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Registry of Interpreters for the Deaf

The Registry of Interpreters for the Deaf, Inc (RID) is a non-profit organization, founded in 1964 and incorporated in 1972, that seeks to uphold standards, ethics, and professionalism for American Sign Language interpreters.

http://rid.org/

Region II Affiliate Chapters

Region 2 Information

Alabama Registry of Interpreters for the Deaf

Florida Registry of Interpreters for the Deaf

North Carolina Registry of Interpreters for the Deaf

South Carolina Registry of Interpreters for the Deaf

Tennessee Registry of Interpreters for the Deaf

<u>Virginia Registry of Interpreters for the Deaf</u>

Potomac Chapter Registry of Interpreters for the Deaf

<u>Puerto Rico Registry of Interpreters for the Deaf</u>

Interpreter Training Programs

Below is a comprehensive list of programs **accredited** by the <u>Commission on Collegiate Interpreter Education (CCIE)</u> nation-wide.

Associate's degree

- Florida State College of Jacksonville
- Oakland Community College
- San Antonio College
- Tarrant County College

Bachelor's Degree

- Augustana University
- Bloomsburg University of Pennsylvania
- Columbia College Chicago
- Eastern Kentucky University
- Idaho State University
- Mount Aloysius College
- Northeastern University
- St. Catherine University
- <u>University of Arkansas at</u>
 Little Rock

- <u>University of New</u>
 <u>Hampshire</u>
- University of New Mexico
- University of North Florida
- <u>University of Northern</u>
 Colorado
- <u>University of Southern</u>
 Maine
- Western Oregon University

Below is a noncomprehensive list of Interpreter Training Programs within Region II that are not yet accredited programs. For a comprehensive list of Interpreter Training Programs, please search the RID database:

https://myaccount.rid.org/Public/Search/Organization.aspx

- Georgia State University
- Valdosta State University
- <u>University of Tennessee</u>
- Maryville College
- Troy University

Testing

Interpreter Skill Based Assessments

Center for the Assessment of Sign Language Interpretation

Nationally Recognized Certifications

- RID's National Interpreter Certification (NIC)
- o RID's Certified Deaf Interpreter (CDI)
- o RID's Provisional Deaf Interpreter Credential (PDIC)
- NAD no longer offers interpreter assessments: <u>List of archived</u>
 NAD Certifications

Non-Nationally Recognized Certifications

- o Board for Evaluation of Interpreters Certification Program (BEI)
- o Certificate in Healthcare Interpreting
- o Core Certification Healthcare Interpreter CoreCHI
- Qualified Mental Health Interpreter Certification (QMHI)

Non-Certifying Assessments

- o Educational Interpreter Performance Assessment (EIPA)
- o American Sign Language Proficiency Interview ASLPI
- o <u>Sign Language Proficiency Interview (SLPI:ASL)</u>

Licensure

The Georgia Educational Interpreter License is required to work in k-12 educational settings. This license must be renewed every 5 years. <u>Georgia Educational Interpreter License</u>

Where to Search for More Information

Links are listed alphabetically.

These are not comprehensive lists. If you would like to add an organization, please email secretary@garid.org with the name of your organization and a link to the website.

Locally

- Atlanta Association of Black Interpreters (NAOBI)
- Atlanta Black Deaf Advocates
- Georgia Association of the Deaf (GAD)
- Georgia Center for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing (GCDHH)

Nationwide

Associations/Centers/ Groups/Networks

- American Sign Language Teachers Association (ASLTA)
- Conference of Interpreter Trainers (CIT)
- <u>DeafBlind Interpreting</u> National Training & Resource Center
- Helen Keller National Center (HKNC)
- Intertribal Deaf Council (IDC) –
 The only national organization serving deaf Native Americans
- National Association of the Deaf (NAD)
- National Black Deaf Advocates
- Southeast Regional Institute on Deafness
- Street Leverage

Expos

DeafNation

- Deafopia
- It's a Deaf Thing

News/Vlogs

- Daily Moth
- Deaf Newspaper, LLC
- <u>D-PAN</u> Deaf Professional Arts Network
- D-PAN TV
- Sign 1 News

Sports

- Deaflympcs
- USA Deaf Soccer Association
- USA Deaf Sports Federation

Vocabulary

- ASL Clear Online ASL STEM Concept Learning Resource
- <u>ASL Core</u> –Advanced disciplinerelated terminology
- <u>DeafTEC</u> STEM Video Dictionary

Internationally

- <u>International Medical Interpreters</u> Association
- World Association of Sign Language Interpreters

Deaf Education

K-12

- Atlanta Area School for the Deaf
- Georgia School for the Deaf

Post-Secondary

- Gallaudet University
- <u>National Technical Institute for the Deaf (NTID)</u> The National Technical Institute for the Deaf is one of the nine colleges of Rochester Institute of Technology

Councils

- Conference of Educational Administrators of Schools and Programs for the Deaf (CEASD)
- Council for Exceptional Children (CEC)
- Council on Education of the Deaf (CED)

Mental Health/Healthcare

- Addiction Treatment/Rehab for Deaf and Blind Individuals
- Alabama's Mental Health Interpreter Training Project (MHIT)
- Association of Medical Professionals with Hearing Loss (AMPHL)
- <u>CaringWorks Inc.</u> Treatment and recovery services at Hope House, serving Deaf and Hard of Hearing Men
- <u>Catie Center</u> Information/Resources on Healthcare Interpreting
- Georgia Department of Behavioral Health and Developmental Disabilities (DBHDD)
- National Board on Certification of Medical Interpreters
- National Council on Interpreting in Healthcare

Government

- ADA Americans with Disabilities Act
- ADA Guide for Law Enforcement Officers
- Center for Disease Control Hearing Loss in Children
- Georgia Vocational Rehabilitation Agency (GVRA)
- NAD Guide to the ADA
- National Institute on Deafness and Other Communication Disorders (NIDCD)

Sign Language Interpreting Agencies

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Listed alphabetically

- Absolute Quality Interpreting (AQI) Services
- <u>Deaf Inc</u> non-profit organization providing interpreting services when requests aren't covered by the ADA
- Georgia Center of the Deaf and Hard of Hearing (GCDHH)
- Georgia Interpreting Services Network (GISN)
- Interpretek
- LATN Language Solutions
- Morris Interpreting Services Inc
- Purple
- Sorenson Community Interpreting Services (SCIS)
- StageHands Theatrical Interpreting

Search the <u>RID directory</u> to contact freelance interpreters directly.

Thank you for visiting the <u>GaRID website</u>. Please refer to our <u>contact page</u> if you have any questions, comments, or concerns.

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