveway bearing the Georgetown College sign. Follow the driveway to the stop sign and The Leadership & Conference Center is straight ahead.

Directions from the West:

Take I-64 East to Exit 69 (Georgetown); turn left off ramp onto U.S. 62. Proceed approximately 3 Miles and turn right onto U.S 460 bypass. Continue on the bypass for approximately 3.5 miles and turn left at the 3rd traffic light onto Lemons Mill Rd. Past the "Johnson Controls" plant in the right and turn right into the driveway bearing the Georgetown College sign. Follow the driveway to the stop sign and The Leadership & Conference Center is straight ahead.

Directions from the East:

Take I-64 to I-75 north and follow the directions from the South (above)

AN ESL SUCCESS STORY: Diana Sanchez

By: Angie Reimer, Senior Counselor

Not quite four years ago, when I was still employed in the JCPS district as an ESL Resource Teacher for High Schools, I enrolled a shy, young girl from Cuba at our newly established ESL program at Shawnee High School Magnet Career Academy in the West end of Louisville. She spoke hardly any English; yet, due to the set up of the program, she and all the other ESL students were from the very beginning enrolled in regular core content and elective classes with the expectation that the classroom teachers would provide certain accommodations and modifications. In addition to having English with her ESL teacher, Mrs. Elisa Fazio, Diana also received bilingual help in the regular classrooms through our BAI (Bilingual Associate Instructor), Mrs. Berta Mann.

According to Diana, the most difficult challenge in her life was when her parents informed her that they were leaving their native Cuba to settle in the United States. She suffered emotionally because the family was forced to leave her beloved grandmother behind. As a refugee, Diana had to overcome many obstacles, such as learning a new language and dealing with a different culture. Nevertheless, she was successful from the very beginning in all of her classes at Shawnee High School. She told me that for hours and hours after school, she would translate pages after pages with the help of a bilingual dictionary in order to get the gist of the information. During the second year, her sophomore year, which was my first year as her counselor, I enrolled her in honors classes because she excelled in all subjects. Now in her senior year, Diana continues to be enrolled in our aviation magnet and participates in rigorous, academically challenging Advanced Placement courses. She also finds time to serve on the Student Council as secretary, to be the President of the French Club, the Math Team Captain, and she holds Second Board in the Chess Club. Although English is her second language, she has the highest GPA in her senior class.

The many awards Diana has received include Academic Superlative, Principal's Honor Roll, Perfect Attendance, and the President's Award for Excellence. She is also a member of the National Honor Society and was selected a member of UK's 2006 Class of Kentucky representing Shawnee High School. Moreover, she was also chosen to participate in the University of Louisville's Project Build and received U of L's Yarmuth Book Award. In her junior year, she successfully completed the extensive application process for the Kentucky Governor's Program and dazzled others with her brilliant and highly sophisticated essays. No one deserved more than Diana to be accepted into this most prestigious program. Very recently, she was nominated and honored as one of Mayor Abramson's outstanding high school seniors.

As a member of Shawnee High School's 100th graduating class in 2008, Diana will be the very first student at our school to receive the highest Kentucky diploma, the Commonwealth Diploma. We are very proud of our Valedictorian!

Diana displays social and emotional maturity beyond her age. Her character is impeccable; she is highly motivated in everything she does and she always displays a positive attitude. She has currently three goals: To become fluent in French, her third language (she won first place in several categories of the local foreign language festival and is enrolled in AP French IV); to obtain her Private Pilot's License, which will make her the youngest female Cuban-American pilot; and to pursue her career goal of being a pharmacist. After graduation she plans to attend the University of Louisville where she was already accepted.

One last remark to show you her brilliance: As her counselor, it was challenging for me to help her find a scholarship for which she would qualify based on her immigration status and her race. I am very proud to announce that Diana has received the Gates Millennium Scholarship for Hispanics, which will not only cover her undergraduate and graduate studies, but also her doctoral program and assist her in developing her leadership skills. Diana is an inspiration to all people on how obstacles can be overcome through hard work, determination, and focus on studying.

