

**16th International Symposium
Charlotte, NC**

Symposium Day 1 – Friday, October 25, 2013

- 7:30 – 8:15 **Registration, Exhibits and Continental Breakfast**
- 8:15 – 8:30 **Welcome!**
- 8:30 – 9:30 **Introduction**
Lucy Jane Miller, PhD, OTR
 Founder and Research Director, Sensory Processing Disorder Foundation
 Founder and Clinical Director, STAR (Sensory Therapies And Research) Center
 Author, *Sensational Kids* and *No Longer A SECRET: Unique Common Sense Strategies for Children with Sensory or Motor Challenges*
- 9:30 – 10:30 **How the Brain Develops the Capacity to Integrate Information from Different Senses**
Barry Stein, PhD
 Professor, Department of Neurobiology & Anatomy
 Wake Forest School of Medicine
- 10:30 – 11:00 **Exhibitor Presentations**
- 11:00 – 11:30 **Break and Exhibits**
- 11:30 - 12:30 **Event Coding of Sensory-Based Intervention: A Key Foundation for Evidenced Based Practice**
Stephen Camarata, PhD
 Professor of Hearing and Speech Sciences
 Associate Professor of Special Education - Vanderbilt University
- 12:30 - 12:45 **Panel Q and A with Lucy Jane Miller, Barry Stein, Stephen Camarata**
- 12:45 - 2:00 **Lunch and Exhibits**

	Workshop 1		Workshop 2
2:00-3:15	Powerful Partnerships: Merging Educational, Behavioral and Sensory Strategies to Improve the Functional Performance of Children with Sensory Processing Disorder and Autism Carolyn Murray-Slutsky, MS, OTR Betty Paris, PT, M Ed REHABILITATION for CHILDREN, INC Co -Owner and Director State of The Art Resource Services, Inc. (STAR Services) Co-Owner	2:00-3:15	The Role of Intensive Occupational Therapy in Supporting Intensive Feeding Therapy Kay Toomey, PhD Director SOS Feeding Solutions, STAR Center
3:15-3:45	Break and Exhibits	3:15-3:45	Break and Exhibits
3:45-5:00	Workshop 1 - Continued	3:45-5:00	Workshop 2 - Continued

5:00 - 5:30 **Author Book Signing**

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Symposium Day 2 – Saturday, October 26, 2013

8:00 – 8:30 Exhibits and Continental Breakfast

	Workshop 1		Workshop 2
8:30-10:00	Early Brain Development, Long-Lasting Effects of Chronic Stress, and Bridging the Gaps Across Disciplines: An Introduction to the Neurorelational Framework Connie Lillas, PhD, MFT, RN Director, Interdisciplinary Training Institute National Graduate Zero to Three Fellow Co-author, The NRF www.the-nrf.com	8:30-10:00	Building a Sensory Lifestyle for Children with Sensory Processing Disorder Paula Aquilla, BSc, OT Aquilla Pediatric Occupational Therapy Services Author
10:00-10:30	Break and Exhibits	10:00-10:30	Break and Exhibits
10:30-12:00	Workshop 1	10:30-12:00	Workshop 2

12:00 – 1:30 Lunch and Exhibits

1:30 – 2:30 **Sensory Processing and Emotion Regulation: What Happens After Childhood?**
M. Zachary Rosenthal, PhD
 Assistant Professor, Duke University Medical Center Department of Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences and the Duke University Department of Psychology

2:30 – 3:00 **Break and Exhibits**

3:00 – 3:45 **Functional Assessment of the School Age Child**
Sarah A. Schoen, PhD, OTR
 Associate Director of Research, SPD Foundation
 Associate Professor, Rocky Mountain University of Health Professions

3:45 – 4:45 **Parent Panel**
Linda King Thomas, MHS, OTR
 Director, Owner, Developmental Therapy Associates

4:45 – 5:00 **Closing**
Lucy Jane Miller, PhD, OTR