

# 28th Annual Two-Way Bilingual Immersion Conference EMPOWERING ALL STUDENTS THROUGH BILITERACY! 2020 Virtual Event | December 3-5



he 28th National Two-Way **Bilingual Immersion Conference** offers Two-Way Bilingual Immersion and Dual Language educators a unique opportunity to gather, study and share best practices in second language learning for the students that they serve. This unique gathering of educators from throughout the U.S. and countries from throughout the world offers conference attendees three days of great learning from experts in the field of Two-Way Bilingual, Immersion, and Multilingual Education including master TWBI/DLI teachers and administrators. ATDLE has dedicated over 30 years to designing a conference that is relevant. up to date, and focused on the needs of the TWBI/DLI educators in all phases of their program development. Our goal is to offer a great professional learning experience that will have a great impact on the new and continued implementation of powerful TWBI/DLI programs throughout the country.

Come participate in this great professional forum and join TWBI/DLI educators from throughout the U.S. at this exciting gathering of educators. These three days will feature more than 50 sessions in a virtual format that are focused on best practices in TWBI/DLI education, new curriculums, assessments and research-informed best practices to support your practice.

ATDLE is proud to join the top 20 companies in the U.S. to exhibit at our conference. They exhibit their best curriculum and latest technologies in full support of biliteracy and bilingualism for all! These vendors work with ATDLE and programs throughout the country to create and disseminate resources, curriculum, literature, technological support systems, assessments, etc. designed to support your core TWBI/DLI program.

## HIGHLIGHTS

- 3 Powerful keynotes sessions
- Almost 100 workshops
- Exhibitors and Vendors sharing resources
- Networking events and so much more...





# TENTATIVE SCHEDULE

This Annual TWBI Conference agenda serves as an example of what this conference's daily schedule will look like, and as such is subject to change. As we finalize our agenda we will update our website, **atdle.org/conference**, with more details. Stay tuned!

Full Virtual Registration \$325 Group Discount

Groups registering more then 4 attendees will receive a discount of \$25 per registrant for the full group Saturday Only Registration \$200

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ALL TIMES ARE LISTED IN PACIFIC DAYLIGHT TIME (P	DT)
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THURSDAY December 3rd **FRIDAY** December 4th SATURDAY December 5th

8:00 AM - 8:45 PM

ATDLE Executive Director -

**Opening Comments** 

2:00 PM -3:30 PM Welcome to the Virtual Conference Keynote Speaker Dr. Kim Potowski

3:45 PM - 4:45 PM 12 Concurrent Sessions Divided by Grade Level and Subject Matter 2:00 PM -3:30 PM ATDLE Chairperson Opening Comments Keynote Speakers Dr. Kathryn Lindholm-Leary & Dr. Fred Genesee (Invited Speaker)

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8:45 AM – 9:30 AM

Keynote Speaker Dr. Alma Flor Ada & Isabel Campoy

9:45 AM – 10:45 AM Concurrent Morning Sessions (9 sessions)

11:00 AM – 12:00 PM Concurrent Morning Sessions (9 sessions)

12:30 PM – 1:30 PM Concurrent Afternoon Sessions (9 sessions)

1:30 PM – 2:30 PM Concurrent Afternoon Sessions (9 sessions)

# FEATURED KEYNOTE SPEAKERS

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#### DR. KIM POTOWSKI

Kim Potowski is a professor of Hispanic linguistics in the Department of Hispanic and Italian Studies at the University of Illinois at Chicago. She is also a

faculty affiliate in the Latin American and Latino Studies Program, the Department of Curriculum and Instruction, and in the Social Justice Initiative. Also she is the founding director of the Language in Context Research Group. Since 2009 Kim has served as Executive Editor of the journal Spanish in Context.

Most broadly, she is interested in the promotion of minority languages and multilingualism, particularly via elementary schooling. Her work focuses on Spanish in the United States, including factors that influence intergenerational language transmission, connections between language and identity, and heritage language education. Some of her recent research topics include: Language development in dual immersion schools, Mexican and Puerto Rican Spanish in Chicago, and the language and identity of mixed "Mexi-Rican" individuals, Teaching heritage languages, particularly Spanish in the U.S., Spanish use in Chicago quinceañera celebrations, The use of "Spanglish" in commercially published greeting cards.



### DR. KATHRYN LINDHOLM-Leary

Kathryn Lindholm-Leary is professor emerita of Child and Adolescent Development at

San Jose State University, where she taught for 28 years. Kathryn has worked with over 75 two-way and developmental bilingual programs from PreK through 12 over the past 30 years and has written books, chapters, and journal articles, and has given presentations to researchers, educators, and parents on the topics of dual language education and child bilingualism. More recently, she worked with the National Academy of Sciences in their report on the development of English/Dual language learners. Kathryn has served on advisory boards or as consultant to federal and state departments of education, various professional organizations, and other agencies, school districts, and schools.



#### DR. FRED GENESEE (Invited Speaker)

**Dr. Fred Genesee** is a Professor in the Psychology Department at McGill University, Montreal,

Canada. He is interested in basic issues related to language learning, representation, and use in bilinguals and in applied issues related to second-language teaching, learning, and testing. He has carried out extensive research on alternative approaches to bilingual education, including second/foreign language immersion programs for language majority students and alternative forms of bilingual education for language minority students. This work has systematically documented the longitudinal language development (oral and written) and academic achievement of students educated through the media of two languages — their home language and another language.

Dr. Genesee's current work focuses on immersion students who are at-risk for reading and/or language learning difficulties and how best to identify such students early in their schooling so that appropriate intervention can be provided.



#### DR. ALMA FLOR ADA

Alma Flor Ada, Professor Emerita at the University of San Francisco, has devoted her life to advocacy for peace by promoting a pedagogy oriented to personal realization and social justice.

A former Radcliffe Scholar at Harvard University and Fulbright Research Scholar she is an internationally re-known speaker.

Her professional books for educators, include: A Magical Encounter: Latino Children's Literature in the Classroom and, co-authored with F. Isabel Campoy: Authors in the Classroom: A Transformative Education Process, Initial Spanish Literacy: Strategies for Young Learners and Está linda la mar: Para comprender y usar la poesia en la clase.



#### DR. ISABEL CAMPOY

F. Isabel Campoy is the author of numerous children's books in the areas of poetry, theatre, stories, biographies, and art. As a researcher she has published

extensively bringing to the curriculum an awareness of the richness of the Hispanic culture. She is an educator specialized in the area of literacy and home school interaction, topics on which she lecturers nationally. An internationally recognized scholar devoted to the study of language acquisition, a field in which she started publishing in 1973 after obtaining her degree in English Philology from Universidad Complutense in Madrid, Spain; and post graduate work in Reading University in England, and UCLA in the United States.

Her many accolades include ALA Notables, the San Francisco Library Award, the Reading the World Award from the University of San Francisco, the NABE Ramón Santiago Award, the International Latino Children's Book Award, and nine Junior Library Guild selections. She is a member of the North American Academy of Spanish Language. Purchase Order Policy: We are aware that some school districts use POs as a form of payment, and we are happy to work with you. However please note that this will be a holding payment and we do expect a final form of payment such as a Check or Credit Card payment applied to each Registrant by the payment deadline of 11/16/2020. If you are aware that your district uses POs please continue following up with your district finance person until you know for sure a check has been sent or submitted.

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