Eighteenth IAGC Convention

February 10-12, 2013 Chicago *Marriott Naperville*

Questions? Call IAGC office: 847-963-1892
FAX: 847-963-1893
email: *convention@iagcgifted.org*

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Confirmation packet will be sent to home address.

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Check one: ☐ I would like to become a member. ☐ Renew my membership.

Fees per year: Regular $50 ___ Retired $40 ___ Full Time Student $25 ___

COMPLETE IF YOU ARE NOT AN IAGC MEMBER | **Fees are by Event** | **COMPLETE IF YOU ARE AN IAGC MEMBER OR RENEWING**

Circle fees: Early- to Dec. 7	Circle fees: Dec. 8 - Feb. 12	Circle Event: Event	Circle fees: Early- to Dec. 7	Circle fees: Dec. 8-Feb. 12
70.00	80.00	12:00 p.m. Sunday Workshop for Parents/Educators	65.00	75.00
70.00	80.00	1:00 p.m. Sunday Workshop for Educators	65.00	75.00
200.00	230.00	Monday Convention with lunch	180.00	200.00
200.00	230.00	Tuesday Convention with lunch	180.00	200.00
225.00	255.00*	Admin Academy w/lunch Monday (***Academy AM General Sessions PM)***	205.00	225.00*
200.00	230.00	Counseling the Gifted w/lunch (Tues All Day)	180.00	200.00

Total $ _____ $ _____ Total $ _____ $ _____

If Not a Member Add Membership fee, if applicable $ _____

^To receive Member Rate, membership must be current through Feb. 12, 2013 **TOTAL WITH Membership^** **$** _____

* **For Admininstrators' Academy Credit AA 980 register by January 9, 2013. After Jan. 9** due to space restrictions and/or pre-reading assignment **registrations may not be accepted. Contact IAGC** at *convention@iagcgifted.org* **before registering if after Jan 9th. (Please note: Academy Credit only offered on Monday.)**

** **For College Credit you must attend an informational meeting on Mon., Feb. 11, 2013 at 7:45 a.m.** ***CPDU's Will Be Handed Out After Final Session Each Day at 3:45 pm***

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Send this completed form with payment to: **IAGC Convention Registration**
800 E. Northwest Hwy., Suite 610, Palatine IL 60074

SORRY, WE ARE UNABLE TO ACCEPT CREDIT CARDS AT THIS TIME

Purchase orders are accepted.

Refund requests must be made in writing and postmarked by January 25, 2013, and are subject to a $25.00 processing fee. **NO refunds after January 25.**

All Convention Registrations are FINAL.

Should weather conditions impact your decision to attend all or part of the Convention, fees are not refundable.

Please copy this form as many times as necessary to send in additional registrations.

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The Eighteenth Illinois Association for Gifted Children Convention is being held on February 10-12, 2013 and will offer a variety of sessions on Monday and Tuesday. There are quarter-day sessions organized around the following strands: Program Development and Social and Emotional Needs. Check Sunday's schedule for special parent and educator workshops in the afternoon. Also, we are offering an Administrators' Academy for a half-day on Monday and an all day GES on Counseling the Gifted on Tuesday.

Registration is limited to the first 600 attendees per day. See the Registration Form for early bird and regular fees. If you plan to register at the door, or after January 25, please call the IAGC office at 847-963-1892 to make sure there is space available.

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Chicago Marriott ***Naperville***
1801 Naper Boulevard
Naperville, IL 60563
1-630-505-4900

Reservations: 800-514-4684

Special convention rates are available for those staying at the Chicago Marriott Naperville on Saturday, Sunday, Monday, and/or Tuesday evenings. These reduced rates are guaranteed through January 25, 2013. After that, please contact the Marriott directly to check on available rooms at the IAGC rate. Request a paper confirmation and bring it with you as proof of your reservation. Take advantage of these reduced rates to treat yourself to a getaway weekend at the Marriott before the convention begins. Call the Marriott directly for your reservation and mention the IAGC Convention rates as follows:

Room Rate $ 139.00 plus tax
No Charge for Parking

Check out *www.visitnaperville.com* for up-to-date and detailed information on restaurants, maps, transportation and things to see and do.

Convention Schedule

Sunday, February 10

Registration	10:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.
	4:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.
Workshop for Parents/Educators	12:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.
Workshop for Educators	1:00 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.

