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CONFERENCE OVERVIEW

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 27

All Thursday activities are at the Hilton Pasadena.

9:00am–4:00pm
Pre-Conference Institute (earn PDUs)
Additional fees.

6:00pm–8:00pm
Registration Material Pick-up
If you registered in advance, this is a convenient opportunity to pick up your registration materials.

6:00pm–8:00pm
Meet ‘n’ Mingle
No-host opportunity to jumpstart your networking.

6:30pm–8:00pm
Movie Night: Wartorn (.5 PDU)
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Note to moviegoers: This movie will set the stage for OT Army veteran Erik Johnson’s impassioned Sunday morning breakfast keynote and his Sunday session. Rating: Not rated/graphic

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 28

7:00am–7:30am
Mind-Body Activity: Gentle Yoga

8:30am–11:30am
Concurrent Sessions (earn PDUs)

11:30am–1:00pm
CFOT Awards Luncheon and Symposium (.5 PDU) $50; $35/$10 Students

1:00pm–3:00pm
Concurrent Sessions (earn PDUs)

3:15pm–5:15pm
Awards Ceremony and Keynote Address (.5 PDU)
Featuring AOTA President Amy Lamb, OTD, OTR/L (MI), FAOTA

5:15pm–7:15pm
Exhibit Hall Grand Opening Reception

7:30pm–9:00pm
Alumni and Student Receptions

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 29

6:45am–7:30am
Mind-Body Activity: Fun Run/Walk

8:30am–11:30am
Concurrent Sessions (earn PDUs)

11:30am–2:30pm
Exhibit Hall Activities, including Poster Presentations (earn PDUs)

2:30pm–5:30pm
Concurrent Sessions (earn PDUs)

5:45pm–7:00pm
OTAC: 40 and Fabulous!
Join us at the annual President’s Reception as we celebrate 40 years of fabulousness. In addition to honoring our proud history, we will look forward to our limitless future. DJ, dance floor, photo booth, food and anniversary toast, and more will add to the festivities. Come help us rock this celebration!

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 30

7:30am–9:15am
OTAC Annual Meeting and Breakfast (.5 PDU)
Featuring “OT Unleashed” Erik Johnson, OTR/L (TX)

9:30am–12:30pm
Concurrent Sessions (earn PDUs)

12:30pm–1:15pm
OTAC Practice Café/Lunch $18

1:30pm–4:30pm
Concurrent Sessions (earn PDUs)

Changes to the Program Schedule

Please note these changes to the program schedule from previous years.

Friday, October 28
The Awards Ceremony will precede the Keynote Address. The timing for these two events is still 3:15pm–5:15pm, at which time we will all proceed to the Exhibit Hall Grand Opening Reception. Don’t miss our keynote presenter AOTA President Amy Lamb, OTD, OTR/L (MI), FAOTA.

Sunday, October 30
The OTAC Annual Meeting is now a breakfast meeting from 7:30am–9:15am. Lunch is from 12:30pm–1:30pm. Our Sunday breakfast keynote presenter, Erik Johnson, OTR/L (TX), will help kickstart your day.

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OTAC ANNUAL CONFERENCE

A Premier Professional Development Conference—Earn Professional Development Units

OTAC’s Annual Conference offers high quality continuing education at cost-effective prices. Conference attendees have the opportunity to select from more than 140 hours of sessions to apply towards continuing education requirements. You can earn all 24 biennial required PDUs for your California license renewal all at this one Conference (includes additional fee activities). You won’t find an easier, quicker, or more cost-effective way to earn PDUs required by CBOT (for direct-delivery of occupational therapy services) and by NBCOT (for practice area of emphasis). We recommend that you register early for Conference to ensure acceptance into your preferred sessions.

OTAC members receive a discount on the Conference registration fees. If you are not a member, join now at special Conference rates to earn the Conference discount.

CONFERENCE DISCOUNTED EARLY BIRD REGISTRATION SPECIALS!

- Attend all three days (October 28–30) for only $309! Must register by September 6, 2016 for this rate.
- OTAC Student Members: check out student reduced fees. Must pre-register for best rate!

