

A free, one-day conference at Princeton University



ENHANCING PRACTICE WITH EARLY ENGLISH LANGUAGE LEARNERS

This conference is organized by the Education Research Section (ERS) and co-sponsored by the National Institute for Early Education Research (NIEER), The Future of Children Journal (FOC) and the Woodrow Willson School (WWS).

Space is limited, register early! Registration is required in order to attend. To register visit <http://www.futureofchildren.princeton.edu/ell>

This conference will target specific educational issues regarding Early English Language Learners. The day will work to bridge research and practice by highlighting research-based methods. An overview of the research on ELL's will specifically address topics of Demography, Social and Emotional Development and Instructional Models. Additional panels will discuss practical solutions regarding child and classroom assessment and professional development. Furthermore, this conference will provide examples of creative school models that have been applied to work with young ELL's.



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Friday, April 29, 2011
8:30am - 4:00pm

AGENDA:

- 8:30 a.m. Registration
- 9:00 a.m. Greetings
- 9:15 a.m. What Does the Research Have to Say?
- 10:50 a.m. Assessment and English Language Learners
- 12:15 p.m. Preschool Research Network
- 12:30 p.m. Lunch
- 1:30 p.m. Professional Development and English Language Learners
- 2:45 p.m. Creative Ways To Teach English Language Learners
- 3:40 p.m. Closing

FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

And for a list of confirmed panelists visit the conference website at

<http://www.futureofchildren.princeton.edu/ell>

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GETTING TO THE CONFERENCE:

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