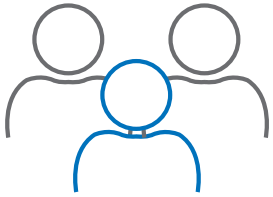


The University of Kansas Center for Research on Learning presents
Instructional Coaching Conference



THIRD ANNUAL INSTRUCTIONAL COACHING CONFERENCE: PERSPECTIVES ON COACHING

October 13–15, 2008 • Eldridge Hotel, Lawrence, KS

This year's instructional coaching conference will be a three-day event celebrating *Perspectives on Coaching* a new book edited by Jim Knight and to be released at the conference. *Perspectives on Coaching* contains chapters written by a veritable "who's who" of leaders in the fields of coaching research and study providing their perspectives on what coaching is and what it can be. Almost all of the authors of *Perspectives on Coaching* plan to present at this year's conference.

Among those scheduled to present are the following:

Cathy Toll on Literacy Coaching
Carolee Hayes on Cognitive Coaching
Joellen Killion on the Roles of Coaches
Randy Sprick, Wendy Reinke, and Jim Knight, Coaching Classroom Management
Jane Kise, Differentiated Coaching
Karla Reiss, Leadership Coaching
Lucy West, Content-Focused Coaching
Jim Knight, Instructional Coaching
Jake Cornett and Jim Knight, Research on Coaching

In addition to presentations by all the authors, this year's conference will feature many of the learning experiences we have offered in the past, including Open Space Dialogues, Lightning Round (6 minute presentations by practitioners with cool new ideas), panel discussions, and other opportunities for sharing and learning.

Also, as has taken place in the past, this year's conference will be held at Liberty Hall and the historical Eldridge Hotel in downtown Lawrence. If you are interested in staying at the Eldridge, we strongly advise that you make your reservations soon.

The fee for the conference is \$450.00 per participant, and each participant will receive a copy of *Perspectives on Coaching*. All profit generated from the conference supports ongoing research on coaching completed through the Kansas Coaching Project at the University of Kansas Center for Research on Learning.

All in all, we are very excited about this year's conference, and we hope to see you in October. If you have any questions regarding the conference, please feel free to contact Carol Hatton at chatton@ku.edu.