AGENDA

8:30–9:00  Registration, Sign In and Course Materials
            Continental Breakfast

9:00–12:00  Morning Session

12:00–1:00  Box Lunch
            (select choice when registering)

1:00–3:30  Afternoon Session

Featured Speaker:

Kris English, Ph.D.
School of Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology
The University of Akron
Kris English, Ph.D., earned her doctorate from San Diego State/Claremont Graduate Universities in California, and is a professor at the University of Akron. She has authored, co-authored or edited eight books and 21 chapters, and has presented over 200 workshops and papers in the United States, Canada, and Europe, primarily on the topic of counseling. She recently completed five years of service as a Board member for the American Academy of Audiology, including a term as President in 2009-2010.

Abstract:
Part I: Auditory processing disorders (APD) are often misunderstood or unclearly defined. We will explore auditory processing disorders from a neurological perspective across the lifespan, and review the current evidence available regarding treatment efficacy. Clinic-ready strategies will be shared.

Part II: Patients decide to trust us when they perceive that we are technically competent, put patient welfare first, and possess interpersonal competence. This presentation will focus on the third criteria with a review of interpersonal competences (that is, counseling strategies) designed for speech-language pathologists and audiologists. Research validating counseling as an evidence-based practice will be included.

Learner objectives:
At the end of this workshop participants will be able to:

1. Differentiate between auditory processing and receptive language problems.
2. Describe the current evidence available on APD treatment.
3. Describe the link between communication skills, trust, and patient adherence to clinician recommendations.

REGISTRATION

Register On-line: www.duq.edu/slpconference
See links for registrants/alumni and clinical supervisors.

For more information:
Call: 412-396-4225 Email: slpconference@duq.edu

Registration policy: Each attendee must register separately. Payment must be made at the time of registration.

Tuition fee per person:
- Registration by March 1, 2013 $150.00 (Includes continental breakfast, lunch and parking)
- Duquesne SLP Alumni $50.00 (please include maiden name(if appropriate) and year of graduation on registration)
- Current and past Clinical Instructors/Supervisors of Duquesne SLP graduate students** FREE

Funding to support registration for Duquesne University externship Clinical Instructors is provided in part by a grant from PNC.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND:
Speech Language Pathologists and Audiologists working with children and adults.

FOR DIRECTIONS AND MAP:
www.duq.edu/about/campus/map-and-directions

PARKING: Forbes Avenue Garage. Bring blue parking ticket with you.

ADA: Please contact us a minimum of two weeks prior to the program for accommodations.

ASHA: This program is offered for up to .55 CEUs (Intermediate level, Professional area). ASHA account number required for ASHA registry.

CANCELLATIONS: Paid registration fees will be refunded if you contact us within 72 hours prior to the conference date. The registrant will receive a full refund minus a $25 administrative fee. No refunds will be issued after that time. The Duquesne University SLP Department reserves the right to cancel the course with due cause. In case of cancellation, a full refund will be given to enrolled participants within two weeks of scheduled conference.