

Literacy & ELD for English Learners

A two-day Conference for K-8 Educators

The Literacy & ELD annual conference will feature high quality, standards-aligned professional development for educators involved in schooling culturally, linguistically, and racially diverse background students. CABE is committed to bringing every attendee up-to-date, research-based, standards-aligned professional development that integrates the principles of good teaching and learning, together with stimulating, respectful environments conducive to adult learning.

Mary Cappellini



Mary Cappellini is an educational consultant who has worked with English Learners and teachers of ELs for over 20 years. Her experience includes being an elementary teacher, a bilingual resource teacher, a literacy coach, an ESL teacher, and an adjunct professor. She taught in large urban public schools in Santa Ana, California, as well as at the American School in Buenos Aires, Argentina. She is also the author of numerous children's books in both English and Spanish. Mary and her husband are raising three bilingual and bicultural daughters in southern California.

Robert Rueda



Robert Rueda is a Professor in the area of Educational Psychology and Language, Literacy, and Learning at the Rossier School of Education at the University of Southern California. His research interests are in the areas of the socio-cultural basis of learning and instruction with a focus on academic achievement (especially reading) in students in at-risk conditions, English Learners, and students with mild learning handicaps. He also served as a panel member of the National Literacy Panel on Language Minority Children and Youth.

Matthew Gollub



Matthew Gollub speaks English, Spanish and Japanese. His first musical book even features a fly who speaks jazz. A native of California, he has traveled much of the world. He has worked as a newscaster, translator, and touring member of a Japanese drum troupe. Not only is Matthew an award-winning author, he is also the publisher of Tortuga Press (www.tortugapress.com). Over the past twelve years, Matthew has produced 16 books and as a speaker, has inspired hundreds of audiences at schools and conferences nationwide with his storytelling, drumming, and command of three languages – a combination that teachers describe as “unbelievably dynamic.”

Fay Shin



Fay Shin is a former elementary and middle school teacher and now an Associate Professor of Education at California State University, Long Beach. She specializes in language and literacy and is a sought after consultant and presenter. Her workshops are filled with proven strategies, lively hands-on activities, and application of current research on literacy and language development to actual classroom teaching.

National Literacy Panel Report Special Invited Featured Symposium

This symposium will feature members of the National Literacy Panel on Language Minority Children and Youth who have just completed a two-year study of effective literacy practices for English Learners. This panel of scholars identified, assessed, and synthesized literacy research related to the education of English language-learning minority children and youth. The Panel will present findings from their comprehensive report that evaluated and synthesized the research literature to provide research-based recommendations to guide educational practice and inform educational policy.

December 7-8, 2005
Sheraton Cerritos Hotel
12725 Center Court Drive
Cerritos, CA 95110

Conference Highlights

Workshops

The Literacy and ELD conference features over 36 workshops in literacy, biliteracy, and English Language Development for English Learners and other students learning a second or third language. These professional development opportunities are scheduled throughout the two days of the conference, giving participants the opportunity to select workshops and other conference activities within their areas of interest. All sessions are held at the Sheraton Cerritos Hotel.

Exhibits

Exhibitors with instructional materials used in all areas of education for English Learners, including technology, provide participants the opportunity to review and purchase the latest in materials and publications.

University Credit

Loyola-Marymount University will offer university credit for an additional fee. Information will be available on-site at the University Credit table located in the registration area.

At this Literacy & ELD conference, participants can attend a wide variety of keynote addresses and workshops that offer new, innovative ways of:

- Planning standards-based Biliteracy and ELD instruction for second language learners;
- Designing effective learning experiences for culturally, linguistically and racially, diverse background students in all types of instructional programs: 2-Way bilingual immersion, transitional and SEI;
- Assessment and accountability for student learning and success;
- Administering culturally and linguistically appropriate literacy programs for academic success;
- Learning about new and effective literacy and ELD instructional strategies and materials;
- Integrating technology into literacy programs for English Learners; and
- Highlighting successful practices with proven results.

CABE is the Premier Source of Quality Professional Development and offers Standards-Aligned Professional Development so educators can meet NCLB Professional Development Requirements.

CABE allows teachers to meet the NCLB requirement that all teachers of English Learners, assigned to teach core academic subjects, will be highly qualified and demonstrate core academic subject matter competence. Teachers who attend the full two-day conference of standards aligned professional development can accrue up to 10 hours towards completing the California High Objective Uniform State Standard of Evaluation (HOUSSE).

This conference provides attendees the opportunity to share perspectives and seek solutions for common challenges in an atmosphere of collegiality and professional respect. Programs for English Learners are successful when educators engage and support all students in learning and create and maintain effective, culturally responsive learning environments.

The two day conference agenda will be:

Schedule for Wednesday, December 7 and Thursday, December 8, 2005

7:30 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.	Registration
7:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.	Exhibit Viewing
9:00 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.	General Opening Session
10:45 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.	Workshops Session
12:15 p.m. - 1:45 p.m.	Luncheon with Guest Speaker
2:00 p.m. - 3:15 p.m.	Workshops Session
3:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.	General Closing Session

Registration: Please complete the attached registration form, include payment and return to CAFE Headquarters by November 17, 2005. Please note there will be limited on-site registration. Your registration fee includes Continental Breakfast and Lunch. Your conference materials and name badge will be available the day of the conference.

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Name: _____ Title: _____

School District/School: _____

Preferred Mailing Address: _____

Grade Level : (Please Specify) _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone: _____ Fax: _____

Special Meal Needs: _____ Email: _____

Mail Registration

Form of Payment

Mail Registration form with check, money order or purchase order postmarked on or before **November 17, 2005.**

CAFE ELD Conference
16033 E. San Bernardino Road
Covina, CA 91722-3900
Tel: 626-814-4441
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Check: _____

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Signature: _____

Registration Fee.

On-site Registration fee:

\$250

(if space is available)

\$275

Request for refunds & cancellation policy

Substitutions, cancellation and refund requests must be made in writing and postmarked on or before **November 11, 2005.** A processing fee of \$25.00 will be assessed for each cancellation. Refunds will be issued after the conference. **No refund requests after November 11, 2005 will be honored.** There are no exceptions.

Hotel and Parking

Please note the hotel room rate is \$129.00 per room night, plus tax and complimentary parking. Parking is provided by hotel at no additional cost.

For conference use only

ID#: _____ Amount: _____ Date Recv'd: _____ P.O.# _____ Check #: _____ Other: _____

Registration Information



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November 17, 2005**

2005-2006 CABE CONFERENCES

PARA-EDUCATOR/PARENT CONFERENCES

Bakersfield/Kern County
October 20, 2005
Holiday Inn Select

San Diego/Imperial County
November 17, 2005
Wyndham San Diego at Emerald Plaza

Los Angeles County
April 20, 2006
Hilton Pasadena

San Bernardino/Riverside County
May 11, 2006
Riverside Convention Center

SPECIAL CONFERENCES

Jornada Pedagógica Conference
December 3, 2005
Loyola Marymount University

CABE 2006
March 1-4, 2006
San José McEnery Convention Center
408 Almaden Blvd
San José, CA 95110

Two-Way CABE TWBI Institute SoCal
November 1, 2005
December 13, 2005
January 31, 2006

Two-Way CABE TWBI Institute NoCal
October 12, 2005
December 14, 2005
February 1, 2006

Two-Way Bilingual Immersion Summer Conference
July 18-July 21, 2006
Long Beach Hyatt and Convention Center

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