



*Georgia Association on Higher Education and Disability*

# GA-AHEAD/AMAC ANNUAL CONFERENCE APRIL 23-24, 2009

## PROGRAM AND REGISTRATION

### AGENDA

#### **Thursday, April 23, 2009**

Session I: 9:30 am - 12:00 pm

Dr. Catherine Rogers, Shepherd Spinal Center, Atlanta  
*"Returning Warriors: TBI and PTSD in Combat Veterans"*

Lunch/Business Meeting 12:00 – 1:00pm

Session II: 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Dr. Toni Thomas, Program Manager for Family and Adult Services, Emory Autism Center at Emory University  
*"Characteristics of Autism Spectrum Disorders in Young Adults"*

Louise Bedrossian, Director, Disability Services at Clayton State University  
*"Practical Strategies to Support and Accommodate Students with Asperger's Syndrome in Higher Education"*

#### **Friday, April 24, 2009**

Session I: 9:00 am - 12:00 pm

Panel discussion on Services for Deaf/Hard of Hearing Students moderated by Bonnie Martin

Lunch – recap Business Meeting

Session II: 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm

AMAC Update and training

**GA-AHEAD  
ANNUAL CONFERENCE REGISTRATION FORM**

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I will be attending the conference at the following location:

\_\_\_\_\_ Atlanta – Board of Regents Office  
270 Washington St, SW, Atlanta

\_\_\_\_\_ Macon – Macon State University  
100 College Station Drive, Macon

\_\_\_\_\_ Valdosta – Valdosta State University  
1500 North Patterson Street, Valdosta

ACCOMMODATIONS NEEDED: \_\_\_\_\_

CONFERENCE COST

**Free** with membership renewal

\_\_\_\_\_ \$20 without membership renewal

DEADLINE FOR REGISTRATIONS: April 16, 2009

Return completed forms to:

Carol Pope, Kennesaw State University, 1000 Chastain Rd. #0502, Kennesaw, GA 30144  
770-423-6443, 770-423-6667 Fax, cpope@kennesaw.edu

## GA-AHEAD 2009-2010 MEMBERSHIP

Please indicate your region:  Northwest  Northeast  Central  Southwest  Coastal

With which category do you affiliate?

University System of Georgia institution     Technical College     Private College  
 Proprietary College     Vocational Rehabilitation Services     High School  
 Psychologist/Educational Consultant     Student     Vendor

### Membership

### Amount Paid

Institutional - \$75

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*Open to any institution of higher education in the state of Georgia. Membership paid by your institution covers an unlimited number of disability service professionals employed by your university. You must list all individuals who are to be included in the membership at the time you submit your application.*

Professional - \$25

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*Any person who supports the purposes, goals and objectives of the corporation and has a vested interest in enhancing educational opportunities for students with disabilities in higher education (membership paid by personal check).*

Student - \$5

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*Any person enrolled in a higher education program who has an interest in promoting the purposes of Georgia AHEAD (membership paid by personal check).*

Contribution to Carole Pearson Scholarship Fund (tax deductible gift)

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Conference registration **without** membership - \$20

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**TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED:**

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**Paid by:**  institutional check  personal check  cash

**Date Paid:** \_\_\_\_\_ (FED ID#: 58-1990946)

Yes, I would like my contact information listed on the Georgia AHEAD web site.

**MEMBERSHIP IS VALID FROM ANNUAL SPRING CONFERENCE  
to the next  
ANNUAL SPRING CONFERENCE.**

**ADDITIONAL INSTITUTIONAL MEMBERS**

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