

Please make travel arrangements to allow you to arrive and register on Sunday and stay through closing on either Wed. or Friday—we will start promptly on Monday morning!

(If you register for credit or to receive contact hours, you must complete all contact hours.)

*Breakfast and lunch each day is included in your Summer Institute registration—you're on your own for dinner!*

**Sunday, July 15 (1:00pm-5:00pm)** — Registration for all participants

*Evening Reception (5:00pm-7:00pm)* — *Opening Welcome at 5:00* and then spend some informal time with Michael, Kathy, Kelley, Institute faculty, staff and fellow participants. If your family is traveling with you, they are welcome to attend the reception!

**Monday, July 16 (8:00am-4:00pm) - Welcome!**

8:15: *The Human Brain 101: How Much Do You Know??*

AM: Michael Gurian and Kathy Stevens: *Understanding the Minds of Boys & Girls*

PM: *How To Engage Boys and Girls in Their Literacy Learning* with Jeffrey Wilhelm, Ph.D.

5:30: *An Informal Session with Michael Gurian*: Q&A and light refreshment will cap off this first day

**Tuesday, July 17 (8:00am—4:00pm)**

AM: *It's A Boy!* with Michael Thompson, PhD.

PM Sessions: (T-1) *Strategies for Teaching Boys & Girls—Part One: Participants will choose one age-level session*  
*Pre-K&K — Elementary — Middle School — High School*

(T-2) *Been There—Done That—Now What ??*

*Advanced session for educators who are working with gender and learning and want more!*

*(This session will be especially appropriate for those who have attended the Institute previously)*

**Wednesday, July 18 (8:00am—4:00pm)**

AM Sessions: (W1) *Strategies for Teaching Boys & Girls—Part Two: Participants will continue age-level session from Tues.*  
*Pre-K&K — Elementary — Middle School — High School*

(W2) *In The Company of Women*

(W3) *Assessing Implementation—Strategies and Tools for Determining How Well Teachers Are Making Classrooms Gender-Friendly*

PM Session: *Down From the Mountain Top—Creating An Action Plan*

Closing: *Are We Leaving No Children Behind?*

*(Complete session descriptions will be available on our website)*

**Gurian Institute Training Consultant Certification**

*Beginning on Thursday, this training is for those who want to become Gurian Institute Certified Trainers. A completed application and deposit must be submitted prior to this session*

**Thursday, July 19 (8:00am—4:00pm)**

*Becoming A Gurian Institute Training Consultant: How It Works*

*The Curriculum: A Day in the Life of a GI Training Consultant*

This session will cover the **curriculum, materials, contracting process**, and all issues relating to becoming a Gurian Institute Certified Training Consultant. Applicants may certify in more than one area (education, parenting, human services).

**Friday, July 20 (9:00 am—2:00pm)**

*Modeling the Curriculum*: Trainer applicants will make a short presentation for staff and colleagues. This session helps the Gurian Institute determine applicants' level of skill presenting, rapport with an audience, and appropriate apprenticeship requirements. GI Staff will be available following the close of this session to answer questions, process applications, etc.

There will be a Bookstore available during the Institute where you may purchase a variety of books, DVDs, and other Institute products. We accept cash, checks, money orders and VISA/MC/DISC.