

# Building Bridges: Constructing and Navigating Transition Services for Youth with Disabilities

## South Carolina's 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Interagency Transition Conference

September 20-22, 2015  
Greenville, SC



**Convene your local transition team and join your peers from across the state for this highly valued interagency transition team event.**

Local Interagency Transition teams (e.g., LEA, SCVRD, DDSN, parent centers, CILs, employers, youth, families) of 2 – 10 people will gain knowledge and skills specific to Collaborative Planning; School-Based Preparatory Experiences; Career Preparation & Work-Based Learning Experiences; Youth Development & Leadership; Connecting Activities; and Family Involvement & Supports in an effort to target improved transition services, and improved postsecondary outcomes for youth with disabilities.

- ✓ We look forward to seeing the 42 teams from 2014's conference-- along with those of you who will be joining us for the first time!
- ✓ A full hot breakfast is included in your room rate.
- ✓ Lunch on both Monday and Tuesday is included in your registration fee.
- ✓ This year's conference will again include breakout sessions and facilitated team planning time.
- ✓ The conference will kick off on Sunday evening with a "speed networking" event social (registration required, included in your registration fee).

*"Coming together is a beginning, staying together is progress, and working together is a success." --Henry Ford*

### Conference Registration Link:

<http://tinyurl.com/SCInteragency2015>

## Conference Registration & Hotel Information



### **Conference Registration Fees:**

Conference registration is online!

Early Individual	\$129
Late Individual (after Sept 10 <sup>th</sup> )	\$149

*Registration fees include Sunday evening networking event, conference materials, all sessions, and lunch on Monday and Tuesday.*

### **Hotel/Conference Location:**

Embassy Suites Hotel Greenville  
Golf Resort & Conference Center

670 Verdae Boulevard  
Greenville, SC 29607  
Phone: (864) 678-7114

### **Hotel Booking:**

Group Code: SCT  
Phone: 1-800-218-8712  
[www.embassysuitesgreenville.com](http://www.embassysuitesgreenville.com)

### **Pricing:**

\$129 – Single  
\$149 – Double

Make your reservation ASAP!  
Space is limited and conference rates are only available until September 4<sup>th</sup>!

# Tentative 2015 Conference Schedule

Sunday, September 20 <sup>th</sup>	
3:30pm – 5:00 pm	Registration Open Exhibitor Set-Up
5:00 pm – 6:30 pm	Networking Event – (Facilitated event with appetizers and cash bar)
Monday, September 21 <sup>st</sup> – Laying the Foundation	
7:30 am – 5:00 pm	Registration Open
7:30 am – 5:30 pm	Exhibits Open
8:30 am – 10:30 am	Conference Welcome & Keynote Session with Dan Habib, creator of the award-winning documentary films <b><i>Including Samuel, Who Cares About Kelsey?, Restraint and Seclusion: Hear Our Stories</i></b> , and many other short films on disability-related topics.
Coffee Break with Exhibitors	
11:00 am – 12:00 pm	Guideposts Breakout Sessions (5 offered)
Break	
12:15 pm – 1:45 pm	General Session and Buffet Lunch
Break	
2:00 pm – 3:15 pm	Facilitated Team Planning Time # 1
Break	
3:30 pm – 4:30 pm	Guideposts Breakout Sessions (5 offered)
4:35 pm – 5:15 pm	SC DCDT Membership Meeting
Tuesday, September 22 <sup>nd</sup> – Adding Bracing for Support & Success	
8:00 am – 9:30 am	Registration Open
8:00 am – 11:30 am	Exhibits Open
8:30 am – 9:30 am	Guideposts Breakout Sessions (5 offered)
Coffee Break with Exhibitors	
9:45 am – 11:15 am	Facilitated Team Planning Time #2
Break	
11:30 am – 1:00 pm	Lunch - Agency Updates and State Transition Awards
Break	
1:15 pm – 2:45 pm	Team Planning Time #3
Break	
3:00 pm – 4:00 pm	Information Sessions for Teams Interested in Applying for Follow-Up Training and Technical Assistance

**\*\*Affiliation with a local transition team is not required, but strongly suggested, for conference attendance. It is also suggested that participating teams do not exceed 10 participants. We encourage you to recruit other local practitioners/partners to attend in order to get the maximum benefit from the conference. For assistance in connecting with a LEA, local VR counselor, parent, or DSN Provider, please contact Joy Ivester at [joy.ivester@uscmed.sc.edu](mailto:joy.ivester@uscmed.sc.edu) \*\***