

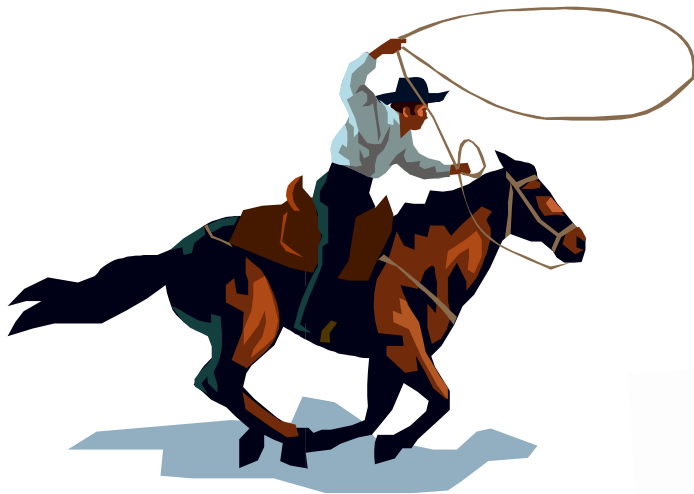
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**Friday & Saturday
May 5th & 6th, 2017**

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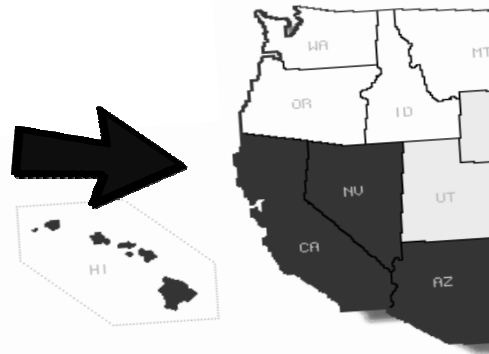
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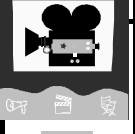



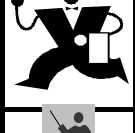
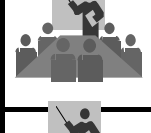
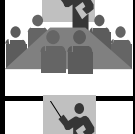
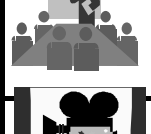
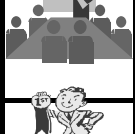
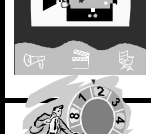
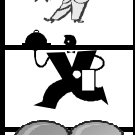
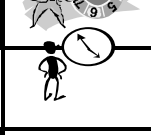
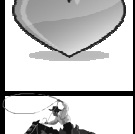

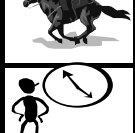
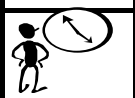
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Western States Self-Advocacy Round-Up

PROGRAM

FRIDAY, May 5, 2017

SATURDAY, May 6, 2017

	8:00	REGISTRATION BEGINS		8:00	REGISTRATION BEGINS
	9:00	WELCOME <i>Featuring: Jordan Kamnitzer</i>		9:00	WELCOME <i>Featuring: Statewide Self Advocacy Conference Committee</i>
Keynote: Triumph: My Story of Overcoming the Odds Russell Lehmann Nevada Governor's Council on Dev. Disabilities Autism Coalition of Nevada			Keynote: Growing Up With Autism Stephen Hinkle Self-Advocate and National Speaker		
	10:00	Check Out the INFORMATION & SALES FAIRE		10:00	Learn from Exhibitors at the INFORMATION & SALES FAIRE
	10:30	"OPEN MIC STUDIO" & LOUNGE OPENS		10:30	SESSION # 4
	10:30	SESSION # 1		11:45	LUNCH
	11:45	LUNCH		12:55	SESSION # 5
	12:55	SESSION # 2		2:00	SESSION # 6
	2:00	SESSION # 3		3:15	Closing: "Clips From the Conference" "Song Selection: Michael J. Valcour"
	3:30	Karaoke Contest		3:45	RAFFLE DRAWING
	6:00	DINNER		4:00	END OF DAY 2
	7:15	DATING GAME <small>Presented By: SelfAdvocacy Council 6</small>	Statewide Conference Planning Team Is Looking Forward to Offering Another Great Program!		
	9:00	DANCE "Western"			
	11:30	END OF DAY 1			



HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS

Crowne Plaza Hotel
5321 Date Ave.
Sacramento, CA 95841



A special rate of **\$122.00 per night** is available for those attending **Statewide Self Advocacy Conference**. All rooms are subject to city tax and tourism assessment so please see our hotel reservation form for the exact totals that include all taxes and assessment fees.

- To make reservations, **contact the Crowne Plaza Hotel** directly **916-338-5800** ask for **Reservations** and make specific reference to the **Self Advocacy Conference**. To ensure receipt of this special rate, make reservations before **April 24, 2017**.
- There is ample free parking at the hotel.
- **Super Shuttle** provides **Airport shuttle service** to the hotel. Call them for fee information (800) 258-3826



Every Guest of the Crowne Plaza Hotel
Enjoys a Complimentary Hot Breakfast Buffet
Each Morning of Their Stay!

(Conference provides Friday & Saturday Lunch and Friday Dinner)

Mail your *Conference Registration Form* & *Medical/Support Needs Form* + check/money order by **April 21st** to:

"Supported Life Institute"
1010 Hurley Way, Suite 180
Sacramento, CA 95825



Group Discount !!!

**Groups: Register 5 people
& receive 1 support staff FREE**

All Group Registrations Must Be Received Together

Conference registration Cancellations/Substitutions:

Written cancellations may be made until April 21, 2017 and will be refunded minus a 25% administrative fee.

Requests for refunds (incl. for "no-shows") will not be accepted after April 21st.

With advance notice,
substitutions are welcome.

The Supported Life Institute will send a written **confirmation** of your conference registration.

Questions?
Call the Supported Life Institute at **916-567-1974**.

NOTE: There will be a videographer/photographer at the conference taking videos of conference activities and in the Open Mic Studio. Segments of these tapes will be shown during the conference and may be used to create a DVD of conference highlights. If you do not want your picture to be used, please let us know at the conference registration desk.

TRANSPORTATION TO THE CROWNE PLAZA HOTEL IN SACRAMENTO

- ◆ **From Airport to Hotel and back, contact Super Shuttle** for Schedules and Fares: **800-258-3826**. (Super Shuttle may need advance notice to have enough wheelchair-equipped vans available.)
- ◆ Contact **ParaTransit** 916-429-2009 about travel from **Greyhound or Amtrak** stations to Hotel & back: (best to call weeks ahead to register and set up a "client record," if you are from out of town)



CONFERENCE SESSIONS - 22nd Annual Statewide Self-Advocacy Conference (Crowne Plaza Hotel, Sacramento)

Friday, May 5, 2017

Sessions #1 • 10:30 a.m. – 11:25 a.m.

Saturday, May 6, 2017

Sessions #4 • 10:30 a.m. – 11:25 a.m.

Overcoming Obstacles in the Workplace <i>Parker Neece, Rohnert Park</i>	Relationships...A Happy and Loving One is Best <i>Herb Hastings, Regional Center of the East Bay, San Leandro</i>
"Perfectly Normal": The Signs of Recognition and Acceptance <i>Jordan Kamnitzer, Los Angeles</i>	Are You Ready for an Emergency? <i>Robert Rogers, Sonya Bingaman, SCDD-Sac Office, Sacramento</i>
How the CalABLE Act Works for People w/ Dev. Disabilities <i>Robert Levy / Lisa Cooley, Orangevale / Rancho Cordova</i>	Overcoming Obstacles Through Self-Advocacy <i>Zachary Miller / Theodore Walker, Sacramento</i>
Becoming a Transgender Filmmaker <i>Christina Hart, Folsom</i>	Getting a Loan for Your Microenterprise <i>Board Members, Lending Works, Inc., Davis</i>
Self-Advocacy Training Theater - A <i>Sponsored by George F. Kelso Library</i>	Self-Advocacy in Hawaii <i>Hawaii SAAC - Self-Advocacy Advisory Council, Honolulu, Hawaii</i>
	Self-Advocacy Training Theater - D <i>Sponsored by George F. Kelso Library</i>

Friday, May 5, 2017

Sessions #2 • 12:55 p.m. – 1:50 p.m.

