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CONFERENCE UPDATES

Dear Friends,


Online registration for the BOOST Conference officially ends today at 5pm PST. If you haven't registered for the conference already, please take advantage of the final online rates. With the conference less than 2 weeks away, you do not want to miss out on the best learning and networking experience in the out-of-school time field!

Sincerely,

Tia Quinn
Executive Director
BOOST Collaborative



KEYNOTE:
 PEDRO NOGUERA, PHD
 CLOSING THE
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BOOST CONFERENCE
APRIL 22-25, 2009
Palm Spings Convention Center
Palm Springs, California



LAST DAY TO REGISTER ONLINE

Online registration for the BOOST Conference ends today at 5pm PST. For more information about registering for the BOOST Conference please contact Christine McKenna at 619-



BOOST BUDDY OF THE WEEK

**DON'T MISS
CHALLENGE DAY**



**PRE-CONFERENCE SESSION
AS SEEN ON:**



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EXHIBITORS

**ONLY 1 DAY LEFT
TO EXHIBIT!!**

It is not too late to exhibit at one of the nation's largest and most recognized

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UPCOMING CONFERENCE WORKSHOPS

Here is a small sample of the amazing workshops that will be offered at the **2009 BOOST Conference**. Please make sure to visit our BOOST website to view the complete list of workshops and [download a complete listing of workshops offered](#).



Building a New Day for Learning: Connecting the School Day and After-School

Hillary Salmons, Executive Director; Patrick Duhon, Deputy Director, Providence After School Alliance (PASA); Cynthia Guyer, Executive Director, San Francisco School Alliance, San Francisco, CA

Building Your Summer Program with Supplemental Funds

Jennifer Brady, Director of Professional Development, Center for Summer Learning, Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, MD; Katie Brackenridge, Director, Out-of-School Time Initiatives, Bay Area Partnership, Oakland, CA

The CRAFT of Leadership: Developing Professional Learning Communities that Really Work

Dr. Harvey F. Silver, President, Silver Strong & Associates/Thoughtful Education Press, Ho-Ho-Kus, NJ; Dr. Elizabeth C. Reilly, Director of Doctoral Programs, (Education), Loyola Marymount University, Los Angeles, CA

Fantastic Family Forces: It's All About the Relationships

Mike Ashcraft, CEO; Chelsea Ashcraft, CEO, Children's Choice, Albuquerque, NM

"Hands-On" Doesn't Mean "Minds-Off": Using Foldables to Promote Content Learning

Dr. Nancy Frey, Associate Professor, San Diego State University, San Diego, CA

How Was Your Day?: Improving Workplace Climate to Increase Staff Retention and Job Satisfaction

conferences for after school and out-of-school time professionals. The **BOOST Conference** is the nation's preferred conference for **key stakeholders** and **decision makers** in the after school and out-of-school time profession. If you have products and services designed for educators, administrators or after school & out-of-school time professionals, **you can't afford to miss this year's BOOST Conference!**

**DEADLINE TO REGISTER
FRIDAY, APRIL 10, 2009**

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Nathan Eklund, Senior Consultant, SEARCH Institute, Minneapolis, MN

Managing Time: Making the Most of Your 24/7
CynDee Zandes, Zandes Consulting, Bakersfield, CA

Partnerships that Work! Promising Practices for School-Afterschool Partnerships

Helen Westmoreland, Research Analyst, Harvard Family Research Project, Cambridge, MA

Web 2.0 & Afterschool, the Mashup!

Shawn C. Petty, Program Coordinator, Cooperative for After-School Enrichment, Houston, TX

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