

Accommodations: (please circle)

Dietary

ASL Interpreter

Wheelchair access

### Conference Costs:

Professional	\$55.00
Family Member	\$35.00
Student/Young Adult	\$20.00

\*A limited number of family and student/young adult scholarships are available.

Scholarships are based on financial need.

Send your registration and payment by mail. Checks payable to: Institute for Innovative Transition **REGISTRATION DEADLINE: JULY 11, 2011**

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**Please note:** Checks accompanied with a registration form will be the only method of payment accepted. POs will not be accepted. E-mail or phone in registrations will not be accepted. Thanks for your cooperation.

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## In Pursuit of Competitive Employment: Project SEARCH™ and Think College NY!

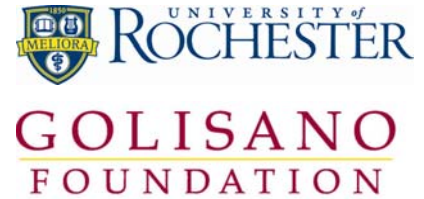
July 21, 2011



RTT Inn and Conference Center  
5257 W. Henrietta Road  
Henrietta, NY 14467

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# Summer Institute Agenda — July 21, 2011

**7:45 a.m. – 8:45 a.m.**

**Registration:** Registration and opportunity for professional networking. Coffee and water will be available.

**8:45 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.**

**Welcome:** Opening remarks by Martha Mock, Director, Institute for Innovative Transition at the University of Rochester

**9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.**

**Project SEARCH™: A Partnership Between Business and Education to Prepare Youth with Disabilities for Employment**

**Featured Speaker: Susie Rutkowski,** Co-Director, Project SEARCH™, Division of Disability Services, Cincinnati Children's Hospital

**10:15 a.m. – 11:15 a.m.**

**Think College: The Nexus of Employment, Learning and Life**

**Featured Speaker: Meg Grigal, PhD.,** from Think College, Institute for Community Inclusion, located at UMass Boston, Co-Principal Investigator on the Office of Postsecondary Education funded, National Coordinating Center

**11:15 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.**

**Lunch:** Lunch is provided as part of conference registration

**Afternoon Breakout Sessions:** Information sharing and networking offered on a variety of topics. Workshop selection will occur on-site.

**Session 1: 12:15 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.**

**Session 2: 1:45 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.**

**Session 3: 3:15 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.**

**Topics Include:**

**Post-secondary Education:**

- Think College NY! and TPSID Highlights
- Integrating Employment into the Post-secondary Education Experience
- Campus-based Program Partnerships
- Supporting College Students with Aspergers
- Universal Design for Learning on a College Campus

**Project SEARCH™:**

- Project SEARCH™ Highlights
- A Day in the Life of a Project SEARCH™ Student (student presentation)
- Project SEARCH™ Parent Panel
- Supporting Students with Significant Disabilities in a Transition-to-Work Program
- The Role of Classroom Instruction in Preparing Students for the Workforce

**Other Transition Topics:**

- Preparing for Life After High School
- Working with Families to Improve Competitive Employment Outcomes
- ACCESS-VR and OPWDD: Providing Supports for Success in Employment

## Attendee Registration Form

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Title: (please check)  
 Administration     Paraprofessional     Related Service Professional  
 Teacher     Parent     Community Agency Partner  
 Transition Specialist     Student/Young Adult     Other