

**The Region 10
Early Childhood Summer Institute
is designed for staff working in:**

Pre-Kindergarten
Kindergarten
PPCD
Head Start
Early Head Start
Administration

Early Childhood Intervention
Child Care
Speech Pathology
Physical Therapy
Occupational Therapy

KEYNOTE SPEAKERS

July 16th

Music, Movement and Learning



Dr. Mike (Michael Longoria, Ph.D.) is a curriculum developer and recording artist. He has over 20 years of early childhood teaching experience. Dr. Mike has also served as a Head Start administrator, a University professor, and an independent consultant. Dr. Mike has provided staff training for early childhood teachers across the country and has keynoted nationally at early childhood conferences. Dr. Mike's early reading resource program (Sing to Read) is being used in early childhood classrooms across nine states. Dr. Mike is recognized as a leader in the area of music and movement.

July 18th

**Rekindling Your Energy and Enthusiasm
for Teaching and Life!**



Dr. Bill (William DeMeo, Ph.D.) is a Developmental Psychologist who serves as a consultant for the Mayerson Academy. In addition, he also has a private practice that specializes in serving children and families that other agencies are not able to serve in the Greater Cincinnati Area. William has coordinated the mental health services for Cincinnati Public Schools' Early Childhood Program for the past 25 years. As a former teacher, he has taught at all levels, from elementary through the university. Finally, William is a Nationally Certified Olweus Trainer, a National Association of School Psychologist Approved Provider and a National Consultant for the Office of Juvenile Delinquency Prevention.

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Registration Fee: \$25.00

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\$50 for this event.

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Preschool Programs.

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Preston Ridge Campus
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Frisco, Texas 75035**



experience the Power of 10

Learn innovative strategies from nationally known presenters!

Strategies for a Successful Year in Early Childhood

Boost your confidence as a new early childhood professional by learning appropriate classroom strategies.



Connie Barnes is presently responsible for planning, coordinating, and conducting teacher training in Early Childhood Language and Literacy Development at Region 10. Previously, Connie has served as a director of the Preschool Teacher Education Program at Southern Methodist University (SMU), as Curriculum Fidelity Coordinator for SMU Preschool Initiative Program, and as a classroom teacher.



Tamika Harris Dean is a Preschool Education Consultant for Region 10 Education Service Center, supporting Head Start teachers. She has 20 years of early childhood experience. Tamika has worked in various areas of Head Start in California and in Texas. Tamika was also the Education consultant for Ty Howard (Mr. Untie the Knot). She received an undergraduate degree at Cal State University San Marcos in Education and a graduate degree at the University of Phoenix in Curriculum and Instruction.

Sense-Sational Teaching: A Multisensory Approach to Meet the Needs of Children

Teach young children with multiple learning styles through their senses.



Caroline and Danny At an early age, Danny knew that he loved music and dreamed of being the drummer for The Tonight Show Band starring Johnny Carson. He has worked with musicians such as The Tams, Atlanta Rhythm Section, America, and 38 Special. His projects range from co-creating the original songs on The Waffle House Jukebox to singing lead for Disney's Wreck it Ralph theme song.

Caroline was born with Broadway in her blood. She has choreographed and performed in numerous theatrical presentations throughout the Southeast. In her dancing days, Atlanta's Creative Loafing reviewed her work as the best choreography in the city. Caroline has also shared the stage with national storytellers. With a graduate degree in special education, Caroline has educated intellectually disabled and hearing impaired children and adults. Caroline met Danny while recording a series of stories at his studio. Caroline and Danny have found success by combining their experience as educators, writers and entertainers to form an "edu-tainment" company!

Just the Facts, Ma'am: Evidence-Based Practices that Support High Quality Inclusion

Promote access, participation, and supports for inclusive settings.



Camille Catlett, Ph.D., is an Investigator at the University of North Carolina's Frank Porter Graham Child Development Institute. She is a principal investigator for two federally-funded early childhood projects: Crosswalks: Outreach to Infuse Diversity in Pre-service Education and the National Professional Development Center for Early Childhood Inclusion. She is currently working with eleven states to support changes in the preparation of the future early childhood and early intervention workforce.

Integrating Social Communication, Play and Emotional Regulation

Support young children with communication disorders in the areas of emotional regulation, play, and social communication.



Jamie Cato is a speech-language pathologist/faculty associate at the University of Texas at Dallas Callier Center for Communication Disorders. She received her undergraduate degree at Baylor University in Speech Pathology and her graduate degree at the University of Texas at Dallas in Communication Disorders. Her experience includes both public schools and private clinical settings.