2016 Deadlines to Remember

- September 6: Discounted Early Bird Registration Special deadline. (BEST VALUE!)
- September 7: Registration rates increase by $60 ($309 + $60 = $369).
- October 13: Cut-off date for hotel reservations. Room block may sell out before this date; make your reservation today.
- October 13: Advanced Conference registration closes at 8:59pm. After this date/time you must register at the event. Onsite fees at the Conference increase by $90 ($309 + $90 = $399).
- Special meal and needs requests deadline. You must register and submit your requests in writing by this date in our efforts to accommodate you. Cut-off date for Workplace Colleague discount.

Important Notes

2016 Certificate Policy and PDU Credits

- **Individual Session Tickets.** When you check in at the Conference Registration Counter, you will receive a blue ticket imprinted with your name on it for every session and activity for which you are registered. The room monitor will collect the tickets as you enter every session and activity room. If the room monitor does not collect your ticket, please seek him/her out. These tickets are maintained at the OTAC office as verification of your attendance in the event of a CBOT audit.

- **Certificate of Completion.** When you check in at the Conference Registration Counter, OT/OTAs will receive a Certificate of Completion form. Fill in the appropriate information for every session you attend. At the conclusion of your attendance at the Conference, submit the **white copy** of the Certificate of Completion form at the OTAC Conference Registration Counter. Keep the **yellow copy** for your own records. OTAC will keep an electronic version on file along with the blue tickets for each session as verification in the event of an audit. **Sponsor: Stanbridge College**

- **To earn a Certificate of Completion, attendance is required.** Please arrive on time to the sessions and don’t depart early. Your Certificate should reflect actual number of hours attended. Note: CBOT defines one PDU as one hour of instruction.

- **myotlicense.** PDUs for OTAC members and subscribers will be entered into your myotlicense record by December 9, 2016.

- **CBOT.** Select PDUs may be used for Advance Practice Approval as indicated. Check with the California Board for Occupational Therapy (CBOT) for details.

- **CHT.** Some sessions may be used to meet recertification requirements. Check with the Hand Therapy Certification Commission (HTCC) for details.

- **NBCOT.** Sessions may be used to meet recertification. Check with the National Board for Certification of Occupational Therapy (NBCOT) for details.

Conference PDUs for OT/OTA practitioners will be entered into the OTAC myotlicense records by December 9, 2016.
**Conference Hotel**

Hilton Pasadena
168 South Los Robles Avenue
Pasadena, CA 91101
(626) 577-1000; toll-free (800) 445-8667

OTAC reserved a block of sleeping rooms at the Conference hotel, Hilton Pasadena. Room rates of $144 are available for Wednesday, October 26 through Sunday, October 30, 2016. When booking your room, please indicate you are attending the OTAC 2016 Annual Conference. The deadline to receive the OTAC special rate is Thursday, October 6, 2016. (Rates and space upon availability.)

**Hotel reservations are now open.** You may reserve your sleeping room online. The link is available on the OTAC website, [www.otaonline.org](http://www.otaonline.org).

The Hilton Pasadena is a short walk from the Pasadena Convention Center, and shops and restaurants, as well as just several blocks from historic Old Pasadena and the Playhouse District. The hotel’s lobby and lounge are contemporary, modern, and welcoming. The Hilton Pasadena also offers a complimentary shuttle within a two-mile radius of the hotel.

We encourage you to stay at the Hilton Pasadena to ensure that OTAC meets its contractual obligations for the sleeping rooms that we have set aside for the attendees. The Association pays a penalty if all the reserved sleeping rooms are not utilized.

**Pasadena Convention Center**

300 E. Green Street, Pasadena, CA 91101

Most of the Annual Conference activities will be held at the Pasadena Convention Center, both in the Conference Building and in the Exhibit and Ballroom Building. See the Conference-at-a-Glance on pages 28 and 29 for the schedule overview and location of activities.

**PARKING**

Hilton Pasadena. If you are staying at the Hilton Pasadena, you may either self park or valet. Valet for event parking is $11 per day and does not include in/out privilege. Overnight valet for hotel guests is available for $21 per overnight stay and does include in/out privileges. An adjacent parking structure is available for parking as well; current pricing is $10 per day and overnight parking is $18 per day. **All prices are subject to change.**

Pasadena Convention Center.


Two entrances: Marengo Avenue to the west and Euclid Avenue to the east between Green Street and Cordova. **All prices are subject to change.**

Additional Parking.

