

# EPALL 2011

## AGENDA

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 2, 2011			
7:15 – 7:50 a.m.	Registration, Breakfast, Vendor Exhibits		Lobby Area
VENDORS/PUBLISHERS			
Cambridge University Press	CTB McGraw-Hill	Heinle Cengage Learning	McGraw-Hill Contemporary
New Readers Press/ Pro Literacy	Pearson Longman ELT	Steck-Vaughn Adult Education Publishers	
TIME	SESSIONS	PRESENTER	LOCATION
8:00 – 8:30 a.m.	Welcome and Credential Ceremony	Maria J. Cesnik, Far West GREAT Coordinator	Tomas Rivera Conference Ctr.
8:35 – 9:35 a.m. (1 hour)	1. Logarithms in a Nutshell	Richard Sedillo	Barry Room
	2. Out of Your Seats, Into Learning! -- Ss	Kimberly Vinton, Michelle Yzaguirre	Wiggins Room
	3. Practical Transitions -- Ss	Melissa Sadler-Nitu, Rene Coronado	Elkins Room
	4. Why Distance Education and Why Now?	John Stevenson, AnneMarie Molinari	Ray Room
	5. Note-Taking in Math	Norma Minjares	Smiley Room
	6. Prepare Your Students to Soar Into Reading -- Ss	Yvonne Porras, Yassira Uribe	University-East Suite
9:35 – 10:00 a.m.	<b>Break and Visit with Vendors</b>	<b>Lobby Area</b>	
10:00 – 11:00 p.m. (1 hour)	7. Using the Math G.E.D. Formula Page -- Ss	Dr. Steven Meeker	Barry Room
	8. Practical Theater Games for ESL Students -- Ss	Veronica Castaneda	Wiggins Room
	9. Survival Conversation Basics -- Ss	Liz Moya	Elkins Room
	10. Learning to Achieve – How to Build Student Self-Determination -- Ss	Stacey Milberger	Ray Room
	11. Reading Strategies for the ABE Instructor	Helen Mills	Smiley Room
	12. ESL in the Workplace	Rosalinda Pineda, Mary Rose Trinidad	University-East Suite
11:10 – 12:10 p.m. (1 hour)	13. Using Manipulatives to Understand the GED Math Formula Chart -- Ss	Richard Sedillo	Barry Room
	14. Student Persistence and Motivation	Melissa Sadler-Nitu	Wiggins Room
	15. Increasing the Critical Thinking of Adult Learners Through Appropriate Questioning Strategies -- Ss	Rene Coronado, Michelle Yzaguirre	Elkins Room
	16. Enhancing Your Job Preparedness Skills -- Ss	Arizve Retana	Ray Room
	17. GED Class: Making Classmates Learn from Each Other	Juan Arturo Muro	Smiley Room
	18. Use Technology to Promote Conversation, Listening and Writing	Angela Cornelius, Rosa Villa	University-East Suite
12:10 – 1:40 p.m.	EPALL 2011 Luncheon and Success Stories		

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1:45 – 2:45 p.m. <i>(1 hour)</i>	19. Writing the G.E.D. Essay -- <b>Ss</b>	Dr. Steven Meeker	Barry Room
	20. Multi-Level Hands-on Activities to Promote Conversation and Listening Skills -- <b>Ss</b>	Angela Cornelius, Rosa Villa	Wiggins Room
	21. Reading the Tells – Learning How to Read Body Language -- <b>Ss</b>	Jerry Balistreri	Elkins Room
	22. Looking for an Effective English Language Proficiency Assessment?	Dr. Elma Pineda-Raney	Ray Room
	23. Transitioning ESL Students to College/Career	Laura McDonald	Smiley Room
	24. Learning Activities and Manipulatives for the GED Math Classroom	Fanny Bernal, Cecilia Hines	University-East Suite
<b>2:45 – 3:15 p.m.</b>	<b><i>Break and Visit with Vendors</i></b>	<b><i>Lobby Area</i></b>	
3:15 – 4:15 p.m. <i>(1 hour)</i>	25. Ventures – Pathways to Student Success	Vincent Di Blasi	Barry Room
	26. Think Transition! Student and Instructor Perspectives on Integrating Postsecondary Skills -- <b>Ss</b>	Susan Tollefson, Norma Minjares, Flor Garcia-Urias	Wiggins Room
	27. Solving Percent Problems with Proportions -- <b>Ss</b>	Manuel A. Navarro	Elkins Room
	28. Soft Skills for Employability	Melissa Sadler-Nitu	Ray Room
	29. Dah-Di-Di-Dit Break the Code! -- <b>Ss</b>	Yvonne Porras, Yassira Uribe	Smiley Room
	30. Touch with your Hands, Learn with your Mind	Stacey Weaver, Daniel Gonzales, Jr.	University-East Suite
<b>4:15 – 6:00 p.m.</b>	<b>EPALL Reception (Open to all Attendees)</b>	<b>Tomas Rivera Conference Ctr.</b>	

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