



VIRTUAL



# IMPACT CONFERENCE

**Saturday  
April 25, 2026**

8:45am - 12:35pm

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## CONFERENCE SCHEDULE

TIME	EVENT
8:45am	<a href="#">Zoom Link</a> Opens
9-9:10	Welcome from Dr. Derrick Mueller

9:15 - 10:15 — SEMINAR 1	
<b>1A</b> (A)	<b>The Reluctant Reader</b> <i>Increase cognitive abilities while diagnosed with ADHD etc.</i> HOST: Matthew Turton V.P. Breakthroughs in Learning <a href="#">Zoom Link</a>
<b>1B</b> (A)	<b>Routines that Create Connections</b> <i>How daily structure can produce peace and order and become powerful moments for learning.</i> HOST: Dr. Cindy Barnum ACSI Early Education Senior Coordinator in the Eastern Division <a href="#">Zoom Link</a>
<b>1C</b> (TK)	<b>Developing Curriculum that Works for Everyone: Part 1</b> <i>How to fully understand the whole child development process</i> HOST: Dr. Jeannie Forrest Early Education Director, ACSI USA <a href="#">Zoom Link</a>
<b>1D</b> (TKE)	<b>All Things to All People?</b> <i>Unfolding the hats you wear and your influence on others</i> HOST: Dr. Susie Mohler Early Education Director, ACSI USA <a href="#">Zoom Link</a>

TIME	EVENT
10:15	10-Minute Transition Time

10:25 - 11:25 — SEMINAR 2	
<b>2A</b> (KE)	<b>That Kid's On My Last Nerve!</b> <i>How to understand and respond to challenging behavior</i> HOST: Dr. Suzie Mohler, Early Education Director, Western Division, ACSI USA <a href="#">Zoom Link</a>
<b>2B</b> (A)	<b>Designing Impactful Learning Encounters</b> <i>Bridging theory to practice to create powerful learning experiences</i> HOST: Dr. Jenny Flannagan, Associate Professor, Regent University, Virginia Beach <a href="#">Zoom Link</a>
<b>2C</b> (A)	<b>Developing Curriculum that Works for Everyone: Part 2</b> <i>Designing curriculum to develop a purposeful balance for learning</i> HOST: Dr. Jeannie Forrest Early Education Director, ACSI USA <a href="#">Zoom Link</a>
<b>2D</b> (A)	<b>We're All In this Together</b> <i>Come and explore practical and effective ways to connect better as a team!</i> HOST: Michael Lewis, Michael Lewis Training, Motivation and Development <a href="#">Zoom Link</a>

TIME	EVENT
11:25	10-Minute Transition Time

11:35 - 12:35 — SEMINAR 3	
<b>3A</b> (TK)	<b>STEM Learning in the ECE Classroom</b> <i>Cultivating curiosity through the scientific inquiry process in young children</i> HOST: Dr. Jenny Flannagan, Associate Professor, Regent University, Virginia Beach <a href="#">Zoom Link</a>
<b>3B</b> (A)	<b>Six F's of Moving through Change with Success</b> <i>Discover workable ways to transition through change!</i> HOST: Michael Lewis Michael Lewis Training, Motivation and Development <a href="#">Zoom Link</a>
<b>3C</b> (KE)	<b>How Does Attention Affect Learning with Special Needs Students</b> HOST: Matthew Turton VP Breakthroughs in Learning <a href="#">Zoom Link</a>
<b>3D</b> (TKE)	<b>From Surviving to Thriving</b> <i>How positive interventions can shape the developing brain &amp; foster resilience</i> HOST: Dr. Cindy Barnum, ACSI Early Education Senior Coordinator <a href="#">Zoom Link</a>
12:35	Conference Closes

A = all ages • D = Directors, Supervisors • T = Infants, Toddlers • K = Preschool, Kindergarten • E = Elementary, Junior High

## SESSION INFORMATION

For this year's conference, we will be utilizing the **Zoom Breakout Room**. This means only [ONE Zoom link](#) for the entire day!

### How Breakout Rooms Work

- Each time slot has 4 sessions happening at the same time in separate Breakout Rooms
- Session titles and room names will be shared during the introduction and posted in the chat
- At the start of each session, click 'Breakout Rooms' to choose the session you'd like to attend
- You can only be in ONE session at a time
- When the session ends, you'll automatically return to the main Zoom room
- You'll then choose again for the next time slot
- Joined late? Click 'Breakout Rooms' to choose your session, or 'Ask for Help' if you have any trouble joining a breakout room, and a host will assist you.