2,500 spaces within a one-block radius.

Note: OTAC does not validate for parking.

**GUEST REGISTRATIONS**

Conference registrants may use Section 4 of the Registration Form on page 31 to pre-register a guest ($55 per person). A Guest Registration includes the Meet ‘n’ Mingle and Movie Night/Thursday, Awards Ceremony & Keynote Address/Friday, Gentle Yoga/Friday, Exhibit Hall Grand Opening Reception/Friday, Fun Run & Walk/Saturday, Exhibit Hall/Saturday, and President’s Reception/Saturday. This is for those attending in a social capacity only. Guests may not be members of OTAC, an OT/OTA practitioner, or enrolled in an occupational therapy program.

Note: Additional meal functions tickets may also be purchased for guests. 2016 Conference Award Honorees should contact the OTAC office about their guests for the Awards program.

**TRANSPORTATION**

- **AIRPORTS**
  - Burbank/Bob Hope Airport (BUR) – 16 miles to Pasadena
    2627 N. Hollywood Way, Burbank, CA 91505
    (818) 840-8840 • [www.bobhopeairport.com](http://www.bobhopeairport.com)
  - Los Angeles International (LAX) – 32 miles to Pasadena
    1 World Way, Los Angeles, CA 90045
    (310) 646-5252 • [www.lawa.org/lax](http://www.lawa.org/lax)
  - Ontario International (ONT) – 37 miles to Pasadena
    2900 E. Airport Drive, Ontario, CA 91761
    (909) 937-2700 • [www.lawa.org/ont](http://www.lawa.org/ont)
  - Long Beach Airport (LGB) – 38 miles to Pasadena
    4100 Donald Douglas Drive, Long Beach, CA 90808
    (562) 570-2600 • [www.lga.org](http://www.lga.org)

- **PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION**
  - Union Station Flyaway
    (866) 435-9529 • [www.lawa.org/flyaway](http://www.lawa.org/flyaway)
  - Nonstop bus service to and from Los Angeles International Airport (LAX) via Union Station in downtown Los Angeles. From Union Station, passengers can ride the Gold Line light rail to Pasadena. Exit Del Mar Station for the Pasadena Convention Center (approximately five blocks). $16 fee/round trip.
  - Foothill Transit Authority
    (800) 743-3463 • [www.foothilltransit.org](http://www.foothilltransit.org)
  - These buses serve the San Gabriel and Pomona valleys. Base fare is $1.25.
  - Pasadena ARTS Bus
    (626) 398-8973 • [www.cityofpasadena.net/transportation](http://www.cityofpasadena.net/transportation)
  - The ARTS buses travel between Old Pasadena, South Lake Avenue, and the Playhouse District. They are easily recognizable by their colorful depictions. Stops are designated throughout the city by a pink triangle marked “ARTS.” Adult fare is 75¢.
  - **SHUTTLE SERVICE**
    - Prime Time Shuttle
      (800) 733-8267 • [www.primetimeshuttle.com](http://www.primetimeshuttle.com)
    - SuperShuttle
      (800) 258-3826 • [www.supershuttle.com](http://www.supershuttle.com)
  - **TAXI SERVICE**
    - City Cab • (888) 248-9222
    - United Taxi • (800) 822-8294
  - **METRO RAIL/METRO BUS SERVICE**
    - Metro Gold Line
      (323) 466-3867 • [www.metro.net](http://www.metro.net)
      [www.cityofpasadena.net/transportation/gold_line](http://www.cityofpasadena.net/transportation/gold_line)
    - The Gold Line is a 13-mile light rail line within the Los Angeles-area Metro Rail network that transports passengers from Pasadena to Union Station in downtown Los Angeles. Take it to connect to other Los Angeles rail lines or Amtrak. Trains operate daily and include six stops in Pasadena. Purchase tickets from self-service ticket vending machines at Metro Rail stations. Cost is $1.75 one way.

**CONFERENCE TIP**

Make your Conference session selections carefully. Many of our sessions fill up in advance of on-site Conference proceedings and may not be available if you attempt to change. In addition, requesting changes to your session selections on-site may lead to long waits in line at the Registration counter.
IN PURSUIT OF THE VISION: PROUD HISTORY. LIMITLESS FUTURE.

