



Research and Interactive Project Guidelines
Registry of Interpreters for the Deaf
2009 RID National Conference ~ Philadelphia, PA
Conference dates: August 1 – 6

The Registry of Interpreters for the Deaf (RID) invites you to attend the 2009 Conference!

Join over 2,000 of your sign language interpreter industry colleagues in the city of brotherly love for a fun-filled week packed with tremendous educational, networking and marketing opportunities. Interpreters have the unique experience of becoming the voice for many, while demonstrating a passionate commitment to those they serve.

Goal of the Conference

It is the mission of the RID National Conference of the Registry of Interpreters for the Deaf (RID) to offer opportunities to develop the knowledge, wisdom and imagination of all interpreters through educational events and to promote participation in leadership opportunities to advance the profession and improve services.

Procedure for Research Projects

A single room will be set aside at conference for members to present their research. If you are interested in reserving space in this room to present or discuss your research, space may be requested by contacting Cori Dossett via email at cdossett@rid.org, no later than May 31, 2009. While we will make every effort to accommodate your request, space is available on a first-come, first serve basis and is not guaranteed.

Procedure for Interactive Projects

If you are working on a project in which you would like to make information available to the RID membership at conference, whether it is a white paper or a survey, please follow these steps.

1. Bring copies of your project to the Help Hut, located on the 5th floor of the Marriott. You may drop off items at the Help Hut beginning at noon on Saturday, August 1.
2. It is your responsibility to pick up any remaining items on Wednesday, August 5, by 7:00pm. Any items left after this time will be discarded.
3. RID will “advertise” your research presentation or project at your request, at Registration and by means of a conference daily print publication, should one be made available on-site.
4. Your project must not be offensive in any way to our membership (to be determined on-site by the Director of Meetings).

For any questions, please contact Cori Dossett at RID
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