Communication is the Key...Digital Television Transition!!

By Sonia James Upton
ELL Specialist/Consultant

As a board member of KYTESOL and a member of the Kentucky Outreach and Information Network (KOIN), I would ask that you assist me in getting some important information out to all of our ELL families across the state of Kentucky. This article shares some important information and websites for you to share with your students. Help spread the word so that all of our families will not be left in the dark without television.

As you may know on February 17, 2009 a digital television transition will occur. This transition will affect all families who watch television through the use of a rooftop antenna. The Kentucky Outreach and Information Network (KOIN) and the Federal Communication Commission (FCC) are trying to do their best to share some important information with all families across the state of Kentucky.

Every household is entitled to two \$40 coupons to assist with the purchase of up to two converter boxes through a program administered by the National Telecommunications and Information Administration (NTIA). Families will have up to 90 days after they receive their coupons to use them to purchase converter boxes. To request these coupons, go to www.dtv2009.gov or call 888-DTV-2009. You can also find informational fact sheets and guides on DTV available in different languages at <http://www.dtv.gov/publications.html>

As educators who are always striving to meet the needs of our students and families, I urge you to help share this important information. Remember...communication is the key!

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Useful Software for ELLs and All of Your Other Students

Compiled by Georgetown College's ESL students in March 2008

Name	URL	Cost	Useful for what? Teacher Comments
Fun Brain	www.funbrain.com/words.html	free	All kinds of games from vocabulary to grammar
Storyline Online	www.storylineonline.net	free	Elementary/ Reads stories and has related activities
Mighty Book	www.mightybook.com	24.95, 29.95, or 199.95 per year	Elementary/ Stories, songs, puzzles, and jokes
Reading Planet	www.rif.org/readingplanet/content/read_aloud_stories.msp	free	Stories, activities, and games
Interesting Things for ESL Students	www.manythings.org	free	All ages, everything from vocabulary to tongue twisters
Activities for ESL students	http://a4esl.org/	free	All ages and languages. Vocabulary and grammar activities/teacher resources
Grammar Blast	www.eduplace.com/kids/hme/k_5/quizzes/	free	Grades 2-5/Grammar activities
teAchnology	www.teach-nology.com	free	Teacher resource/Lesson plans, downloads, etc.
Starfall	www.starfall.com	free	Elementary/Phonics, reading, activities (many different types of reading selections) bright, colorful, fun, and engaging

VATESOL Joins SouthEastern TESOL

By Judy Snoke and Karen Medina, VATESOL
Bill Isler Carolina TESOL

2008 marks a major change for SETESOL. If anyone looked at a map of the Southeast Region of TESOL before last year, you would have noticed a big gap in the upper right-hand corner. Geographically, the Region had an empty spot unfilled by Virginia TESOL. On February 8, 2008, the Virginia TESOL Executive Board decided to join the organization as the first new member since Carolina TESOL joined in 1988.

The idea of a TESOL affiliate in Tidewater Virginia—in spite of the not too distant presence of Washington Area TESOL—began to take form on August 16, 1983, when the first meeting to form a TESOL organization in Tidewater Virginia was held at Old Dominion University in Norfolk; Boo Thiele and Janet Bing were among the founding members. It took little over nine months for the fledgling affiliate, Southern Virginia TESOL, to be accepted on May 31, 1984. The first conference was held in September with more than 30 attending.

The young affiliate grew rapidly. In 1985-1986 its membership increased to 113, but for some time thereafter conference attendance hovered around 50. In the spring of 1990 Regional Council Chair Bill Isler visited the affiliate spring conference to invite SoVaTESOL to join the SETESOL organization, but the small affiliate was not willing to risk taking on the heavy tasks of a regional conference as the previous SE Regional TESOL Conference had had 570 attendees.

