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2016 Annual Conference

Career Counseling Best Practices in the Asia Pacific Region:

Promoting Inclusiveness

May 18 - 22, 2016

Taipei, Taiwan

12 CEU Clock Hours Available

APCDA invites you to attend this international conference where all presentations will be in English. The audience will consist of delegates from many Asian countries as well as elsewhere. This conference provides opportunities for networking, sharing among practitioners, and identifying new resources. Breakout sessions will be divided into four tracks:

- Serving School Populations (K-12)
- Serving College Students
- Serving Working or Job Seeking Adults
- Research on Career Issues

The audience will include career and school counselors, counselor educators, workforce development professionals, human resource professionals, and career development practitioners at all age levels and in all settings (school, college and university, government, military, business, agency, corrections, and private practice). Some assistance with translation will be provided, but delegates are encouraged to bring their own translators.

Keynote Speakers:

Multicultural and Gender Issues in Career Counseling

Y. Barry Chung, Ph.D., is a professor at Indiana University, past president of the National Career Development Association, and past president of the Society of Counseling Psychology

The Wisdom of Traditional Eastern Cultures

Shuh-Ren Jin, Ph.D., professor at Macau University, and past-president of the Chinese Counseling and Guidance Association in Taiwan.

Hope Centered Career Development in Action

Spencer G. Niles, Ph.D., is Dean and Professor at the School of Education at the College of William & Mary and a past president of the National Career Development Association.

Optional Professional Development Institutes

Conference presentations provide a quick update, but for a more in-depth learning experience, register for one or both of these institutes where you will have the time to really learn the skills and content covered. Each costs $100 in addition to the conference registration.

Wednesday, 2 – 5 PM: International Skills for Career Advancement by *Y Barry Chung*

As the world of work becomes more globalized every day, workers face significant challenges when they engage in international work and collaborations with international colleagues. This workshop provides a worldview conceptual framework to help attendees understand cultural differences and how to manage cultural differences in order to be successful in their international work. Participants will learn more about their own worldview and practical skill building using case studies. Learning from this workshop will enhance participants' international career advancement, as well as their ability to help their clients obtain international work skills.

Saturday, 1 – 4 PM: Hope-Centered Model of Career Development *by Spencer G Niles*

In this workshop you will learn to use the Hope-Centered Model of Career Development (HCMCD) to promote the career self-management of individuals as they encounter challenges and opportunities (both planned and unplanned) across the lifespan. HCMCD focuses on career adaptability in order to respond effectively to new information about oneself and/or one's changing situations. Important attitudes and behaviors needed in this life-long process include: a) hope, b) self-reflection, c) self-clarity, d) visioning, e) goal setting/planning, and f) implementing/adapting. In HCMCD, hope incorporates agency thinking, pathways thinking, and goals, while self-reflection and self-clarity initiate a process to vision future career possibilities, set goals, implement plans, and adapt to new roles as required. You will also learn about *the Career Flow Index* (CFI; Niles, Yoon, & Amundson, 2010), which assesses degree of hope through specifically measuring the six hope-centered career development competencies. Case discussions will illustrate the counseling process related to the unique circumstances and needs of the client.

Optional Tours

1. On Wednesday, we will offer a tour to Taipei Kai Ping Culinary School, the second largest culinary institution in Taiwan. It includes a Chinese restaurant, a Western restaurant, and a Bakery. After watching these students practice their craft, we will enjoy a lunch they have cooked for us.
2. On Sunday, after the conference, you are invited to tour the Palace Museum with an English-speaking guide, dine at the elegant Silks Palace, and visit the former home of Chiang Kai-Shek.

Conference Registration

	Until February 29	Before April 18	April 19 and after
Professional Member *	$350	$370	$400
Professional Non-Member	$370	$390	$420
Student/Retired Member or Presenter *	$280	$300	$320
Student/Retired Non-Member	$300	$320	$340
Vendor Table	$530	$550	$580
Optional Career Tours (Wednesday)	$75	$75	N/A
Optional Palace Museum Tour (Sunday)	$75	$75	N/A
Optional Professional Development Institutes (each)	$100	$100	$100

CEU Clock Hours Available

Our annual conference is an opportunity for networking, professional development, and to earn 12 CEU Clock Hours from the US NBCC.

Schedule

Wednesday, May18	9 AM – 2 PM	Optional Vocational Center Tour and lunch
	2 – 5 PM	Optional Professional Development Institute
Thursday, May 19	8:30 - 9:30	Registration
	9:30 - 12:00 PM	Keynote and Breakout Sessions
	Noon – 2 PM	Lunch (included in registration fee)
	2 PM - 6 PM	Breakout Sessions
	6 PM – 7:30 PM	Reception (included in registration fee)
Friday, May 20	9 AM – Noon	Keynote and Breakout Sessions
	Noon – 2 PM	Lunch (included in registration fee)
	2 PM – 5 PM	Breakout Sessions
	5 PM – 6 PM	Annual Meeting
Saturday, May 21	9 AM– Noon	Keynote and Breakout Sessions
	1 PM – 4 PM	Optional Professional Development Institute
Sunday, May 22	9 – 5	Optional Palace Museum Tour and lunch

Please visit our website for more information.

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