

## Conference Site & Hotel



Fall is a great time to visit the Rockies! NCLCA is holding its 2009 conference in beautiful Golden, Colorado. Conference room rate is \$134.

Denver Marriott West  
1717 Denver West Blvd,  
Golden, CO 80401  
888-238-1803 or 303-279-9100

Golden is the home of the Colorado School of Mines, Rocky Mountain Quilt Museum, Coors Brewery, The Silver Horse, Foothills Art Center, Buffalo Bill Museum and Grave, Colorado Railroad Museum, National Earthquake and Information Center, Astor House Museum, Boettcher Mansion. Within walking distance (or a shuttle ride) from the hotel is the fabulous Colorado Mills shopping mall. Nearby are Red Rocks Park and Amphitheater, the University of Colorado at Boulder, Boulder's Pearl Street Mall, Rocky Mountain National Park, and downtown Denver and its 16<sup>th</sup> Street Mall.



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**24th Annual NCLCA  
Conference  
October 1 & 2, 2009**



**Mountain Top  
Experiences in  
Learning Assistance**

<http://www.nclca.org>



# Conference Details

# 24th Annual NCLCA Conference



### Conference Highlights

- ◆ Keynote Speaker: Dr. Sandra McGuire, Director—Center for Academic Success at LSU, has received a multitude of accolades in learning assistance and teaching including the NCLCA/Frank L. Christ Outstanding Learning Center Award.
- ◆ Council of Learning Assistance and Developmental Education Associations (CLADEA)—Fellows Induction Banquet
- ◆ Banquet Speaker: Carol Carter, President of LifeBound, is a leading expert and author of over 20 books on high school, college, and career success. She will speak on coaching for success.
- ◆ Pre/Post-Conference Institutes:
  - A. *Help! I'm a New Learning Center Director*—Alan Craig
  - B. *Research on the Fly*—Jan Norton
  - C. *Successful Practical Ideas for Math Learning Centers*—Kathryn Van Wagoner
  - D. *Transitions to College*, Jim Valkenburg and Jack Truschel—ATP
  - E. *Learning Center Peer Review*—Jennifer Haley, Jackie Harris, Gary Ritz, et al.
  - F. *Best Practices for Learning Centers*—Presented by CLADEA Fellow and legendary learning center leader—Frank Christ
- ◆ Lunch with the President(s)
  - Wednesday, September 30
  - Lunch with Dr. David Reedy (current NCLCA President) and Alan Craig (incoming NCLCA President)



### Conference at a Glance

Wednesday, September 30, 2009	
9—12	Precon Institutes A, B
12:15—1:45	Lunch w/ President(s) (\$25)
2—5	Precon Institutes C—E
5:30—7	Welcome Reception
7—8	Newcomers Reception
8—9	Presenters Reception
8—10	Hospitality Suite
Thursday, October 1, 2009	
7:30—8:30	Continental Breakfast
8:30—9:50	Welcome, Presidential Address, Plenary Key note: Dr. Sandra McGuire
10:05—11:05	Concurrent Session 1
11:20—12:20	Concurrent Session 2
12:30—1:45	Awards Banquet
2—3:15	Concurrent Session 3
3:30—4:30	Concurrent Session 4
4:30—5:30	Exhibit Opening
5:30—6:30	Cash Bar Reception
6:30—7:45	Presenters Reception
8—9:30	CLADEA Fellows Banquet (\$30)
9:30—11	Speaker: Carol Carter Induction Ceremony NCLCA Hospitality Suite & CLADEA After-Party
Friday, October 2, 2009	
7:30—8:30	Breakfast Buffet
8:30—9:15	Member Meeting
9:30—10:30	Concurrent Session 5
10:45—11:45	Concurrent Session 6
Noon—1	Concurrent Session 7

1:15—2:30	Continuing the Conversation Luncheon
2:45—4	Concurrent Session 8
4—5	Tea with Tammy Pratt
5—?	Dinner on Your Own
5—?	Night on the Town
7—9	Hospitality Suite
Saturday, October 3, 2009	
7:30—8:15	Continental Breakfast
8:30—Noon	Postcon Institute F
9—5	Tour of Rocky Mountain National Park
12:30—4:30	Tour of Boulder's Pearl Street Mall

Breakfast on Thursday, Friday, and Saturday and lunch on Thursday and Friday are included in the conference registration fee of \$250. Lunch with Lucy and the CLADEA Fellows Induction Banquet are \$25 and \$30, respectively. Pre/Postconference Institutes are \$50 each, \$90 for two, or \$125 for three.

See the NCLCA web site for more conference information, online registration, and hotel reservations.

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