

17th Annual St. Amant Conference
October 9th and 10th, 2008

Developmental Disabilities and Autism
Canad Inn, Fort Garry/Winnipeg, Manitoba

The St. Amant Conference attracts about 450 individuals from across North America.

Participants include educators, researchers, self-advocates, family members, service providers and health professionals. The conference is hosted by St. Amant, a comprehensive organization based in Winnipeg that serves individuals with a developmental disability, acquired brain injury or autism.

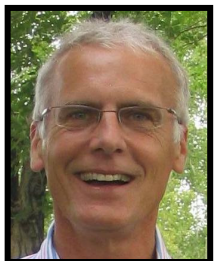
Presentations cover a variety of topics, including those that affect pre-school children, school-age children, adults and seniors. Subject matters will focus on Autism, Innovative Practices, Practical Training, Self Advocacy and Wellness. Two very inspiring keynote addresses are also sure to inform and entertain. In addition to learning, the event is aimed at promoting hospitality, so be sure to take in the Thursday night Western Hoedown featuring food, fun, entertainment and prizes.

Keynote Speakers



Brian Thwaitz Thursday, October 9th / 9:00 am - 10:30 am

CHANGE: ORGANIZATIONAL & PERSONAL The Adaptable Brain
The truth is that you can teach an old brain to do new tricks!



David Zinger Friday, October 10th/ 9:00 am - 10:30 am

THE HEART OF ENGAGEMENT
Enjoy David's use of stories and his down-to-earth approach inviting learners to engage in learning.

Registration Information

Block registration: Groups of 3 (min) or more for the full conference of 2 days are \$190.00 per person; groups of 6 (min) or more for 1 day of the conference are \$95 per person.

Early bird registration (before August 1/08 and must be for full 2 day's of conference) = \$190 per person

Regular 2-day registration (after August 1/08) = \$240 per person

Registration for Thursday, October 9th (includes evening events) = \$150

Registration for Friday, October 10th = \$125

Family/Student/Self-Advocate rate (full-conference) = \$120

Family/Student/Self-Advocate rate (1 day) = \$75



Please contact Jane Lawler at 204-256-4301 ext. 4277 for program details and Marlys Nagy at 204-256-4301 ext. 4372 for registration details. To learn more about St. Amant, visit our website at www.stamant.mb.ca