Empowering ELLs: Equity, Engagement, Enrichment

Pre-Registration Materials

November 14-15, 2014

Hilton Albany
40 Lodge Street
Albany, NY

NYS TESOL President – Susanne Marcus
NYS TESOL Conference Chair – Sarah Elia
Conference Registration Chair – Fran Olmos

Pre-Registration Deadline: Sunday, November 2, 2014

Hotel Discount ($124.00+Tax) Deadline: Tuesday, October 14, 2014

Hotel Reservations: 518-462-6611 – Ask for NYS TESOL Conference Room Rate

Online registration and additional conference information please visit http://www.nystesol.org
Preliminary Conference Overview
(Subject to schedule adjustments)

Friday November 14, 2014

Conference Registration 7:30 am – 4:00 pm
Continental Breakfast 7:30 am – 9:30 am
Exhibitors & Publishers 8:30 am – 5:00 pm
Friday Opening & Plenary Session 8:15 am – 9:30 am

**Angelica Infante Green – NYSED Initiatives and Updates.**

Concurrent Sessions
Luncheon with Keynote Speaker 10:00 am – 11:55 am
12:15 pm – 1:30 pm


**Award Presentations - Student Essay Contest**
Concurrent Sessions 1:45 pm – 2:20 pm
Exhibitor Coffee Hour/Raffle & Poster Sessions 2:20 pm – 3:30 pm
Concurrent Sessions 3:30 pm – 4:40 pm

NYS TESOL SIG/Region Social Hour 4:45 pm – 6:00 pm
President’s Dinner 7:00 pm – 11:00 pm

**Annual Outstanding Educators Awards Presentation**
J-Unit Karaoke/Dancing

Saturday November 15, 2014

Conference Registration 7:30 am – 1:00 pm
Continental Breakfast 7:30 am – 9:30 am
Exhibitors/Publishers 8:30 am – 5:00 pm
Saturday Plenary Session 9:00 am – 9:45 am

**Connie Perdreau** You’ve always had the power, Dorothy.
Concurrent Sessions 10:00 am – 11:55 am
Luncheon with Keynote Speaker 12:15 pm – 1:30 pm

Carol Numrich Are ESL teachers missing the boat to student achievement? Five pedagogical challenges and solutions.
Concurrent Sessions/Poster Sessions 1:45 pm – 4:30 pm

**NYS TESOL Annual Membership Meeting** 4:30 pm – 5:30 pm
Invited Speakers

Dr. Helaine Marshall is Director of Language Education Programs and Associate Professor of Education, Long Island University-Hudson, at Rockland and Westchester Campuses. She teaches courses in TESOL, Linguistics, and Multicultural Education in face-to-face, online, and flipped learning formats. Dr. Marshall wrote and directed a National Institute for Literacy Bilingual Adult Literacy Grant and has developed programs for secondary and adult students with limited or interrupted formal education. She is the co-author of *Making the Transition: Culturally Responsive Teaching for Struggling Language Learners and Breaking New Ground: Teaching Students with Limited or Interrupted Formal Education*. Her other research interests include nontraditional approaches to the teaching of grammar and the incorporation of instructional technology in language teaching. She has published in *Preventing School Failure, Urban Review, and TESOL Journal* among others. Dr. Marshall serves on the boards of the NYS TESOL Journal and the Flipped Learning Network.

Angelica Infante Green is the first Associate Commissioner of the Office of Bilingual Education and Foreign Language Studies. Formerly, she was the Executive Director of the Office of English Language Learners in the NYC Department of Education. Ms. Infante-Green brings to the Associate Commissioner position extensive knowledge and experience in education, including a broad range of successful school improvement efforts in New York City. In her previous position she led many initiatives around ELLs and has chaired initiatives targeted at addressing high-need student populations such as Students with Interrupted Formal Education (SIFE) and Special Education ELLs. Ms. Infante Green began her career as a teacher and then a Dual Language Project Director in NYC. Her extensive experience is an asset to this role.

Dr. Carol Numrich is Senior Lecturer and Associate Director for Faculty Search, Development and Review at the American Language Program, Columbia University. Over the years, she has led many teaching teams in the ALP’s Intensive Program, taught many part-time English courses at the university and traveled internationally to train and consult with language teachers. From 1993 to 1996, Numrich was Visiting Professor at Columbia’s Teachers College, where she directed the M.A. Program in TESOL and taught graduate courses in pedagogy. She helped to develop and coordinate the International Teaching Assistant Program at Columbia, in which she taught doctoral students in the sciences for several years. She also helped design the summer TESOL Certificate Program and taught two of the required courses. Numrich has chaired and helped organize several committees for TESOL as well as co-edited a column from the TESOL Journal. She is the author of *Face the Issues, Consider the Issues, Raise the Issues*, textbooks written in cooperation with National Public Radio, and *Tuning In*. She is also the co-editor for the *NorthStar* (Pearson Longman), which is now in its 4th edition. Numrich holds an Ed.D. and M.A. from Teachers College, Columbia University and a B.A. from S.U.N.Y at Buffalo.