Child Development Birth to Three

Provide young children (0-3 years) with appropriate activities that support development.



Mary Ann Dudko, Ph.D., is a Birth to Five Education Consultant for Region 10 Education Service Center, mentoring Early Head Start and Head Start teachers. Prior to working at Region 10, she was VP of Content Development at HIT Entertainment, where she and her team provided consultation, support, and research services for over 17 years for Barney & Friends, Bob the Builder, Thomas & Friends, Angelina Ballerina, and all other properties produced by HIT Entertainment. Dr. Dudko was responsible for assuring that projects and products were age-appropriate for the intended audiences.

Fine Motor Skills...Write Out of the Box!

Utilize new activities to enhance fine motor development in young children.



Marianne Gibbs, Ed.D., OTR/L, is an occupational therapist and a nationally recognized early childhood educational speaker. She received her undergraduate degree in 1985 from Claremont McKenna College, a Master of Occupational Therapy Degree in 2000 from Texas Woman's University, and a Doctorate in Educational Leadership with a specialization in Curriculum and Instruction from the University of Phoenix in 2010. In addition to being a contributing author to the Frog Street Press Pre-K Curriculum and Benson Handwriting programs, Dr. Gibbs is also the owner of Gibbs Consulting, Inc.

Developing Cyber Savvy Kids in the Classroom

Teach young children safe and appropriate use of technology.



Ben Halpert is an award-winning author of several books for diverse audiences. The Savvy Cyber Kids At Home: The Family Gets A Computer (October, 2010) is a picture book that teaches the concepts of online safety and privacy to preschool children. The Savvy Cyber Kids At Home: The Defeat of the Cyber Bully (October, 2011) teaches children how to appropriately respond to a cyber bully before playing in the virtual world. For those in the business field, Ben has published Auditing Cloud Computing: A Security and Privacy Guide (July 2011) through John Wiley & Sons.

Signing Fundamentals Birth to Five Years

Learn the benefits of sign language in early childhood, as well as how to teach it.



Lillian Hubler is the founder and President of Time to Sign, Inc.. She has trained more than 45,000 educators nationwide. Lillian is a dynamic presenter. Her presentations are engaging and fun, as well as educational. Participants are amazed at how much sign language they learn in a single, enjoyable session.

The Magnificent Seven: Seven Things to Consider With Respect to Communication, Language and Assistive Technology

Assess and teach children with severe differences through non-traditional strategies.



Jane Korsten has an undergraduate degree in elementary education from the University of Kansas and a M.A. in Speech Pathology and Audiology from the University of Illinois. She has taken additional post graduate courses at the University of Kansas, the University of Missouri at Kansas City, the University of Nebraska, Hamline University, Ottawa University and at the Research Institute for Assistive and Training technologies (RIATT), University of New Mexico.

iTeach, iLearn, iPads in the Early Childhood Classroom

Explore what the iPad has to offer your classroom.



Monica Martinez has skill sets and talents to create educational software, online curriculum and innovative instruction. She brings extensive experience in designing and delivering interactive instruction based on needs assessment as a means to target desired outcomes. Her training experience includes developing and maintaining training materials to suit diverse training settings, such as train-the-trainer, hands-on training, and web-based training.

Autism Conversations: A Practical Framework for Identification of and Intervention for Young Children with Autism Spectrum Differences

Recognize autism spectrum differences in young children and utilize practical strategies to adapt their learning environments.



Marilyn Monteiro, Ph.D., is a Licensed Psychologist and a Licensed Specialist in School Psychology in independent practice in Dallas, Texas who specializes in autism spectrum disorders. Her publications include a testing protocol for diagnosing high-functioning children on the autism spectrum (The Monteiro Interview Guidelines for Diagnosing Asperger's Syndrome) and her book, Autism Conversations. Dr. Monteiro frequently provides autism trainings and presentations nationally and internationally. She currently evaluates children and consults with schools and early childhood providers as part of her independent practice.

Where the Wild Things Are: Managing Children When Your Classroom Feels Like a Zoo

Support social and emotional development in young children through simple classroom strategies.

Barbara Rila, Ph.D., is a licensed psychologist practicing in Dallas, Texas. She provides treatment and psychological evaluation for children ages 0-3. Dr. Rila specializes in abuse, adoption and attachment. Dr. Rila has served in the Texas Association of Infant Mental Health, as the President of the Dallas Psychological Association, and on the Dallas Psychological Association Executive Committee.

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