

# GARID 2015 CONFERENCE!

## OCTOBER 17TH & 18TH



## ASL ONLY EVENT!

## SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

**Friday October 16, 2015**  
**Early Registration 4:30PM – 6:30PM**

**Saturday October 17, 2015**  
**Registration 7:00AM – 9:00AM**  
**Breakfast 7:00AM – 9:00AM**

### **Workshop A: Peanuts SWOT (.3 CEU) – 9AM – 12PM**

Participants will be lead in a collaborative process in identifying the Strengths, Weaknesses, Opportunities and Threats of our local community. A focus will be made in identifying the status and role of interpreters at this point and what we can do to further the profession of sign language interpreting. This is a (pea)nuts and bolts approach to critical thinking and analysis. *Format: breakout group discussions.*

**Lunch/Business Meeting – 12PM to 2:30PM**

### **Workshop B: Escaping the Fate of Frogs and Fleas (.2 CEU) – 2:30PM – 4:30PM**

Participants will be reminded of the need to escape the fate that befell too many frogs and fleas. Brick will introduce new ideas and skills in a safe space that allows for the practicing of new processes that takes interpreters to the next level while enabling Deaf customers as participants with full access to communication and information.

**Break/Dinner (on your own) – 4:30PM – 7PM**

**ASL Story Telling with Amy Peterson (.2 CEU) – 7PM – 9PM**  
*Smores and Cash Bar by the campfire!*

**Sunday October 18, 2015**  
**Breakfast 7:00AM – 8:30AM**

### **Workshop C: Peachy Interpreters as Lumberjacks (.3 CEU) – 8:30AM – 11:30AM**

Participants will learn the secret to the strength and toughness of lumberjacks and apply those lessons to the interpreting field, especially in the Peach State. Brick will engage participants in developing skills that will propel each level and type of interpreters to the next level. *Format: Hands-on activities.*

**Break 11:30AM – 12PM**

### **Keynote/Lunch: Deaf Ecosystem: Georgia Style (.1 CEU) – 12PM – 1PM**

Participants will shown ways in which GaRID and interpreters can come together and move forward by rediscovering and reinvesting in the local community. Mr. Brick will discuss how we have both an interest and a responsibility to strengthen our community in a way that is sustainable.

**Member Sections (.2 CEU) – 1PM to 3PM**

*Registration includes breakfast, lunch, and snacks Saturday and Sunday.*

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