Meanwhile, TESOL denied ESL teachers in Southwest Virginia the authority to use the TESOL name to organize a Blue Ridge TESOL affiliate for professionals and volunteers in the Roanoke and New River Valleys. Eventually this group and SoVaTESOL joined forces in a common effort, and, in April 1996, TESOL gave permission to extend membership from the Tidewater area to all of Virginia. In April 1997 the affiliate became a statewide organization, with its name officially changed to Virginia TESOL or VATESOL.

Since then the affiliate has continued to grow in membership and strength, to the point that, at the VATESOL Board meeting this February 8, 2008, the revised SETESOL Constitution was approved, and VATESOL became the ninth member affiliate, joining Sunshine State TESOL, Georgia TESOL, Alabama-Mississippi TESOL, Louisiana TESOL, Arkansas TESOL, Tennessee TESOL, Carolina TESOL, and Kentucky TESOL.¹ The affiliate has now set up a conference committee to prepare to host the SE Regional Conference in 2011. Virginia has several attractive potential locations with convention facilities to host a major regional meeting. Preplanning is underway, and we will soon hear what VATESOL is offering. Stay tuned.

¹ Original member Arkansas TESOL was moribund for a time and has re-formed; affiliate Florida TESOL disappeared, and Gulf TESOL reshaped itself to represent Florida as 'Sunshine State' TESOL.

SETESOL Regional Council Meeting
April 4, 2008 - New York (4/16/08)

Attendance (*official affiliate representative)

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NOTE: All attendees signed in upon arrival. All were present when the meeting was called to order, and all remained until the meeting was adjourned.

Chairperson: Julia Austin, the official AMTESOL Representative, chaired this 2008 meeting at the TESOL Convention in New York. It took place at the Bon Soup Restaurant. Julia called the meeting to order at 12:15 pm.

Secretary: Susan Spezzini served as recording secretary.

NOTE: Because AMTESOL is the affiliate in charge of the 2007-08 Regional Council meetings, its official affiliate representative is the person who chairs both of the semi-annual meetings that take place during this time period. Another member from that same affiliate serves as the recording secretary.

Agenda:

The agenda was displayed on wall charts at each end of the room.

1. Introductions

Julia Austin welcomed everyone and asked that everyone introduce himself/herself. A special welcome was extended to the Virginia representative since the VATESOL affiliate was accepted into the SETESOL Affiliation at the last council meeting and is being represented for the first time. Julia announced that it is probably a record that for two consecutive council meetings, all SETESOL affiliates are represented. This is the result of repeated emails until confirmation was received from all affiliates that they would send a representative to this meeting.

2. Overview of Council meetings

Because the restaurant setting was noisy, no attempt was made to explain the purpose of the SETESOL council meetings to newcomers. It was suggested that this be done at the next council meeting which will take place at the SETESOL conference in Birmingham.

3. Old Business

MINUTES

The minutes from the Louisville meeting were read. The only change was correcting the name of the official Carolina representative. After Yvonne Mitchell was listed as having been the official Carolina representative, Judy Cleek motioned that the minutes be approved, and Dell Perry seconded the motion. The minutes of the Louisville meeting were unanimously approved.

CONSTITUTION

Julia announced that all affiliates had approved the Constitution for the Affiliation of TESOL Affiliates in the Southeast. The SETESOL Executive Council had received an email approval from each affiliate. Julia mentioned that after several council meetings, the Constitution will no longer be part of meeting agendas.

2008 SETESOL CONFERENCE (Birmingham, September 25-27)

Julia distributed hard copies of the Conference Schedule (with the keynotes and concurrent strands for each of the three days) and a list of Pre-Conference Institutes. These information pages will soon be posted on the SETESOL website. They contained the following information:

SITE: The 2008 SETESOL conference will take place at the Birmingham-Jefferson County Convention Center (BJCC), located in downtown Birmingham and also near the airport. Rooms have been reserved at the Sheraton Hotel, which is connected to the BJCC. NOTE: The 1999 SETESOL conference also took place at the BJCC.

