

Parents, Educators, Adults, Professionals, & Students Virtual Conference & Resource Expo – Life in High School & Beyond Tuesday, August 11, 2020

**Full brochure at <u>www.LDANJ.org/Events</u> Credit card registration <u>https://LDANJsummer2020.eventbrite.com</u>

**Register by August 10: Members \$15 with code, Non-Members \$30, Students free. Questions? info@LDANJ.org

8:15-9:00 Welcome & Resource Expo Open

<u>9:00-9:45 Session A</u>

Workshop 1: Finding Success at the Post-Secondary Level: Options for Students with LD & ADHD/Marino

Workshop 2: 10 Qualities Employers Look for in Job Candidates /Winston

Workshop 3: Insider's Perspective on Tourette Syndrome and Associated Disorders/Lederman

Workshop 4: If Virtual School Doesn't Work, What Are Your Options?-Snieckus

Workshop 5: Self-Regulation Strategies & ADHD/Gryta

Workshop 6: Assistive Technology Within Reach: Free Built-Ins of the Chromebook and iPad /Mendez

9:45-10:15 Break/ Resource Expo

10:15-11:00 Session B

Workshop 1: Giving the Gift of Time: Planning for Growth and Exploration After High School /R. Hughes

Workshop 2: Mental Health Considerations for Students with Learning Differences/Pagirsky-Schuster-Bellantuono

Workshop 3: The College Match Rubric: Tools to Determine College Fit /Morris-Wood

Workshop 4: Transition Plans: IDEA/504/ADA-Debunking Common Misconceptions/Freeman

Workshop 5: Developing Literacy Skills in Small Group and In-Class Support Settings/Kenny-Foggin

Workshop 6: Transition and Assistive Technology/Friedlander

11:00-11:30 Break/ Resource Expo

<u>11:30-12:15</u> Session C

Workshop 1: The Absent-Minded Professor: Executive Functioning, College, and Common Sense/Murphy

Workshop 2: Navigating College or Other Post-Secondary Options/Micari & Perfetto

Workshop 3: They'll Make Their Own Boxes: The Power of Self-Advocacy for College/Sokolowski

Workshop 4: Applying to College with LD: A Top 10 List/Maxman

Workshop 5: NAMI NJ School & Family Education Programs/J. Hughes

Workshop 6: Work Success for Young Adults with LD: Challenges & Practical Strategies/Meyer & Perlman <u>12:15-1:00</u> Choose 1

Lunch--Networking-Resource Expo

Lunch & Learn 1- Learning Disabilities: The High School Students' Perspectives/STAMP Leaders Lunch & Learn 2-An Overview of CTE Programs & Competitive Work Planning /DOE-Carmona-Bell <u>1:00-1:45 Session D</u>

- Workshop 1: Person Centered Planning Instructional Practices/Shanahan
- Workshop 2: Creating Successful Transitions to Life After High School/Peltz
- Workshop 3: Helping Students to Build Resilience/Scully
- Workshop 4: Using the Gen-Z Experience to Transform Academic/EF Remediation/Kelly
- Workshop 5: Successful Transition to College for Students with Learning Disabilities/Hebert
- Workshop 6: Unleash Your Genius!/Steinberg

1:45-2:00 Break/Resource Expo

2:00-2:45 Session E

- Workshop 1: Anxiety and Learning Disabilities/Salzman
- Workshop 2: I Have a Diagnosis, Now What? Navigating Special Education/Meltzer
- Workshop 3: What LD Students Need to Succeed in College/Endlich
- Workshop 4: The NJ Career Assistance Navigator/DOE-Hamza
- Workshop 5: Executive Functions: Why Teens Need to Have Them/Schwartz
- Workshop 6: Strategies for Life Skills: Balancing Parent Support and Student Independence/Willson
- 2:45-3:00 Break/Resource Expo

<u>3:00-3:45 Session F</u>

Workshop 1: Smooth Transition to College/Employment with Executive Functioning Challenges/Cappelleri

- Workshop 2: Work Readiness: Preparing Students for the World of Work/Tomasetti
- Workshop 3: My Road from Struggling Student to Successful Special Education Teacher/Kramer
- Workshop 4: Live Your Best Life: Take Control of Your Services/Frattarola-Saulino
- Workshop 5: Technology Tools for Success/Leibowitz & Danielson
- Workshop 6: Unleash Your Genius!/Steinberg

*** Certificates for 5.25 Professional Development Units (NJ Provider Id #568) will be emailed 8/12

*** Some changes may occur to workshops due to cancellations.

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