LOCATION & TIME

Registration:
(coffee and muffin will be served)1:00 p.m.Opening and Welcoming Commences2:00 p.m.

Workshop2:10 p.m.Adjourn4:30 p.m.

The Workshop will be held at the: **Coast Plaza Hotel and Suites at Stanley Park** 1763 Comox Street Vancouver, BC Canada V6G 1P6 Telephone: 604-688-7711 Fax: 604-688-5934 Toll free in North America: 1-800-663-1144

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Early Bird Rate, before January 31st, 2005\$125Rate after January 31st, 2005\$150Group Rate\$1053 or more registrants from the same organization

The registration fee includes a welcome reception and refreshments. We encourage you to register as early as possible in order to reserve a space!

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Refunds will be made (less a \$50.00 processing fee) if written notice of withdrawal is received by February 13th, 2005. No refunds will be granted for withdrawal after that date.

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PROFESSIONAL CREDITS

Psychologists:

This workshop has been approved for 2.5 CE credits by the CPA (Canadian Psychological Association) .

Other Disciplines:

You will be given a certificate stating that you completed 2.5 hours of educational instruction.

PARKING

Conference Hotel - \$2.00 per hour up to \$8.00 per day. West End Community Centre, 870 Denman (entrance off Haro)\$4.50 - \$5.00 per day (\$1 coins accepted)

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Improving Peer-related Social Competence

Half-day Session with Dr. Michael J. Guralnick Thursday March 17, 2005

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Preschool Children with Developmental Disabilities: Improving Peer-related Social Competence

Workshop Description:

The workshop will contain a discussion of the nature, meaning, and developmental significance of peer-related social competence for young children. This will be followed by a discussion of the unusual problems experienced by young children with developmental disabilities, particularly those with mild intellectual delays. The possible causes of this unusual problem will be considered and a variety of techniques and strategies to improve children's peer-related social social competence will be presented.

Specific intervention topics discussed will be the importance of inclusion as well as a specially designed child- and family-oriented intervention program. A clinical tool, the Assessment of Peer Relations, will help organize the intervention strategies.

Learning Objectives:

Attendees will:

- 1. further appreciate the importance of peer-related social competence in children's lives and better understand the nature and characteristics of the problems experienced by young children with developmental disabilities;
- 2. become familiar with a tool to assess critical dimensions of children's peer-related social competence; and
- 3. become knowledgeable about intervention approaches to promote the peer-related social competence of preschool-age children with mild developmental disabilities.

Dr. Michael J. Guralnick

Director of the Center on Human Development and Disability (CHDD) and Professor of Psychology and Pediatrics at the University of Washington will present a 2.5 hour workshop. CHDD is one of the largest interdisciplinary research and training centers in the United States and operates to provide clinical services to individuals and their families, to provide interdisciplinary clinical and research training, and to provide technical assistance and outreach training to practitioners and community agencies. Dr. Guralnick has directed numerous research, training, and development projects in the fields of early childhood development and intervention, with a special interest in

the effectiveness of early intervention programs, peer-related social competence, and inclusion. He is well known in this field and has published well over 100 articles and book chapters.

Audience

This workshop should be of value to a multi-disciplinary audience in early intervention at all levels and disciplines who are interested in improving the peer-related social competence of young children with disabilities including families and caregivers. This workshop will bring together direct services, multi-disciplinary teams, families, primary care physicians, psychiatrists, nurses, psychologists, ministry/authority/mental health administrators, infant development consultants and early childhood educators.

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