



GAD is offering an ASL workshop for credit at our own GAD 2007 Conference in Georgia's First City, Savannah!

Georgia Association of the Deaf

Target Audience: This workshop is designed for Advanced Sign Language Students, Interpreting Training Program students, Interpreters, ASL Teachers, Deaf ASL users, and Professionals/Educators in Deaf Education wishing to learn more about ASL Linguistics

Workshop Abstract: This workshop will provide you with the basics of American Sign Language linguistics through lectures, activities and group discussions presented in American Sign Language. This workshop will cover the meaning of language and linguistics; the rules of language from phonology, morphology, syntax to discourse; including the symbols of language, categories of language users and changes that naturally occurs with languages.

Presenter: Brenda Liebman Aron (biography at bottom)

When: This 10 hours workshop will be divided into two days, on Wednesday, July 18th, 2007 from 2:30 – 9 P.M. with a one hour and a half dinner break from 6 pm -7:30 pm and on Thursday, July 19th, 2007 from 8:30 to 3 PM with a one hour and a half lunch break from 11:30 to 1:00 pm. Lunch will be on your own. Participants will be offered the opportunity to receive 10 hours CEU for this workshop. There will be interpreters to voice during this workshop. Registration will begin thirty minutes before the published “start” time.

Where: Register in the lobby next to the Grand Ballroom entrance
Savannah DeSoto
15 East Liberty Street
Savannah, GA 31401
(http://www.gadeaf.org/conf_hotel.html)

Cost: **Early-bird Special!**
If your registration is postmarked by March 1, 2007
GAD Non-member/General – \$55
GAD Members/Students - \$45
If postmarked after March 1, 2007
GAD Non-member/General – \$70
GAD Members/Students - \$60
This is separate from the GAD Conference Combo package
RID CEU/ACET: 1.0 Professional Studies



All registrants who desire CEUs, please add \$5.00 for this workshop

Cancellation Policy: Refunds will be given if notified before March 1, 2007. However; after March 1, 2007 – requests for refunds will be denied. This is our cancellation policy for the workshop provided at our GAD Conference. By registering for the workshop, you are agreeing to the cancellation policy.

Get Into Linguistics - The ASL Way!

A Short Bio About Brenda Liebman Aron

Brenda Liebman Aron was born into a Deaf family, the fourth of all daughters in Brooklyn, New York. As for Brenda's educational experience, she attended P.S. 47, an oral school, after that, she was the sole Deaf girl in a public school for four years. For her high school years, Brenda attended Fanwood, in White Plains, N.Y. Brenda graduated from Gallaudet University with a B.A. in English and later received her Masters in Teaching American Sign Language from Western Maryland College (now called McDaniel College).

Brenda is married to a wonderful man named Len and the proud mother of two young ladies named Marisa and Shauna. Brenda has been grateful that she has had the opportunity to garner over 25 years' experience in a variety of jobs teaching ASL. She has taught in a non-credit, for credit community college, college, in Deaf schools and public high school for hearing students. Brenda also enjoyed honing and sharing her craft in teaching ASL in lectures and workshops.

Brenda is presently living in Atlanta, Georgia and involved in several different projects. She is teaching at Georgia Perimeter College, working with families with Deaf babies as a Deaf mentor, signing ASL stories for a project at Atlanta Area School for the Deaf. Check out <http://www.aasdweb.com/CATS/>. Brenda was the past President and still actively involved with Georgia American Sign Language Teachers' Association.

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