

# 2005 Georgia ASCD Annual Conference February 3-4, 2005

### "Voices of Education: Unleashing the Power, Passion, and Promise" The Ritz Carlton Lodge Reynolds Plantation

The Georgia Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development invites you to attend our Annual Conference scheduled February 3-4, 2005. We are excited about this year's conference, which promises to be engaging, interactive, and content appropriate as we present nationally known educator,

## Dr. Kay Burke Creating Performance Task Units Correlated to Georgia Standards

Dr. Burke will demonstrate how teams of educators (K-12), administrators and staff developers can work together to develop Performance Task Units that cluster the new Georgia Performance Standards, target important curriculum goals, and motivate students to learn. Learn how to write engaging performance tasks, develop criteria checklists using specific vocabulary from the Georgia standards, then convert the checklists into valid analytical rubrics that provide valuable feedback to students, teachers, and parents. Discover how to organize teams of teachers at schools to work together to teach for understanding and create consistent evaluations that provide accurate grades and stimulate meaningful conversations about student learning. Teachers can work collaboratively to examine student work and decide how to modify and differentiate their instruction to help all students in Georgia meet or exceed standards.

Participants in this workshop will learn how to:

- Write meaningful performance tasks;
- Develop criteria checklists correlated to Georgia Performance Standards;
- Create valid analytical rubrics to evaluate student work;
- Implement a school-wide program to develop assessment literacy;
- Bond and network with fellow ASCD Members

Dr. Kay Burke, continued

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Kay Burke's educational experience includes teaching Language Arts and serving as the Department Chairperson at Redan High School in DeKalb County in the 1980's as well as serving as assistant principal for instruction at Tucker High School. She was DeKalb County's Teacher of the Year in 1984 as well as a semi-finalist for Georgia Teacher of the Year. Kay also served as the Director of a Field-Based Master's Degree Program at Saint Xavier University in Illinois and as Senior Vice President of SkyLight Professional Development in the Chicago area. Several of her books are used in undergraduate and graduate education programs. For the past 14 years, Kay has facilitated professional development workshops throughout the United States, Canada, and Australia, delivered keynote addresses, and presented at national conferences such as ASCD, NSCD, NASSP, and NMSA. Kay has recently moved back to Georgia and is working with several school systems to align their assessments to the new Georgia Performance Standards.

Dr. Burke has written books and developed training programs in the areas of classroom management, performance assessment, mentoring, and student, teacher and administrator portfolios. Her best selling books include *How to Assess Authentic Learning*, 3<sup>rd</sup>, ed.; *What to do with the kid who: Developing Cooperation, Self-Discipline and Responsibility in the Classroom,* 2<sup>nd</sup> ed.; *Designing Professional Portfolios for Change; The Portfolio Connection: Student Work Linked to Standards,* 2<sup>nd</sup>. ed.; *Mentoring Guidebook Level I: Starting the Journey;* and *Mentoring Guidebook Level II: Exploring Teaching Strategies,* all published by LessonLab, a Pearson Education Company. She has also written *Performance Assessment: Evidence of Learning* published by Robin Fogarty and Associates and *Examining Student Work: Rubrics Linked to Standards* currently in press with Corwin Press, Inc.

#### Conference Schedule:

<u>Thursday, February 3, 2005</u>	
7:15 a.m.	Registration
7:15 - 8:00 a.m.	. Continental Breakfast
8:00 - 9:30 a.m.	. Presenter – Dr. Kay Burke
	The Georgia Performance Standards and
	Examining Student Work:
	From Rubrics to Portfolios
9:30 - 10:00 a.m.	Break
	Visit Exhibitors, Network
10:00 - 11:30 a.m	. General Session (continued)
11:30 a.m 12:30 p.m	Plated Luncheon
	Grimsley Lecturer
12:30 p.m 12:45 p.m	Break
12:45 - 2:00 p.m	
2:00 - 3:00 p.m	Break
	Visit Exhibitors, Network
3:00 - 4:00 p.m	
4:00 - 5:00 p.m	Business Meeting
Dinner on your own	-

Friday, February 4, 2005

7:00 - 8:00 a.m.	. Continental Breakfast
8:00 - 11:30 a.m.	.Dr. Kay Burke
9:30 - 10:00 a.m.	-
11:30 a.m 12:00 p.m	. Closing and Evaluation

**Conference Site: The** Ritz Carlton Lodge at Reynolds Plantation is located at One Lake Oconee Trail, Greensboro, Georgia. Call 706-467-0600 before January 4, 2005 to reserve an overnight room at the special GASCD conference rate of \$120.

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### **Registration Form**

Please return completed form to:	Registration Fees: Please check all that apply:	
Georgia ASCD Conference Susan Hertwig Fulton County Schools 3121 Norman Berry Drive East Point, GA 30344. Phone: (404) 669-8090 x138 FAX: (404) 669-8096	Georgia ASCD Member <u>Conference Registration</u> Mailed by December 9, 2004\$175.00 Mailed after December 9, 2004\$185.00 Onsite Registration\$200.00	
Hertwig@fulton.k12.ga.us	Non-Member <u>Conference Registration</u> Mailed by December 9, 2004\$220.00    Mailed after December 9, 2004\$230.00	
Name - Please print or type	Onsite Registration \$245.00	
Preferred name for name badge	Method of Payment to Guarantee Registration: Check (made payable to Georgia ASCD) Payment being processed (purchase order must accompany registration)	
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Business mailing address OR Check here if home address Home Phone	Registration fees include two continental breakfasts, one luncheon, all breaks, conference fees, and materials. Travel expenses and lodging are the responsibility of the participant.	
Work Phone	<b>Cancellation Policy</b> : No refunds will be issued. If circumstances prevent the registered participant from attending, please send a substitute.	
Email address	Inclement Weather: The Conference will be cancelled due to inclement weather only if	
Position Organization/Employer	Oconee County Schools are closed.	

### Mission of Georgia ASCD: To be a community of educators advancing teaching, learning, and leadership to improve education for all.