Dear Conference Participant:

We look forward to welcoming you back to Pasadena for a grand celebration of our 40th Annual Conference and to kick off the final countdown to the 2017 Tournament of Roses® Parade! Whatever else you may refer to her as—The City of Roses, The Crown City, The ‘Dena—she is a wonderful place to visit to reconnect with colleagues, recharge your professional interests and learning, and to celebrate 40 successful years of our vibrant state association.

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Heather J. Kitching, OTD, OTR/L
President, Occupational Therapy Association of California

KEYNOTE PRESENTERS

4:15pm–5:15pm
Friday, October 28, 2016

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Earn .5 PDU

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Dear Occupational Therapy Practitioners, Educators, Students, Colleagues, and Friends,

On behalf of the Occupational Therapy Association of California (OTAC) and the 2016 Annual Conference Committee, we are honored to invite you to the 40th Annual Conference in Pasadena, California. Our Conference theme this year, “In Pursuit of the Vision: Proud History. Limitless Future,” encourages us to look at the strength of our history and our future opportunities as a profession. We will also be specifically celebrating OTAC being ‘40 and Fabulous.’

Conference highlights include four fab-ulous presentations featuring Lela Lorenz, PhD, OTR/ret, FAOTA (CFOT honored lecturer); Amy Lamb, OTD, OTR/L (MI), FAOTA (AOTA president); Erik Johnson, OTR/L (TX) (@OTunleashed); and Heather J. Kitching, OTD, OTR/L (OTAC president) (see page 23). Another highlight is a three-hour leadership presentation, Transformational and Visionary Leadership in Occupational Therapy, by AOTA President Amy Lamb, OTD, OTR/L (MI), FAOTA, and AOTA Vice President Shawn Phinns, PhD, MS, OTR/L. Pre-conference Institute on Thursday, October 27 will focus on dysphagia, use of the practice framework, private practice, and pediatric feeding. Whether your primary area of practice is working with adults or pediatrics, wellness or management, there are opportunities to broaden your knowledge and stimulate discussion with peers. We are also excited to present the student track this year, which will focus on topics from promoting yourself as a professional to participating in the student NBCOT Bowl.

We are excited to be in Pasadena this year with Rose Parade festivities abounding as OTAC prepares to participate with a float entry in the 2017 Rose Parade in honor of the 100th anniversary of our profession. In recognition of OTAC’s 40th year, please join us for the President’s Reception—40 and Fabulous Anniversary Party! on Saturday evening. We look forward to seeing your pics from the party and the photo booth! And don’t forget to join us for Sunday’s activities. OTAC’s Annual Meeting and Breakfast will be on Sunday morning (your breakfast included in your Sunday registration) featuring keynote ‘OT Unleashed’ Erik Johnson, OTR/L (TX), who will encourage us all to find our greatness. For Sunday lunch, come find a hot topic table discussion to join. Of course, don’t forget not-to-be missed sessions both in the morning and in the afternoon.

We look forward to a Conference filled with learning opportunities, engagement with colleagues, and honoring the profession of occupational therapy as we celebrate OTAC’s 40th year of being fab-ulous!

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**OUR HOST CITY: PASADENA—INSPIRING ENVIRONS**

**Come learn and play in Pasadena!**

From Hubble to Hawking, some of the world’s greatest minds have chosen to live and work in Pasadena. And for good reason. The weather is idyllic. Mountain views and blue skies abound. It’s easy to get to. There is an abundance of arts, architecture, and sophisticated cuisine. This fabled city offers intimate neighborhood allure infused with a new modern energy and metropolitan offerings that make this a fabled destination. Come discover all things Pasadena that blend the city’s storied past with its exciting present.

The splendor and delight of all that is Pasadena can be found at every corner of the city and centrally captured at three distinct and energetic shopping and entertainment districts. Where neighborhood charm is fused with metropolitan sophistication, Pasadena’s streets are alive with shopping, dining, entertainment, and nightlife nirvana.

Pasadena is the ultimate mall without walls—a walkable hub for retail therapy of all varieties, where hidden shopping gems are on every corner. In convenient proximity to all this retail variety, you will find an eclectic selection of dining opportunities to keep you satisfied whatever your mood or culinary taste.

