



Registration

Augustana College

33rd & Summit • Gilbert Science Center

June 7 - 8, 2012 • 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

\$100 both days include meals, breaks and handouts.

Parent Scholarships Available

Contact SD Parent Connection at sdpc@sdparent.org

Graduate Credit available for additional fee.

SDDOE renewal credit and CEUs at no additional cost.

Preconference Session

June 6, 2012 • 8:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Beth Keeton

"Customized Employment"

Additional \$75 • Lunch on your own.

Registration deadline: June 1, 2012

Registration opens February 1, 2012. Registration is limited to 300 people. Registration fee is refundable until June 1, 2012 with a \$25 processing fee. Cancellations must be submitted in writing.

Name: _____

Title: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

_____ Pre-Conference _____ Conference

Complete and mail with registration fee to:

Augustana College

Office of Continuing Education

2001 South Summit Ave.

Sioux Falls, SD 57197

605-274-4126

Or register online: www.augie.edu/autism

Listing of area hotels provided on request.

Conference program is scheduled between campus buildings. **Please indicate if accommodations are needed.**

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Who Should Attend

- Parents Parent reception
- Educators Thursday, June 7, 5 - 7 p.m.
- Social Workers/Counselors
- Childcare Providers
- Therapists
- Adult Service Providers
- Business & Community Members
- Vocational Rehabilitation Counselors

Program Breakout Session Strands

- Education
- Medical
- Adolescent/Adult
- Supporting Families



Sponsors

- Augustana College
- Autism Behavioral Consulting
- Autism Speaks
- Children's Care Hospital and School
- Colorado Campus Compact
- Division of Developmental Disabilities
- Holiday Inn Express (Sioux Falls)
- Independent Living Choices
- Sanford School of Medicine Center for Disabilities
- Sioux Falls School District
- South Dakota Parent Connection

Nationally Recognized Speakers

Pamela J. Crooke, Ph.D., CCC-SLP

Pamela J. Crooke will be the keynote speaker on June 7 and conduct breakout sessions on social communications. Crooke co-authored *Socially Curious and Curiously Social*, a new guidebook for teenagers and new adults and *You Are a Social Detective*, a comic book curriculum for younger kids. Crooke is also a senior therapist at Social Thinking and part of the social-cognitive team, as well as a faculty member of San Jose State University in San Jose, CA. Her area of expertise is treatment efficacy in social and relational therapies for individuals with asperger syndrome and high-functioning autism. Crooke has remained a direct service provider for children and adults with autism for almost 20 years.



Beth Keeton

Beth Keeton will deliver the keynote on June 8 and breakout sessions on transition to adulthood and employment. Keeton worked closely with the state of Florida's Division of Vocational Rehabilitation (VR) to coordinate the development and implementation of a Self-Employment Certification curriculum. Florida VR was the first in the nation to make such an extensive commitment to supporting self-employment. For the last decade, Keeton has provided extensive training and technical assistance throughout the country on positive behavior support, self-employment, customized employment, and benefits analysis.



Beth Keeton will also present "Customized Employment" at the Pre-Conference on Wednesday, June 6. Details on the back.

New This Year....

iPad Lab

The iPad technology has opened up new avenues of communication for individuals with autism spectrum disorders. The iPad lab will provide an opportunity to learn about these tools and try iPad Apps designed for those with autism spectrum disorders.



Autism is a complex neurobiological disorder that typically lasts throughout a person's lifetime. It is a group of disorders known as autism spectrum disorders (ASD). Today, one in 110 individuals is diagnosed with autism. Autism presents challenges in communication skills and the ability to relate to others and occurs in all racial, ethnic, and social groups.



AUTISM SPEAKS™
It's time to listen.

Walk Now for Autism

Saturday, June 9, 2012
8:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Augustana College Campus
Kirkeby Over Stadium

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