Saturday, May 6, 2017

Sessions #5 • 12:55 p.m. – 1:50 p.m.

What is Working & Not Working for You? Share w/ OCRA Advisory Committee <i>Katie Hornberger, OCRA/Disability Rights Calif., Sacramento</i>	Sexuality: Removing the Barriers and Policies <i>Stephen Hinkle, San Diego</i>
Work Accommodations: The How-To Guide <i>Carly Fulgham, Self-Advocate, Camarillo</i>	How to Control Your Stress on the Job <i>Charles McCarron, Sacramento</i>
Rock Your Next IPP Meeting! <i>People First of the Creative Center, Visalia</i>	Medications and How to Take Them Safely <i>Tyson Whitman & Sonya Bingaman SCDD - Sacramento Office</i>
Losing the Dream <i>Michael Long, Sacramento</i>	ACCEPTANCE is "Treatment" That Can Be Administered Daily <i>Qamdhyh J. Hale, Antelope</i>
Self-Advocacy Training Theater - B <i>Sponsored by George F. Kelso Library</i>	Self-Advocacy in Nevada <i>People First of Nevada</i>
	Self-Advocacy Training Theater - E <i>Sponsored by George F. Kelso Library</i>

Friday, May 5, 2017

Sessions #3 • 2:00 p.m. – 2:55 p.m.

Saturday, May 6, 2017

Sessions #6 • 2:00 p.m. – 2:55 p.m.

Being a Voice for Your Community: Facilitation / Board Membership <i>Ascary Navarro, Los Angeles</i>	Special Needs Got Talent <i>Michael John Valcour, Sacramento</i>
How to Get a Regular Job <i>John Riva, Chico</i>	How I Use Technology to Stay Healthy and Live Independently <i>Jesse Compo, Citrus Heights</i>
Stop Trashing the Climate! <i>People First of the Creative Center, Visalia</i>	Is the Self-Determination Program Right for You? <i>Lisa Cooley / Sonya Bingaman / Joe Hernandez, SCDD-Sac Office</i>
Your First Board Position <i>Carly Fulgham, Self-Advocate, Camarillo</i>	Bullying in the Workplace and in the Community <i>Margie Garetz, Anaheim</i>
Self-Advocacy Training Theater - C <i>Sponsored by George F. Kelso Library</i>	Self-Advocacy Training Theater - F <i>Sponsored by George F. Kelso Library</i>

CONFERENCE REGISTRATION FORM - SIDE A (Side B Med/Supp Over →)
Statewide Self-Advocacy Conference - May 5, and 6, 2017 (www.supportedlife.org)
Early-Bird Rate Deadline: April 21, 2016 *

* If a Regional Center is paying your registration, they may have an earlier deadline.
 Please call your Regional Center right away.

Everyone who attends the conference must pay the registration fee.
This includes self-advocates, speakers, family members and support people.