**Old Pasadena:** A bustling urban center with top-rated restaurants, boutiques, exclusive national retailers, and exciting nightlife that filled its Victoria-, Mission Revival-, and Art Deco-era buildings. The 22-block area is listed on the National Register of Historic Places. Visit onecolorado.com

**Playhouse District:** An eclectic mix of antique sellers, museums, bookstores, restaurants, and one-of-a-kind shops—all enhanced with culture and 1920s architecture, it is also on the National Register of Historic Places.

**South Lake Avenue District:** A European-style tree-lined avenue, the South Lake Avenue District is flanked by a mixture of Pasadena institutions like Pie ‘n Burger as well as brand-name stores and restaurants.

**Paseo Colorado:** A luxurious open-air promenade featuring more than 60 street-front shops, an upscale grocery store, and a movie theatre, is located directly across the street from the Pasadena Convention Center. Visit paseocolorado.com

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**DID YOU KNOW?**

Pasadena is the birthplace of Julia Child, as well as the location of the first Trader Joe’s grocery market. No wonder it is a foodie and arts paradise! And in 2015, Sunset magazine declared Pasadena the Best Arts Town of the West in its inaugural Sunset Travel Awards.

**Tours:** You can also take advantage of the five different artpass tours: Grand Pasadena, Mansions, Gardens, Pacific Rim, or Millionaires’ Row. You can mix and match these tours to create your own experience.

**Getting Around:** This cosmopolitan city is easily accessed from Burbank-Glendale-Pasadena, Los Angeles International, Long Beach, and Ontario airports; shuttles, buses, and light rail take you anywhere in the city and the greater Los Angeles area. The Pasadena Convention Center is one half mile from the Gold Line Commuter Rail Station and within walking distance of three bus stops.

**Free Smartphone App:** Plan your day in Pasadena with the free “GoPasadena” smartphone app. Detailed information about museums, shopping, restaurants, performing arts, gardens, movies, architectural tours, sports, popular filming locations, events, and much more are all at your fingertips.

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Thursday, October 27 • 6:30pm–8:00pm
Hilton Pasadena
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Moderator: Karen Duddy, MHA, OTD, OTR/L

CFOT Awards Luncheon and Symposium (.5 PDU) – $50; $35 students/$10 gallery (no lunch)
Friday, October 28 • 11:30am–1:00pm
Pasadena Civic Auditorium/Gold Room
Recipients of the 2016 CFOT scholarships, research grants and awards will be announced, including honoring the CFOT Humanitarian of the Year. Following the presentation of awards, attendees will be treated to a stimulating address by this year’s honored lecturer, Lela Llorens, PhD, OTR/ret, FAOTA, speaking on Implementing Occupations for Healthcare and Wellbeing: A Personal Story.
Note: You may attend this event even if you are not attending any other part of the Conference. Use the Conference Registration Form on page 31 to purchase tickets.

OTAC Awards Ceremony and Keynote Address (.5 PDU)
Friday, October 28 • 3:15pm–5:15pm
Pasadena Convention Center
• OTAC Awards Ceremony: You are invited to help us recognize our 2016 Award honorees who serve with excellence and inspire professional passion.
• Keynote Address: Putting Authenticity in Practice (.5 PDU): Building off her inaugural presidential address, AOTA President Amy Lamb, OTD, OTR/L (MI), FAOTA, will discuss how we can embrace the distinct value of occupational therapy by harnessing the power of authenticity in our daily practice. Participants will explore opportunities to be influencers of change in their practice, education, research, and leadership.
Sponsors: North Coast Medical

Exhibit Hall
Friday, October 28 • 5:15pm–7:15pm
SPECIAL CONFERENCE ACTIVITIES
Saturday, October 29 • 11:30am–2:30pm
Pasadena Convention Center, Exhibit Hall
Don’t miss Friday’s lively Grand Opening Reception sponsored by our exhibitors. This fun and informal atmosphere offers the perfect opportunity to learn about products and services useful to occupational therapy practitioners as well as to talk with representatives who are actively recruiting for their companies. Saturday offers a convenient lunch option for purchase right on the Exhibit Hall floor and an opportunity to meet with any exhibitors you didn’t connect with on Friday. Don’t forget that the Exhibit Hall also offers giveaways and cash prizes. Visit exhibitors to be eligible.

