

# 65th Conference on Exceptional Children

## Pre-Conference Institutes Wednesday, November 18, 2015

Institute Number	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
	Speech Language Pathology	CECAS	Physical Therapy	Occupational Therapy	PreK Coordinators	Psychologists	Visual Impairment	Deaf/Blind/ Multiple Handicaps	Behavior Support	Assistive Technology	Autism	Transition
Institute Title												
Room/Capacity	Guilford F	Imperial D	Guilford G	Guilford E	Victoria B&C	Grandover East and West	Imperial C	Colony A	Victoria A	Colony B & C	Guilford D	Blue Ashe
Facilitator	Perry Flynn	Jane Cottingham	Laurie Ray	Lauren Holahan	Vivian James	Lynn Makor	William Trubilleja	Dottie Snyder	Angel Batts	Heather Brooks	Dana Rusher	Beverly Colwell

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## General Instructional Sessions

Session Number	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12												
8:15 to 9:30 a.m.	So, This is Your First EC Conference!	Medicaid Updates	Autism, Our Journey Together, A Message of Hope	Student Discipline, Behavior Support, and Prevention of Disproportionality	Becoming Civil Rights Ready	Innovative Approaches to Literacy for Students, Teachers, and Families	Implementing the NC Disability History & Awareness Month Act	Intentional, Effective Collaboration Using Technology and an Organized Framework	Is it Dyslexia and How to Help If It Is!	Confronting the Prescription Pad IEP	Meeting the Unique Needs of Military Connected Students with Disabilities	LEA Self Assessment												
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Lead Presenter	Tracy Riddle	Lauren Holahan / Laurie Ray	DJ Svoboda	Edwin Wilson	Shannon Baker	Rebecca Blomgren	Alan Chase	Helen Fuller	Brian Smith	James G. (Gil) Middlebrooks	Cynthia Shamberger	Julie Askew												
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Facilitator	Heather Ouzts	Karen Little Khalilah Boulware	Heidi Carico Lori Hartley	Leslie Lowery	Rob McQuat	Melanie Sharpe	Antonia Johson Ilona Ketting	Jane Cottingham Valencia Davis	Sharon Moore Jennifer Sims	Kevin Allen	Lori Peterson	Vivian James Heather Reynolds												
<b>10:00 to 11:30 am - PLENARY SESSION    11:30 to 1:00 LUNCH / EXHIBITOR CONNECTIONS</b>																								
Strand	Administrators	IEP Development & Implementation	Legal Issues	Transition	Effective & Excellent Special Educators	Data Management Systems (Thurs) / Parent Engagement (Fri)	Graduation (Thurs) / Deaf Blind (Fri)	Healthy Students and Staff	Problem Solving for Improvement	Communication & Collaboration	Implementation Science (Thurs) / Communication & Collaboration (Fri)	Technology	PK-5	Academics	Secondary	Low Incidence Populations	PK-5	Secondary	Low Incidence Populations	PK-5	Secondary	Low Incidence Populations	Special Topics	
1:00 to 2:30 p.m.	Results Driven Accountability (RDA) and Federal Updates	We Tried Prevention through Intervention, Now What? Using Rti as a Component of a Comprehensive Evaluation	Art and Science: Understanding and Effectively Implementing the IEP	Transitioning to Postsecondary - A Secondary Perspective and a Middle Level Option	What Children Need to Succeed: Building Self-esteem from the Inside Out	CECAS for Beginners	Designing Integrated Curriculum Units for the Special Education Classroom	Comfortable Cafeteria: Mental Health Promotion Framework and Program Implementation	UDL Non-Negotiable in the Inclusion Classroom	Increasing Student Achievement through Co-teaching & Collaboration	Disability/Schismability: Embracing Neurodiversity, MTSS and Universal Design for Learning	AT in Their Pockets!	Time to Demystify Dyslexia!	A Literacy Assessment Planning Model for Supporting Middle and High MTSS	Beyond the Basics: Teaching Math Word Problem Solving Version 2.0	Reach Goals Faster by Understanding How Each Child's Brain Works	LEGO Club: Promoting Social Skills for Students With Autism	The Function Wheels System, An Innovative Way To Manage Behaviors	Closing the Discipline Gap: Preventing the Pipeline to Prison	Engaging Adult Learners				
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Lead Presenter	Ruth Ryder	Heather Boston	Karen Haase	Ronda Sortino	Mark Anthony Garrett	Jennifer Sims	Jordan McNeill	Caroline Norman	Emma Hatfield Sidden	Julie Bost	Mike Marcela	Dr. Kimberly Fitchett-Bazemore	Nancy Hennessy	Joan Sedita	Alicia Saunders	Patricia Leigh	Meg Proctor	Keith Amerson	Charlie P. Lyons	Cherie Hampton				
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<b>2:30 to 3:00 BREAK / EXHIBITOR CONNECTIONS</b>																								
