



2009 Indiana Conference on Learning

Raising the Bar • Meeting the Challenge

February 3, 2009
Adams Mark Hotel – Airport
Indianapolis, Indiana

KEYNOTE PRESENTERS



The Honorable Mitch Daniels
 Governor, State of Indiana
 (invited)



Dr. Tony Bennett
 Ind. Supt. of Public Instruction -
 Elect

- 8:00 Registration / Continental Breakfast**
- 9:00 General Session**
 Welcome Sue Reynolds, ASAI Executive Director
 Keynote **Dr. Tony Bennett**
 Indiana Supt. of Public Instruction – Elect
- 10:30 Breakout Session 1**
- 11:30 Breakout Session 2**
- 12:30 Celebration Luncheon**
 Presentation InSAI Top Gainer Awards
 Keynote **The Honorable Mitch Daniels**
 Governor, State of Indiana (invited)
- 2:15 Breakout Session 3**
- 3:15 Breakout Session 4**
- 4:05 Close**

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K-12 Conference Strands

- High Expectations for Rigor
- Rigorous Curriculum
- Student Engagement
- Classroom Assessments to Inform Instruction
- Extra Help / Time
- Student Guidance
- Learning Environment

Best Practices

- Title I
- Academic Content Areas
- Reaching Them All – Differentiated Instruction
- Middle School to High School Transition
- Building the Capacity of Middle School Students for AP Success
- Expanding AP Enrollment and Performance in the High School
- Closing Gaps – Special Ed., Minority, and Low-Income Students

Exhibits

25 exhibitors featuring educational services and materials

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Conference Fee	Register Before January 20	Register After January 20
	\$65	\$75

Why Attend?

Defining Academic Rigor: In August 2008, the Indiana State Board of Education determined that all schools (K-12) must include strategies to encourage students' success in a rigorous curriculum in their PL221 School Improvement Plans. The Indiana Conference on Learning will help elementary, middle and high school educators reconsider the definition of "academic rigor" in a global economy.

Promoting Academic Rigor: The Indiana Conference on Learning includes over sixty breakout sessions that feature educators (principals, teachers, counselors) from Indiana schools. These educators will present practical strategies used in their schools, classrooms and communities to strengthen areas known to promote academic rigor.

Indiana Student Achievement Institute

The Indiana Student Achievement Institute (InSAI) is a non-profit organization that assists schools with the process of school improvement for the purpose of raising student achievement and closing achievement gaps. InSAI has been doing the work of school improvement since 1996 and has assisted over 398 elementary, middle, and high schools in Indiana with designing and successfully implementing sound improvement plans.

Additional Information

Additional information may be found on the conference website at www.asainstitute.org/conference2009