Stop by the OTAC Membership/40th Anniversary Booth—it is the central hub of activity: meet with OTAC leaders, learn about OTAC, win prizes while you learn, and more!
• Meet the 2017 Tournament of Roses’ Royal Court: You are invited to meet, greet, and take a photo with the 2017 Royal Court during the grand opening of the Exhibit Hall, Friday, October 28, 2016 from 5:15pm-7:15pm. The Royal Court is very excited to meet everyone and show support for our 2017 Centennial Float.

Poster Presentations (earn PDUs)
Saturday, October 29 • 11:30am–12:30pm and 1:30pm–2:30pm
Pasadena Convention Center, Exhibit Hall
See pages 26 and 27 for a list of posters; earn PDUs.
Sponsor: Cedars-Sinai Medical Center

Alumni and Student Receptions
Friday, October 28 • 7:30pm–9:30pm
Hilton Pasadena
Celebrate the conclusion of the first day of learning with these networking opportunities. The Alumni and Student Receptions are always a highlight of Conference. Express your appreciation to our OT and OTA colleges and universities with your support.

Win a $50 Gift Card!
Advance purchase Saturday Exhibit Hall lunch and be eligible to win $50 in gift cards.
President's Reception –
OTAC: 40 and Fabulous Anniversary Party!
Saturday, October 29 • 5:45pm–7:00pm
Hilton Pasadena
All Conference attendees are invited to relax and network at this
event (no-host bar). Come meet OTAC and AOTA leaders, presenters,
and other honorees, including many OTAC past presidents. Join us for
special activities celebrating OTAC’s 40th Anniversary—DJ and dance
floor, photo booth, celebratory toast, and more! First 150 attendees at the
door will receive a commemorative lapel pin.
Sponsors: Bonita Kraft, CSU Dominguez Hills, Direct Ed/Mediscan

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This event is included in your registration fee (if you selected any session
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OTD, OTR/L, invites you to learn about updates on the Association as
well as to hear from keynote ‘OT Unleashed’ Erik Johnson, OTR/L (TX),
on Seize Your Opportunity to Be Great. He will focus on the importance
of every individual in our profession seizing opportunities that enable
greatness.
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Sponsor: West Coast University

OT Practice Café/Lunch – $18
Sunday, October 30 • 12:30pm–1:15pm
Come grab a “picnic” lunch and sit at your
OT hot topic table of choice.

Mind-Body Balance Opportunities
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Hilton Pasadena
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No extra fee to participate!

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for the first 1,000 registrants. Be sure to check through
your bag for a possible winning raffle ticket.
Sponsor: Stanbridge College
COME HELP CELEBRATE OUR OTAC 2016 AWARD HONOREES

Please join us in congratulating your friends and colleagues on their awards as well as expressing your appreciation to them for their contributions to the profession and the Association. These individuals may be recognized at the Awards Ceremony, Friday, October 28, 3:15pm–4:15pm. This event is open to all Conference attendees registered for Friday.

The following awards may be presented:

* **Lifetime Achievement Award**
* **Award of Excellence**
* **Janice Matsutsuyu Outstanding Service Award**
* **OT Practice Award**
* **Award of Appreciation**
* **Fieldwork Educator Award**
* **OT Entrepreneur Award**
* **OTA Honorary Award**
* **Outstanding Student Award**
* **Luella Grangaard Political Action Award**

The Many Faces of Past Conferences
Celebrating Our 35th Anniversary!
CFOT Awards Luncheon and Symposium

Friday, October 28, 2016 • 11:30am–1:00pm

About the Awards Luncheon and Symposium

Recipients of the 2016 CFOT scholarships, research grants, and awards will be announced at the annual CFOT Awards Luncheon and Symposium on Friday, October 28, 11:30am–1:00pm. Following presentation of the awards, attendees will be treated to a stimulating address by Lela Llorens, PhD, OTR/ret, FAOTA, this year’s CFOT Honored Lecturer.

Honored Lecturer

Implementing Occupations for Health and Wellbeing: A Personal Story

Lela Llorens, PhD, OTR/ret, FAOTA, will describe the implementation of occupations for health and wellbeing as a personal story. As an occupational therapy practitioner, the principal beginning of where one finds oneself, setting objectives, and designing a path to achieve those objectives is a natural outgrowth of personal and professional knowledge and experience. The journey toward balancing work, play, leisure, education, and self-care in retirement and widowhood will be presented as Chapter Three.