SCHEDULE 8:30-5:15 (with concurrent sessions throughout)

Wednesday 9/24	Pre-Conference Institutes (PCIs)
Thursday 9/25	<i>K-12 Strand:</i> Content Teachers with mainstreamed ELLs <i>Post-Secondary Strand:</i> Intensive English Programs
Friday 9/26	<i>K-12 Strand:</i> Special Education and ELLs <i>Post-Secondary Strand:</i> Higher Education Round Table and ITAP
Saturday 9/27	(NOTE: This last day ends at 3:45.) <i>Mini-Strand:</i> Story-Telling <i>Post-Secondary Strand:</i> Adult ESL

INVITED SPEAKERS

David and Yvonne Freeman, Ann Ebe, Jim and Lydia Stack, Catherine Collier, Janet Zadina, Carlos Cortes, Debi Strevy

TOPICS FOR THE PCIs

8:30-5:00 WIDA ACCESS Workshop

8:30-12:30

Cognitive Learning Styles and Strategies in a Cross-Cultural Setting (Catherine Collier)
Strategies for Effective Interaction in the Classroom (Susan Spezzini)
Using WIDA Assessments and Standards to Enhance Instruction

1:00-5:00

Rx for Treating Persistent Pronunciation Ailments (Karen Snyder & Susan Spezzini)
New Ideas for Teaching Pronunciation (Jonghee Shadix)
Accommodations for ELLs in Secondary Content Classrooms
(Veronique Zimmerman-Brown & Jenny Harvey)

PRESENTATION PROPOSALS

Susan announced that May 1st is the targeted deadline for receiving presentation proposals. She will be sending a reminder to the SETESOL listserv and will attach the Call for Proposals.

SOCIAL EVENTS

The main social event will take place at the Birmingham Art Museum, which is within easy walking distance of the BJCC. The Civil Rights Institute is also nearby. Council Members inquired about Name That Tune, and they were assured that this activity would again take place on Friday evening at 8:00 p.m.

FUTURE SETESOL CONFERENCES

Council members reviewed the list of conference sites as recorded in the minutes from the last meeting. It was suggested that this list be posted on the website. The Georgia, Florida, and Virginia representatives were asked to provide commitment letters to the SETESOL Council signed by the president, treasurer and an additional board member from their respective affiliates. (NOTE: Since the regulation of submitting commitment letters went into effect with the approval of the constitution, the first three affiliates on this list were not able to submit their respective letters three years in advance of hosting the conference.)

The schedule of conference sites is as follows:

2008	Alabama-Mississippi
2009	Georgia
2010	Florida
2011	Virginia
2012	Tennessee
2013	Carolina (N&S)
2014	Arkansas
2015	Louisiana
2016	Kentucky
2017	Alabama-Mississippi

4. New Business

Next Year's Regional Council Meetings

As the host of the 2009 SETESOL Conference, Georgia TESOL will organize and run the SETESOL Council Meetings at the 2008 SETESOL Conference in Birmingham and at the 2009 TESOL Convention in Denver.

2009 SETESOL Conference (Georgia)

Dell Perry announced that the 2009 SETESOL Conference will take place the third week of September at the Atlanta Hilton in downtown Atlanta. All conference activities will be taking place in the same site, and the vendors will be on the same floor. One of the keynote speakers will be a Rwanda refugee. As the outgoing SETESOL representative, Dell announced that her replacement will be Heather Bolt.

2010 SETESOL Conference (Florida)

Ann Jackman announced that the 2010 Conference will be taking place at the Marriott Hilton in Biscayne Ball. It will also take place in September.

2011 *big* TESOL Conference (New Orleans)

The Regional Council once again reiterated SETESOL support to the LaTESOL affiliate in their role as the local affiliate for the *big* TESOL in 2011. Details of such support will be discussed at the Regional Council Meeting in Birmingham.

5. Adjourning

Alan Corbin motioned that the meeting be adjourned, and Judy Cleek seconded the motion. Julia Austin adjourned the meeting at 12:34.



