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Brenda Smith Myles, PhD is a consultant with the Ohio Center for Autism and Low Incidence (OCALI) and the Ziggurat Group. She has been identified as the world's second-most productive applied researcher in autism, in a survey conducted by

the University of Texas. She has won numerous prestigious awards, and has published more than 250 books and articles over the course of her career. She served as the editor of *Intervention in School and Clinic*, the third-largest journal in special education, and has been a member of the editorial board of several professional journals. A highly sought-after international speaker, Dr. Smith Myles has made more than 1,000 presentations on autism and related topics worldwide.

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To Graduation, and Beyond!

*Planning for Success
in Transition and Employment*

Friday, November 6, 2015

A full-day workshop instructed by

Brenda Smith Myles, PhD



*Held at Terrence Murphy Hall,
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Full-Day Workshop 8:30 a.m.-4 p.m.

Are you worried about your son or daughter's transition from high school to adulthood? Do you work with young adults who have high potential for success, but an unclear path to independence?

Led by a world-renowned researcher and author in the fields of autism and developmental disabilities, this workshop will offer you valuable strategies for achieving independence, including tactics for self-regulation and mindfulness. Learn how to avoid missteps and resolve ongoing challenges using evidence-based practices. Upon completion, you will be able to create a comprehensive plan to implement these tools in the workplace, for transportation, and in after-work settings.

CEUs and certificate of attendance will be available for participants completing the workshop.

Workshop Objectives

- Identify skills that can lead to independence in work and post-secondary education settings.
- Describe mindfulness and self-regulation interventions. Learn to manage anxiety associated with transitions.
- Discuss comprehensive planning system for successful employment.
- Obtain transition resources and strategies that lead to success.

Who Should Participate?

- Educators
- Service Agencies
- Parents and Caregivers
- Autism and Learning Difference Professionals
- Transition-Age Individuals
- Adults with Autism and Learning Differences

Workshop Details

Friday, November 6, 2015

Registration opens at 7:30 a.m.

Workshop Time: 8:30 a.m.-4 p.m.

Location of Workshop

Terrence Murphy Hall

University of St. Thomas - Minneapolis Campus

1000 LaSalle Ave.

Minneapolis, MN 55403

Lunch is not included with registration. Coffee, tea, and a snack will be provided. Participants will have a one-hour lunch break. The *Food for Thought* cafeteria will be open at St. Thomas. See AuSM website for information about parking.

Service Agency Resource Tables

Access information and network with parents, educators, and learning difference professionals.



Registration

Workshop Fee (please select one)

☐ AuSM Member: \$75 ☐ Non-Member: \$85

☐ Person with ASD: \$25 ☐ Student: \$25

Walk-In: \$95 (space is limited)

Group Rate: A group rate of \$10 off the member or non-member rate is available for 10 or more participants from the same organization. Call 651.647.1083 ext. 19.

Cancellations: Refunds less a \$10 processing fee will be given for cancellations received in writing to events@ausm.org seven business days prior to the workshop. No refunds will be given after this date. Visit www.ausm.org for the full cancellation policy.

Register online at www.ausm.org or complete and return the form below.

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AuSM Member#: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

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