



Annual Richard L. Simpson Conference on Autism! OCTOBER 8 & 9, 2020

KU Edwards Campus
Overland Park, KS



Sponsored by the Midwest Symposium
for Leadership in Behavior Disorders
And The Kansas Technical Assistance
System Network (TASN)

Evidence Based Practices, Issues, and Trends for School-Based Professionals who Serve Learners with Autism, presented by Researchers and Practitioners from the Field

Keynote Sessions



Thursday Noon: Applied Behavior Analysis for Everyone: Scaling Up Lessons in Science and Compassion

Robert Pennington, Ph.D., BCBA-D, Associate Professor Cato College of Education, University of North Carolina Charlotte



Friday Morning: Relentless: Dreams, Goals, and Aspirations

Anthony Ianni, BS, National Motivational Speaker and Autism Advocate, Michigan Department of Civil Rights

Thursday Half-Day Workshops

- **Functional Communication Training: Understanding, Changing and Improving Behavior in Children with Autism Spectrum Disorder**
- **Autism After 18: Supporting Young Adults to Achieve the Quality of Life They Desire**
- **The Intersection of Autism, Trauma, and Problematic Behavior**
- **Providing Direct Instruction to Children with Autism and Developmental Disabilities in Inclusive Preschool Settings**
- **Decreasing Barriers to Intervention through Telehealth: AAC Implementation for ASD and Complex Communication Needs**
- **From Border to Boarder – Can You Build It? Yes, You Can! A Multidisciplinary Approach to Implementing Evidence-Based Strategies Through Collaboration**
- **Building Social Competence in Early Childhood**
- **BCBA Collaboration with Special Educators**
- **Teaching Essential Routines**

Friday Breakout Sessions

- **Video Performance Feedback for Educators of Children and Adolescents with ASD**
- **Addressing Sensory Issues in Individuals with Autism Spectrum Disorders**
- **Preventing Aggression by Teaching Emotional Regulation Using the PaTTAN Card Sort System,**
- **Supporting Paraprofessionals in Inclusive Environments: Understanding the Need for Consistent Interventions**
- **What Did You Say? A Collaborative Model to Improve Augmentative and Alternative Communication for Students with Autism**
- **Other sessions related to:** Paraprofessional Training, Sexuality, Toilet Training, PEERS Curriculum, Early Childhood, Serving Students with Severe Aggression, Self-Determination, Practical FBA, Entrepreneurship, Research to Practice Panel, Visual Supports

Discounted registration rate of \$175.00 on or before
September 16

Regular Registration Rate of \$205.00 after September 16

MSLBD Website to register and for the latest program updates:

<https://mslbd.org/autism-conference/>

PD Hours available for teachers;

BCBA CEUs available for an additional fee, \$5 per credit hour