1. NAME: _____

2. SELF-ADVOCACY GROUP (Optional): _____

3. ADDRESS: _____

4. CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP CODE: _____

5. DAYTIME PHONE:(_____) _____

6. Are you a: Self-Advocate Family Member Support Person

7. When will you be coming: Both Days 1- 2 or Fri 5th or Sat 6th

8. Do you use a wheelchair for mobility: Yes No


9. Other accommodations you request from the Conference: (Must be Received by April 15, 2016)

Sign language interpreting services Accommodations for conference materials _____

Vegetarian meals Other specially prepared food _____

10. Conference Registration: (for Regional Center use only: Vendor # : P63905)

Send this form w/payment to: Supported Life Institute, 1010 Hurley Way, Suite 180, Sacramento, CA 95825

Conference Registration Fee (Does not include hotel sleeping room)	by 4/21/17	After 4/21/17
Two Day Conference - Arrive <u>Friday</u> at 9:00 a.m. (new rates set by DDS-ABX2-1)	\$299.67	\$316.01
One Day Conference - Arrive Either Day at 9:00 a.m. (new rates set by DDS-ABX2-1)	\$283.32	\$299.67
 Group Discount ! ! ! ! Groups: <u>Register 5 people</u> & receive <u>1 support staff FREE</u> All Group Registrations Must Be Received Together		Buy 5 - Get 1 Free

MEDICAL/SUPPORT NEEDS FORM - SIDE B

The goal of the Conference Planning Committee is for everyone attending this year's conference to have a positive, educational and safe experience. The information provided below will be kept for ready access by conference staff to be used in case of an emergency during the event.

Individuals needing special assistance or supervision must be accompanied by a support person. All supervision, medical, and personal care needs are the responsibility of each conference participant.

1. Name of Registrant : _____

Self-Advocate Family Member Support Person

2. In case of serious emergency, please list a contact person who is not attending the event and is available by phone during the general times and dates of the conference.

Name: _____ Relationship: _____

Daytime Phone: (_____) _____ Evening Phone: (_____) _____

3. Do you have any medical or personal needs which require the assistance of your support person?:

- Yes (If yes, please answer questions 4-6 below.)
 No (If no, the rest of this form is optional.)

4. Name of your support person at the conference: _____

Support person's cell phone number: (_____) _____

5. Medications? Include type, dosage, amount, purpose, (attach a separate list if necessary):

6. Do you have seizures?: No Yes (please describe the type of seizures, frequency, any intervention which should be done immediately after a seizure, and whether you have ever required hospitalization for a seizure):

HOTEL RESERVATION FORM
Statewide Self-Advocacy Conference - May 5th and 6th, 2017

Credit Card? (You don't need to fill out this form)

Call the hotel directly - 916-338-5800 ask for Reservations, mention the "Statewide Self Advocacy Conference"

Check or Money Order?

Complete this form. Make check or money order payable to "Crowne Plaza Hotel."

Send this form with the total payment for all the people in the room to:

Crowne Plaza Hotel, 5321 Date Ave., Sacramento, CA 95841. Attn: Reservations

(For Regional Center Use Only - Vendor: Crowne Plaza Hotel (ZA4775) Contact SLI for more information (916) 567-1974)

1. NAME: _____

2. ADDRESS: _____

3. CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP CODE: _____

4. DAYTIME PHONE:(_____) _____

5. Arriving: Thursday, May 4 or Friday, May 5

6. Do you request your room be "handicapped accessible:?" Yes No

There are only a limited number of handicapped accessible rooms available.
 The hotel will meet this request on a "first come, first served" basis.

7. There will be (circle one): 1 2 3 4 people : Thu & Fri or Thu only or Fri only

HOTEL RESERVATION FEES – Must be received at the Crowne Plaza by 4/24/17

Price includes: hotel room & tax.

	1 Person/Room (1 bed/room)	2 People/Room (2 beds/room)	3 People/Room (2 beds/room)	4 People/Room (2 beds/room)	Total Cost/Room
Friday Night Only	\$139.39/person	\$69.70/person	\$46.47/person	\$34.85/person	1-4 people/room \$139.39
Thursday & Friday	\$278.78/person	\$139.39/person	\$92.93/person	\$69.70/person	1-4 people/room \$278.78

8. I am enclosing fees for the following reservation:

My Name: _____

Roommate # 1: _____

Roommate # 2: _____

Roommate # 3: _____

Total Fees Enclosed:

\$