

Registration for the 2015 Annual National Dropout Prevention Network Conference is ONLY available online at www.dropoutprevention.org and link to San Antonio conference.
(For questions regarding the program or the conference, contact John Gailer at jgailer@clmson.edu.)

Conference Hotel Headquarters

Wyndham San Antonio Riverwalk, 111 East Pecan Street, San Antonio, TX 78205, 866-764-8536, \$139 single/double occupancy, plus taxes. This rate is good through October 1, 2015. Rates will be available three days prior and after the event.

Payment

Purchase orders, checks, or credit cards are accepted prior to the start of the conference. Checks and purchase orders should be made payable to Clemson University NDPN Conference and sent to NDPC at Clemson University, 209 Martin Street, Clemson, SC 29631-1555.

Cancellations and Refunds

Cancellations must be in writing to Denise Gianforaro at jgianfo@clmson.edu, and received by **October 2, 2015**, in order to receive a refund less \$45 administrative fee. No refunds will be made after **October 2, 2015**, or for no-shows.

Preconference Workshops (\$50 each)

- The Most Effective Strategies to Increase Graduation Rates*, Dr. Jay Smink
- The Impact of a Quality Afterschool Program*, Ms. Shanya Dean and Ms. Jocelyn Kuhn
- Reaching the Wounded Student*, Dr. Joe Hendershott
- Design Thinking: Connecting School to Real Life for Student Success*, Ms. Debora Parizek, Ms. Jessica Sanchez, and students from Henry Ford Academy: Alameda School for Art + Design

Site Visits (\$45 each)

- Site Visit 1—Anson Jones Academy
- Site Visit 2—Young Men's Leadership Academy
- Site Visit 3—Ed White Middle School
- Site Visit 4—Henry Ford Academy: Alameda School for Art + Design
- Site Visit 5—Sydney Lanier HS & Good Samaritan Community Services
- Site Visit 6—Academy of Creative Education (ACE)

Special Tracks

- Rural Education Challenges and Solutions
- Developing a Dropout Prevention Plan for Your School or System
- Dropout Prevention Strategies and Solutions Among Hispanic Populations

Postconference Workshop (\$100)

Wednesday, October 28, 2015 - 2:00 - 5:00 p.m.

Thursday, October 29, 2015 - 8:30 a.m. - 12:00 noon

Reaching and Teaching Every Student, Especially the Reluctant Learner, Dr. Judith Ann and Mr. Joseph Pauley

Keynote Speakers

Bill Daggett, President, International Center for Leadership and Education
Aric Bostick, Motivational Speaker and Trainer
LTC Consuelo Castillo Kickbusch, USA, Ret., Veteran, Author, and Motivational Speaker

Conference Strands

Conference strands include (1) literacy; (2) school climate; (3) data assessment and continuous improvement; (4) curriculum and instruction; (5) student support services; (6) student, family, and community engagement; (7) new literacy, media, and technology; (8) juvenile justice and truancy; (9) out-of-school time; and (10) leadership and policy.

Proposed Conference Schedule

Sunday, October 25, 2015

- 12:00 - 6:00 p.m. Registration
- 2:00 - 5:00 p.m. Preconference Workshops
- 5:00 - 6:00 p.m. Exhibitors' Sneak Preview

Monday, October 26, 2015

- 8:00 - 5:00 p.m. Exhibit Hall Open/Registration
- 8:30 - 10:15 a.m. Opening General Session (*Dr. Bill Daggett*)
- 10:30 - 11:30 a.m. Concurrent Sessions
- 11:30 - 12:45 p.m. Networking Luncheon
- 12:45 - 2:00 p.m. Featured Session (*U.S. Ed-Rural*)
- 2:15 - 3:15 p.m. Concurrent Sessions
- 3:30 - 4:30 p.m. Concurrent Sessions
- 5:00 - 7:00 p.m. Opening Reception

Tuesday, October 27, 2015

- 7:30 - 12:00 noon Exhibit Hall Open
- 7:30 - 5:00 p.m. Registration
- 8:30 - 9:45 a.m. General Session (*Ford Motor Company Fund — Innovation In Education*)
- 10:00 - 11:00 a.m. Concurrent Sessions
- 11:15 - 12:15 p.m. Concurrent Sessions
- 12:15 - 1:30 p.m. Networking Luncheon
- 1:30 - 3:00 p.m. Concurrent Sessions
- 3:15 - 4:45 p.m. Featured Sessions (*Mr. Aric Bostick*)

Wednesday, October 28, 2015

- 7:30 - 12:30 p.m. Registration
- 8:30 - 9:30 a.m. Concurrent Sessions
- 9:45 - 10:45 a.m. Concurrent Sessions
- 10:45 - 12:15 p.m. Brunch/Closing Session (*LTC Consuelo Castillo Kickbusch, Ret.*)

Note: A detailed description of exhibit opportunities, keynoters, preconference workshops, and site visits with schedules and fees can be viewed on the NDPC Web site at www.dropoutprevention.org.

Conference Registration Fees

Early Bird (before September 25, 2015)

<input type="checkbox"/> NDPN Member	\$405.00	<input type="checkbox"/> NDPN Nonmember	\$450.00
<input type="checkbox"/> NDPN Member Team per registrant (2 or more)	\$385.00	<input type="checkbox"/> NDPN Nonmember Team per registrant (2 or more)	\$430.00

Regular (after September 25, 2015)

<input type="checkbox"/> NDPN Member	\$435.00	<input type="checkbox"/> NDPN Nonmember	\$480.00
<input type="checkbox"/> NDPN Member Team per registrant (2 or more)	\$415.00	<input type="checkbox"/> NDPN Nonmember Team per registrant (2 or more)	\$460.00

Presenter/Co-Presenter Registration \$350.00

One-Day Registration \$230.00

Student Registration \$250.00

Student One-Day Registration \$100.00

Site Visit \$ 45.00

Preconference Workshop \$ 50.00

Postconference Workshop \$100.00

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