2008 SETESOL: Conference Overview (3/27/08)

*Simultaneous sessions in 13 break-out rooms

Thursday, September 25th

K-12 Focus: Content Area Teachers

Post Secondary Focus: Intensive English Programs

- 8:00-8:45** **Plenary A** (15 minutes for logistics and 30 minutes for keynote)
 Janet Zadina Topic: Brain-Based Learning Research and Teaching
- 9:00-9:45 *Concurrent Sessions (Module 1)
- 9:45-10:15 *Break (Exhibit Hall)*
- 10:15-12:00 *Concurrent Sessions
 10:15-11:00 (Module 2) OR 10:15-12:00 (Module 2&3)
 11:15-12:00 (Module 3)
- 12:15-12:45** **Lunch**
- 12:45-1:30** **1st Post-Lunch Session** (15 minutes for logistics and 30 minutes for session)
- 1:30-1:50 *Exhibit Hall*
- 2:00-3:45 *Concurrent Sessions
 2:00-2:45 (Module 4) OR 2:00-3:45 (Module 4&5)
 3:00-3:45 (Module 5)
- Guided Tour of Civil Rights District* (registration required)
- 4:00-4:45** **Plenary B** (5 minutes for logistics, 30 minutes for keynote, 10 minutes for door prizes)
 David and Yvonne Freeman Topic: Essentials for Teaching ESL
- 4:45-5:15 *Exhibit Hall*

Evening event: Reception at Art Museum 5:30 to 7:30 p.m.
 Music, light snacks, and art

Friday, September 26th

K-12 Focus: Special Education and ELLs

Post Secondary Focus: Higher Education Roundtable and ITAP

- 8:00-8:45** **Plenary C** (15 minutes for logistics and 30 minutes for keynote)
 Carlos Cortez Topic: Challenges Educators Must Meet
- 9:00-9:45 *Concurrent Sessions (Module 6)
- 9:45-10:15 *Break (Exhibit Hall)*
- 10:15-12:00 *Concurrent Sessions
 10:15-11:00 (Module 7) OR 10:15-12:00 (Module 7&8)

11:15-12:00 (Module 8)

12:15-12:45 Lunch

12:35-1:50 2nd Post-Lunch Session (10 minutes for logistics and 65 minutes for session)

2:00-3:45 *Concurrent Sessions

2:00-2:45 (Module 9) OR 2:00-3:45 (Module 9&10)

3:00-3:45 (Module 10)

Guided Tour of Civil Rights District (registration required)

4:00-4:45 Plenary D (5 minutes for logistics, 30 minutes for keynote, 10 minutes for door prizes)

4:45-5:15 *Exhibit Hall*

Evening events: Escorted dinners 5:30 to 8:00 p.m.

Name That Tune 8:00 p.m. until a team emerges victorious!

Cash bar

2008 SETESOL: Conference Overview

Saturday, September 27th

K-12 Focus: Storytelling in the ESL Classroom

Post Secondary Focus: Adult ESL

8:00-8:45 Plenary E (15 minutes for logistics and 30 minutes for keynote)

Jim Stack

9:00-9:45 *Concurrent Sessions (Module 11)

9:45-10:15 *Break (Exhibit Hall)*

10:15-12:00 *Concurrent Sessions

10:15-11:00 (Module 12) OR 10:15-12:00 (Module 12&13)

11:15-12:00 (Module 13)

12:00 p.m. *Exhibit Hall closes*

12:15-12:45 Lunch

12:45-1:45 3rd Post-Lunch Session (15 min. for logistics, 30 min. for keynote, 15 min. for door prizes)

2:00-3:45 *Concurrent Sessions

2:00-2:45 (Module 14) OR 2:00-3:45 (Module 14&15)

3:00-3:45 (Module 15)

Optional activities (registration required):

Hiking on Ruffner Mountain

Walking Tour of Downtown Art Galleries

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