

REGISTRATION INFORMATION

Registration forms should be received by February 24 to avoid late charges. If payment is not included, a copy of the purchase order or check request will be accepted.

All sessions will be eligible for NBCC credit as well as licensure renewal credit in South Carolina.

All conference sessions will be held in Piedmont Technical College's Conference Center on the Lex Walters Campus in Greenwood. Registrants will receive a map of the area with directions to the campus. Please indicate on the registration form if special accommodations are required.

Business Casual Attire

For more information: Contact David Rosenbaum at (864) 941-8377 or rosenbaum.d@ptc.edu or Becky McIntosh at (864) 941-8358 or mcintosh.b@ptc.edu.

For registration questions: Contact Carolyn Kelley at (864) 941-8359 or kelley.c@ptc.edu.

Return this form to the address below or register online at www.ptc.edu/sdconf.

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REGISTRATION FORM

Name: _____ FIRST _____ LAST _____

Email: _____

Title: _____ (AS YOU WISH IT TO APPEAR ON YOUR NAME TAG)

Institution: _____

Address: _____
STREET _____ CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

Phone #: _____

Special Accommodations: _____

Fees Due: \$95 by February 24
 \$105 after February 24
 \$85 for presenters

Payment: Check payable to PTC
 PO or Check Request (copy enclosed)
 VISA, MasterCard or Discover Card (information below)

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SPECIAL PRICE BREAK
Send 3 registrations and get the 4th one FREE!

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NEW DIRECTIONS IN STUDENT DEVELOPMENT

FEATURING JOHN N. GARDNER,
*of the National Resource Center for The First-Year Experience
and Students in Transition*

March 8-9, 2012

Conference Center
Piedmont Technical College
Greenwood, South Carolina

The New Directions in Student Development Conference is a professional development program for practitioners of all levels in the field of Student Development from two-year community and technical colleges in the five state region.

Endorsed by the National Council of Student Development, an affiliate of the American Association of Community Colleges

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CONFERENCE AGENDA

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 7

5:00-7:00 Early Registration Begins at Marriott Fairfield Inn & Suites

5:30-7:00 PM Pre-Conference Social at Marriott Fairfield Inn & Suites 527 SC 72 Bypass, Greenwood, SC

THURSDAY, MARCH 8

8:00 AM Registration Begins
9:00 - 9:15 Welcome
9:15-10:15 Keynote Address
10:30-12:00 PM Concurrent Session A
12:00-1:00 Catered Lunch
1:15-2:15 Concurrent Session B
2:30-3:30 Concurrent Session C
3:30-3:45 Snack Break
3:45-4:45 Concurrent Session D
5:15-6:30 Business After Hours at Fairfield Inn

FRIDAY, MARCH 9

8:45-9:45 AM Concurrent Session E
10:00-11:30 Concurrent Session F
11:30-12:30 PM Wrap-Up & Boxed Lunch

TRAVEL INFORMATION

Ground: Greenwood is located in Upstate South Carolina, midway between Greenville and Columbia, where Highway 25 intersects Highway 72.

Air: Fly into Greenville-Spartanburg airport. Drive I-85 S to Exit 46 and follow the signs approximately 50 miles to Greenwood.

Piedmont Technical College will gladly provide transportation from and to the airport. Just contact **Carolyn Kelley** at (864) 941-8359.

HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS: MARCH 7 & 8, 2012

Hotel arrangements must be made separately from the conference registration. Our primary conference hotel this year will be the Marriott Fairfield Inn & Suites. Rooms are on reserve at the hotels listed below until February 17. When making reservations, state that you are attending the Piedmont Technical College Student Development Conference and the correct code. **Please make your reservations early, as rooms are limited.**

Marriott Fairfield Inn & Suites

Rate: \$92 + tax
Use code: **SSD**
Amenities include an indoor pool/spa, fitness room, high-speed internet, and continental breakfast.
Call (864) 330-3300 for reservations.

Hampton Inn

Rate: \$99 + tax
Use code: **PTC**
Amenities include high-speed internet, Business Center, and continental and hot breakfast.
Call (864) 388-9595 for reservations.

Holiday Inn Express

Rate: \$99 + tax
Use code: **SDC**
Amenities include a fitness room, Business Center, high-speed internet, and continental breakfast.
Call (864) 223-2296 for reservations.

2012 CONCURRENT SESSIONS INCLUDE:

Academic Coaching Program, Dot Mishoe (Trident Technical College)

Mandating Orientation as a Part of the Enrollment Process: One College's Journey and Experience, Berta Keene, Tim Kelly, Chuck Morton & Deborah Sears (Greenville Technical College)

Leadership Training for Non-traditional Students, Ashley Faubion (Technical College of the Lowcountry)

A Piece of the Puzzle: The First Year, Pleshette Elmore & Donna Foster (Piedmont Technical College)

ENOUGH! - Addressing the Challenges of Student Incivility, Rodney Adams (Technical College of the Lowcountry)

Pitfalls, Hurdles, & Triumphs: Building a Viable Online Career Center, Sarah Trice & Janet Walker (Midlands Technical College)

The Art of MENTorship, Justin Thompson (Midlands Technical College)

Implementation of LEAN Practices in Student Development, Cindy Klauck & Janean Reish (Piedmont Technical College)

KEYNOTE PRESENTATION: JOHN N. GARDNER



John N. Gardner is an educator, university professor and administrator, author, public speaker, consultant, first-year students' advocate, and initiator and scholar of the American first-year reform movements.

He serves as the President of the John N. Gardner Institute for Excellence in Undergraduate Education. The Institute, based in Brevard, N.C., was founded by John and his wife, Dr. Betsy O. Barefoot, in October 1999 as the Policy Center on the First Year of College.

John is also the Senior Fellow of the National Resource Center for The First-Year Experience and Students in Transition, and Distinguished Professor Emeritus of Library and Information Science at the University of South Carolina.

A Conversation and Next Steps, John Gardner (John N. Gardner Institute for Excellence in Undergraduate Education)

Satellite Campuses – Survival of the Fittest! Allison Jeffords (Central Carolina Technical College)

Occupational Stress – Y'all Gon' Make Me Lose My Mind... Up In Here... Up In Here, Janice Lyle (Technical College of the Lowcountry)

The Role of a Licensed Professional Counselor (LPC) in Higher Learning, Catreace Brown-Baker (Technical College of the Lowcountry)

Engage Assessment — Standardized Tests don't tell all: A look at non-cognitive factors for students' success and retention, Frank Potter (ACT)

Minimizing the Risk, Russ Bumba (SC Technical College System)

Ready, AIM, Enroll, Becky McIntosh & AIM Coaches (Piedmont Technical College)