Connie Perdreau is the Director of the Haggerty English Language Program at the State University of New York (SUNY) in New Paltz, a position she has held since 2008. She is the Director Emerita of Education Abroad at Ohio University, where she served in international education for more than 30 years prior to returning to her hometown of Beacon. Connie is one of the founders of Ohio TESOL and served as its president in 1978-79. In addition, she was a founder of Black Professionals and Friends in TESOL. She is past national Chair of Administrators and Teachers in English as a Second Language, and she is a past president of NAFSA: Association of International Educators (1996-97), the first African American and first person of color to hold this distinction in America. Connie has made more than 100 academic presentations in ESL, Study Abroad, and International Education.
NYS TESOL Annual Conference 2014
Pre-Registration Guidelines

Pre-Registration Must Be Received by Sunday November 2, 2014

Available Methods of Payment

**Online Registration** accepts most credit cards. Be sure your updated billing address is entered on the payment page, or your order may be declined.

**Purchase Orders** must be pre-encumbered with a list of attendees clearly noted. Participants **must** bring a copy of PO to the conference.

**Cash** is only accepted at on-site registration and will be at on-site rates.

**Personal Checks** are not accepted for pre-registration or on-site registration.

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**Pre-Registration by Purchase Order**

Complete a Pre-Registration form for each attendee (plus membership form, if applicable).

Submit forms with Purchase Order **to be received** no later than **Nov. 2, 2014**

**By mail – send to:**

NYS TESOL c/o Faulkner  
790 Riverside Drive, Apt. 6C  
NY, NY 10032

*Please do not send forms or payments to the NYS TESOL office at Teachers College.*

**By Email:**  *Only Purchase Order registrations* may be emailed. Scan and send to registration@nystesol.org.

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**Cancellation/Refund Policy**

Refunds will be made at the discretion of NYS TESOL. To be considered, cancellation notices and requests for refunds **must be received in writing no later than November 7, 2014**. Refunds approved will be reduced by the amount of transaction costs and bank fees incurred by NYS TESOL in processing your order and refund (minimum charge 10% of the order total). Please contact treasurer@nystesol.org for refund details.

All other registrants are liable for payment in full, including POs.

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Registration Questions – Please contact Fran Olmos at registration@nystesol.org (914-224-7018)
### Conference Pre-Registration Fee (Fill in appropriate amount)

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### Food Events at 2014 Conference (Optional)

- **Continental Breakfast** Friday and Saturday
  - *No Charge*
- **Friday Luncheon**
  - Award Presentation for Student Essay Contest Winners
  - Keynote Speaker – Dr. Helaine Marshall
  - *$35 per person* $_______
- **Friday SIG/Region Social Hour - Cash Bar**
  - *No Charge*
- **Friday President’s Dinner - Cash Bar** (7:00 pm – 11:00 pm)
  - Annual Outstanding Educators Awards Presentation
  - J-Unit Karaoke /Dancing
  - *$50 per person* $_______
- **Saturday Luncheon**
  - Keynote Speaker- Connie Perdrea
  - *$35 per person* $_______

### Pre-Registration Fee Totals

1. Conference Registration Fee
2. Food Events
3. Membership Renewal (Complete enclosed membership form and submit with registration.)
4. Donation to James E. Weaver Annual Fund (supporting teacher education)

**Total payment due (Add Lines 1 through 4)**

*Volunteer discounts are limited to students who are active NYS TESOL members. Apply online now* - documentation required. In return for the discount attendees must volunteer 2 hours of time before or at the conference (helping with stuffing bags/registration table/room chair, etc.). To receive your volunteer assignment, please forward your student conference registration confirmation email to the Volunteer Coordinator, Barbara Suter, at volunteer_chair@nystesol.org.

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New York State Teachers of English to Speakers of Other Languages

Membership Form (effective 9/21/2014)

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Special Interest Groups (SIGs): Please select your top 2 priorities from the interest groups listed below by marking a “1” and a “2” next to your top choices.

1. ESL in Adult Education
2. ESL in Bilingual Education
3. ESL in Elementary Education
4. ESL in Secondary Education
5. ESL in Higher Education
6. ESL in Special Education
7. ESL Teacher Education
8. Applied Linguistics
9. Teaching English Internationally

1st SIG. This is your primary interest group with NYS TESOL. You may hold office and vote in this SIG.

2nd SIG. You may receive information from this SIG.

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