3:00 to 4:30 p.m.	Accessing Education Records of Children and Youth in Care	Best Practice in Measuring Treatment Integrity in the Classroom	Having Your Ducks in a Row BEFORE a Due Process Challenge	Secondary Transition - Who's at the table?	Be the Educational Differentiator: Storytelling & Human Graphing Comes Alive	Using the CECAS Online IEP Form	How to Create High School Individual Curriculum Modules/Courses	Synergizing Instruction: UDL, Co teaching and Instructional Rounds	Catching Students Through Intervention	Beyond the Speech Room: Increasing Collaboration to Support Generalization	Using ATT-ACC with Students with Sensory and Multiple Disabilities	Solving the Inference Mystery	A Multi-Tiered Model of Literacy Instruction for 4-12 Classrooms	Connecting Communication and Math	Using Technology the UDL Way!	OCs and NCVPS: A Successful Virtual Co-Teaching Model and Partnership	Let's Give Them Something to TALK About	PBIS - Tracking and Supporting Student Behavior	Maintaining a Successful Secondary PBIS Program	Contextual Language Intervention: Combining Language Goals into One Lesson	Ensuring Math Success for All (6-12)			
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Lead Presenter	Karen Hase	Jim Deni	Rachel Hitch	April Brantley	Dana Humphries	Ilona Ketting	Betsy Stanwood	Ann Turner	Jason Evans	Rebekah Norris	Sue Porr	Nancy Hennessy	Joan Sedita	Andrea Blackwood	Deandra Scott	Sherry Bell	Adam Seipel	Rene Stilwell	Carmen Davis	Kimberley Okirima-Tiluk	Lisa Ashe			
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<b>6:30 - 8:00 Teacher of Excellence Award Reception (Guilford Ballroom) - All Registered Attendees are Welcome (Enter through Guilford F)</b>																								
8:30 to 10:00 a.m.	Boosting Student Performance: Improving Graduation Rates	Sharing North Carolina Post-School Outcomes Through Video Success Stories	Manifestation Determinations: How Solid Are Yours?	VR and LEA - Effective Communication and Collaboration Strategies	Flipping the Inclusive Classroom	Building the Bridge: How to increase Parent Involvement	Deafblindness: What Teachers and Service Providers Should Know	Improving Social and Emotional Responses for Adolescents with HFASD	Evaluating ELL Students Using Ortiz's Cultural - Linguistic Interpretive Matrix (CLIM)	Increasing Parental Engagement and At-Risk African American Male Students	VGO Robotic Telepresence: One Year Pilot with Homebound Students	From STEM and STEAM to STREAM: Content areas reading instruction	Creating Change for Adolescent Readers-One Step At a Time	Challenges of Applying the Common Core Standards to Deaf/HH Students	Ensuring Mathematics Success for All (K-5)	Raising Student Engagement to Help Raise Scores!	Collaboration: More is Always Better!	Promoting Social Interaction and Communication in Preschoolers with ASD	Will you Marry Me? Engaging the Mind in Critical Thinking	Awakening the Possibilities Through Strength Based Coaching	INNOVATE, INTEGRATE, MOTIVATE			
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Lead Presenter	Staff from Ashboro City Schools, Cleveland County Schools, and Wake County Public Schools	Kelly Kelley	Rachel Hitch	Richard Kilgore	Karen McPherson	Amanda White	Lucia Quinonez Sumner	Elizabeth Curtiss-Cabell	Erin Banks	Dr. Delvon Currie-McCall	Richard Lemke Ph.D.	Jennifer Diliberto	Cyndee Gilmore	Dave Dolman	Denise Schulz	Dana Humphries	Katie Dowd	Tricia Carter	Nadiah Trotman, Ed.D.	Lillian Henderson	Barbara Putnam			
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10:45 a.m. to 12:15 p.m.	Providing FAPE for Students with Mental Health Impairments under IDEA	Nuts and Bolts of Facilitating Successful Student Led Planning Meetings	The Straw that Broke the Camel's Back	Improving Post-Secondary Outcomes for Students Who are D/HH	Executive Functioning: What is it? What does it look like? What can we do about it?	Recognizing and Defusing Anger in IEP Meetings	Deaf-Blind and Living Independently (It takes a Village)	Creating Sensory Environments for Children with Autism, SPD and ADHD	Secondary Literacy Instruction: Implementation and Progress Monitoring	Seeing It in Action: Everyday Routines in Natural Environments	Post-Secondary Universities in NC for Students with Intellectual Disabilities	Digital Differentiation with Google and Other Stuff!	Teaching Students with Dyslexia: Myths, Facts, & Best Practices	Effective Instructional Strategies for Adolescent Struggling Readers	We Created An Adapted Literacy Library! You Can Too!	Building Social Skills A Tool Box for Success	Occupational Preparation I-IV: Unpacking the Standards	What You Should Know About Serving Students With Visual Impairment	Breaking Down Barriers: Social Skills Support in the Classroom	Letter to My Lesser Bruised and Battered Special Educator Self	Serving Students with Disabilities at the Community College Level			
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