Monday, February 11

Registration	7:30 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.
College Credit Meeting	7:45 a.m. - 8:15 a.m.
(You must attend sessions both days for credit.)	
Sessions	8:30 a.m. - 3:45 p.m.
Administrators' Academy*	8:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.
Exhibitors	7:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
IAGC Annual Meeting	4:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Tuesday, February 12

Registration	7:30 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.
Sessions	8:30 a.m. - 3:45 p.m.
Counseling the Gifted*	8:30 a.m. - 3:45 p.m.
(All day session.)	
Exhibitors	7:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

** Must Register In Advance for These Programs*
See Registration Form

Luncheons Served on Monday & Tuesday
11:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

Sessions for Sunday, February 10

12:00-4:00 p.m. Workshop for Parents and Educators

We have a stimulating afternoon planned for parents from throughout Illinois. We will begin with our featured speaker, **Merla F. Hammack,** who has been coaching gifted and talented children, adolescents, and adults for more than twenty years. Her presentation is titled, ***"Life Coach or Counselor? A Paradigm for Serving the Gifted."*** Not everyone needs a counselor but everyone needs a coach. The question: Which one is the better "fit" for the gifted individual (children, adults, parents or gifted)? The answer: It depends on personal goals, desired outcomes, and motivation. This session will explore the differences between life coaching and counseling, clarifying the roles of each and explaining the benefits of both. The pathway to a gifted individual's potential varies greatly between life coaching and counseling. Serving the gifted through counseling is well established but the new paradigm of life coaching redesigns the execution of serving gifted individuals.

After a short break, you will receive information about many of the resources available to you from IAGC. One of them will be a preview of the Parent Module of the Gifted Education Seminar, presented by Rosina Gallagher and Cathy Greene.

Finally, our afternoon will end with our traditional breakout discussion groups during which you can meet and speak with other parents who share your concerns about specific issues. You are not alone ... please, join us!

1:00-3:30 p.m. Workshop for Educators

Presented by **Jim Curry, Educational Consultant, University of Southern Maine**
Title: ***Common Core Standards and the Gifted***

This seminar will focus on essential questions relating to providing appropriate curricula, instruction, materials, and assessments for gifted learners. The questions to be addressed include the following: • What might be viewed as "the good news" and "the bad news" about the Common Core State Standards (C.C.S.S.) and the education of gifted learners?; • How might educators use the C.C.S.S. as the foundation for moving gifted learners from "high potential" to "high performance?"; • What constitutes appropriate "knowledge and tools" for gifted learners, and what should be the standards-based expectations for differentiated educational opportunities?; • Why are "learning to learn" skills imperative for gifted learners, including the skills of problem finding & problem solving, independent study & research, self-efficacy, and collaboration?; • When might C.C.S.S. content "concepts" be sufficient for gifted learners, and when might more complex contents (i.e., issues, problems, and global themes) be necessary components of differentiated instruction?; • How might schools and districts "anticipate" and then prepare to meet the upcoming student assessments for the C.C.S.S.?; and Why is the C.C.S.S. goal of student access to college and careers appropriate but not sufficient for gifted learners, and what goals might be a better match?; Where should differentiation for gifted learners be provided, and by whom?; and • How do the ISLLC standards for administrators interact with the C.C.S.S. and with the principles of differentiation for gifted learners?

Administrators' Academy AA 980

Administrative Issues in Educating the Gifted
MONDAY ONLY -- 8:30-11:30 a.m.

presented by: Rima Binder

Pre-Registration Required

This course is designed to familiarize instructional leaders with some of the administrative issues related to gifted education. Course content includes identifying gifted students, assessing gifted programs, tracking student progress on a yearly basis, determining how the RtI process relates to educating gifted students, and planning for improved quality of gifted programming in a school/district. The course is three hours of direct instruction, and three hours of indirect instruction, which **includes pre-readings, assignments based on those pre-readings and the completion of an application/dissemination component**.

The **required textbook** for this course is:
Designing Services and Programs for High Ability Learners: A Guidebook for Gifted Education by Jeanne H. Purcell and Rebecca D. Eckert, 2006.
Published jointly by National Association for Gifted Children and Corwin Press. *CorwinPress.com* 800-818-7243

Laptops Needed

Please Note: *If you are registered for the Academy course, you are welcome to attend general sessions for the afternoon.*

'COUNSELING THE GIFTED'

Companion Module of the Gifted Education Seminar
TUESDAY ONLY -- 8:30 a.m.-3:45 p.m.

presented by: Michele Kane

Pre-Registration Required

Tuesday, February 11 - This all-day training is designed to provide counselors and others concerned with gifted students with basic knowledge of the characteristics of gifted learners and techniques to use in meeting students' social/emotional needs. This unique interactive training incorporates face-to-face instruction and technology to develop understanding of relevant topics including personality characteristics and counseling implications, responding to overexcitabilities (as described by Dabrowski's Theory), and identifying significant affective issues and the counseling strategies that align with these issues.

Laptops Needed

Participants who are present for the entire all-day session will receive six CPDU's for this counseling module.

Check our website for presenter information and a complete schedule - www.iagcgifted.org

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Route to Administrators, Gifted Coordinators, Teachers, Social Workers, Guidance Counselors, Psychologists and Parents!

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