

Professional Development Institute on Transition

(5th Annual Winter Transition Conference)

November 4, 5, and 6, 2009

RIT Inn and Conference Center

5257 West Henrietta Road

West Henrietta, NY

Brief Institute Schedule

Day 1 (\$75)	November 4, 2009
1:00 - 4:00	Presentations and Panel Discussion Doris Jamison, NYSED Perspective Paula Kohler Ph.D. Sandra Covington-Smith Ph.D.
4:15 - 5:00	Panel Discussion P. Kohler, D. Jamison, Sandra C. Smith, Catherine Fowler
6:30	Dinner
Day 2 (\$125)	November 5, 2009
7:30 - 8:30	Breakfast
8:30-9:30	Welcome, Paula Kohler, Ph.D.
9:30-10:30	Catherine Fowler Ph.D., NSTTAC
10:30	Break
10:45-11:45	Break out Sessions
12:00 - 1:45	Lunch
12:30-1:30	Jim Martin Ph.D.
1:45-2:45	Break Out Sessions
2:45-3:00	Break
3:00-4:00	Break Out Sessions
4:15-5:15	Sandra Covington-Smith Ph.D.
6:30	Dinner NY DCDT Awards
Day 3 (\$75)	November 6, 2009
7:30 - 8:15	Breakfast
8:30-9:30	Joanne Cashman Ed.D.
9:45-10:45	Break Out Sessions
11:00-12:00	Call to Action - Joanne Cashman
12:00 Bag	Lunch and Closing

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Conference Speakers

Paula Kohler, Ph.D.
University of Western Michigan
Director, Career Connections
Research Center (CCRC)

Doris Jamison,
New York State Department of
Education, Manager

Sandra Covington Smith, Ph.D.
Clemson University, Project
Coordinator, National Dropout
Prevention Center for Students with
Disabilities

Catherine Fowler, Ph.D.
University of North Carolina at
Charlotte, Project Coordinator,
National Secondary Transition
Technical Assistance Center
(NSTTAC)

James Martin, Ph.D.
University of Oklahoma, Director,
Zarrow Center for Learning
Enrichment

Joanne Cashman Ed.D.
Director, IDEA Partnership,
National Association of State
Directors of Special Education
(NASDSE)

Topics

Evidence Based Practices

New York State Vocational and
Educational Services for
Individuals with Disabilities
current and future updates

Age Appropriate Transition
Assessment

Drop Out research and
interventions for students with
disabilities

Predictors of Post School Success:
Key elements and how these
influence our work.

IDEA Partnership: Community of
Practice and Aligning Transition to
the P-16 Agenda.

Quality presentations with topics
aligned to the Predictors of Post
School Success
[http://www.nsttac.org/ebp/
PredictorResources.aspx](http://www.nsttac.org/ebp/PredictorResources.aspx)

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