

Navigating the ARIZONA ELP STANDARDS

Grades K-5 | JULY 18, 2012
Grades 6-12 | JULY 19, 2012



WHO SHOULD COME

- School Site Administrators
- Teachers of ELLs
- Instructional Specialists
- Instructional Coaches
- Lead Teachers
- Bilingual/ESL Directors and Specialists
- Curriculum Directors and Specialists

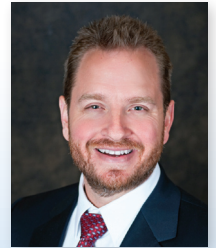
PARTICIPANTS WILL...

- unwrap the Arizona ELP standards for each level of language proficiency
- learn how to move children forward in English language proficiency
- learn how to use language assessment (AZELLA) data to plan instruction to explicitly develop academic English
- gain knowledge of helpful ways to integrate both content and language standards into instruction
- practice research-based strategies for developing language and literacy
- receive the new Arizona ELP Standards Flip Book



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JOHN SEIDLITZ, is an independent educational consultant and the author of *Sheltered Instruction Plus: A Guide for Texas Teachers of English Learners*; *Navigating the ELPS: Using the New Standards to Improve Instruction for English Learners*; and a contributing author for *The SIOP® Model for Teaching History-Social Studies for English Learners*. He co-developed the 7 Steps to Developing a Language-Rich Interactive Classroom™ methodology. Mr. Seidlitz has been a member of the SIOP® National faculty and guest lecturer for the LEP-SSI Initiative for the State of Texas and many other regional and national language development conferences. He is a former social studies and ESL teacher, served as a secondary ESL program coordinator, and held the position of education specialist at ESC Region 20 in San Antonio, Texas. In 2009, Mr. Seidlitz founded Seidlitz Education which is dedicated to the mission of Giving Kids the Gift of Academic Language™.



DR. MELISSA CASTILLO, lead consultant for MelCast Educational Consulting, works with educators in several states across the country on academic vocabulary development, coaching, sheltered instruction techniques and guiding educational organizations in planning and implementing training to build capacity. She is a contributing author to *99 Ideas and Activities for Teaching English Learners* and *The SIOP® Model for Teaching Mathematics to English Learners*. She is also a member of the SIOP® National Faculty. Ms. Castillo is presently adapting Seidlitz Education's *7 Steps to A Language-Rich Interactive Classroom* to a format for teachers of ELLs.

Her professional experience includes many years as an elementary teacher in a Dual Language and Bilingual program, professional development coordinator, and director of ELD programs at the primary and secondary level. Her doctoral research focused on how to effectively support and coach teachers to implement instructional programs for language minority students, specifically sheltered English Immersion.



DR. MÓNICA LARA's enthusiastic approach to teaching and learning in English and Spanish is the trademark of her twenty year educational career. Her roles in education include experience as a teacher, reading specialist, assistant principal and educational specialist in the areas of Dyslexia and bilingual/ESL education. Dr. Lara's biliterate and bicultural belief system is engaging, invigorating and refreshing when she delivers her signature message: Enseñanza para todos (teaching for all). Dr. Lara has led numerous Texas State initiatives and has served as a state trainer for English Language Proficiency Standards (ELPS); Spanish Language Arts Reading/Texas Essential Knowledge and Skills/College and Career Readiness Standards (SLAR/TEKS/CCRS); Language Proficiency Assessment Committee (LPAC), and LEER MAS. In addition, she has helped various school districts in the evaluation of their Bilingual/ESL programs to insure accountability and implementation of best practices for English Language Learners (ELLs).



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Registration Form

FIRST NAME	LAST NAME	
ADDRESS		
CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE
HOME PHONE ()	WORK PHONE ()	
EMAIL	SCHOOL DISTRICT	

CONFERENCE REGISTRATION

LOCATION

Black Canyon
Conference Center
9440 N. 25th Ave.
Phoenix, AZ 85021

DATES (check one)

- ☐ K-5 Training, July 18, 2012
☐ 6-12 Training, July 19, 2012

REGISTRATION RATES

- ☐ Standard Rate: \$225
☐ Early Bird rate before June 1, 2012: \$200
☐ Group Rate of 5 or more: \$185

TOTAL \$ _____

PAYMENT INFORMATION

- FAX registration form with credit card information to (949) 481-3864.
- Mail registration form with payment, payable to Encompass Event Planners to:
56 Via Regalo, San Clemente, CA 92673.
 - ☐ Check Enclosed (Payment in full) written to Encompass Event Planners
 - ☐ Purchase Order Enclosed. You must attach the purchase order to the registration form, no requisitions will be accepted.
 - ☐ Credit Card - Please bill my credit card. We accept Visa, MasterCard, and American Express.

CC# _____ Expiration Date: _____

Name on Card: _____ Signature: _____

Confirmation: All conference registrants will receive a confirmation postcard via mail. All registration materials including your name badge may be picked up onsite.

Cancellations: **All cancellations must be received in writing by June 15, 2012.** Cancellations received after this date are non-refundable. There will be no exceptions.

For more information, call Kathy at 210.315.7119.

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