Llorens was the CFOT Honored Lecturer in 1985. The CFOT Board of Directors has invited her to return in honor of the 35th anniversary of the Foundation. She has received prestigious honors that include the AOTA Award of Merit, the Eleanor Clark Slagle Lectureship, the Roster of Fellows, the A. Jean Ayres Award, and the Meritorious Award from the AOTF. She is a recipient of the AOTA and AOTF President’s Commendation as well as a recipient of the OTAC Lifetime Achievement Award.

Humanitarian of the Year

John Hwang, OTR/L

John Hwang, OTR/L, is an occupational therapy practitioner who works with individuals on Skid Row (an area of Downtown Los Angeles). His work consists of meeting and building relationships with people on Skid Row and making himself available to care for them in any way he can. He photographs those who give him permission and he posts the photos and their stories on www.skidrowstories.com, a website he developed. He brings compassion, respect, and dignity to each person’s unique circumstance. From his website, Hwang writes, “I started heading out to Skid Row without an agenda, plan or idea … I just simply wanted to build relationships with the people there and make myself available to care for them in whatever way I can. I don’t go there thinking I’m a savior or I’m going to fix their problems. I go as a learner, a servant, as an equal, as a friend.” When Hwang is not connecting with people living near the Skid Row area, he visits Los Angeles area animal shelters, where he takes pictures of dogs awaiting homes and posts those photos to facilitate adoption. His work with people and animals embodies the humanitarian ideals this award celebrates.

CFOT SILENT AUCTION

The CFOT booth in the OTAC Exhibit Hall will be buzzing with activity. Your support is encouraged and appreciated both as bidders and donors of auction items. CFOT annually awards thousands of dollars for scholarships and research grants. Help CFOT meet, and exceed, its goal.

Donations of auction items valued at $25 or greater are needed. Please contact Diana Su-Erickson at (909) 796-2002 or by email at silentauction@cfot.org.
The OTAC Annual Conference Committee in partnership with the OTAC Student Leadership Committee is pleased to again offer special programming to meet the needs of our student members. Students receive a discount on Conference registration fees.

Activities of Interest

**Thursday, October 27**
- Movie Night: Wartorn (Free for Conference attendees)
- Meet ‘n’ Mingle Reception (Free, no-host networking opportunity)

**Friday, October 28**
- Mind-Body Activity: Gentle Yoga
- CFOT Awards Luncheon and Symposium—Student Fee only $35 or $10 for no-lunch gallery seating
- Student Track (Session 29)
- Student Track (Session 49)
- OTAC Awards Ceremony
- Keynote Address, AOTA President Amy Lamb, OTD, OTR/L (MI), FAOTA
- Exhibit Hall Grand Opening Reception—Meet Recruiting Exhibitors and Network with Practitioners
- Alumni/Student Receptions

**Saturday, October 29**
- Mind-Body Activity: Fun Run/Walk
- Student Track (Session 69)
- Exhibit Hall Activities: Poster Presentations, visit more exhibitors/recruiters, play Bingo for cash and prizes, purchase lunch in advance for only $18 and be eligible for a drawing
- Student Track (Session 89)
- President’s Reception—come celebrate! OTAC: 40 and Fabulous Anniversary Party!

**Sunday, October 30**
- All concurrent sessions on Sunday are open to students at the special student registration fee schedule
- OTAC Annual Meeting and Breakfast—included in Sunday registration fee
- Lunch at OT Practice Café/Lunch—Come discuss OT practice hot topics. Purchase lunch in advance for only $18 and be eligible for a drawing.

Special OTAC Student Registration Discount

What Sessions the Student Registration Rate Discount Includes

The student discounted registration rate is applicable for the following sessions schedule:

- **Friday** – Student Track Sessions (29 and 49)
- **Saturday** – Student Track Sessions (69 and 89)
- **Sunday** – Any Session

Student registration rate discount also includes daily special activities and events (additional fees may apply to some activities and events). Students may select practitioner sessions on Friday and Saturday at the practitioner registration rate.
Thursday – Schedule
8:00am–9:30am and Noon–2:00pm

Registration Hours
These times are just for those attending the Thursday Pre-conference Institute at the Hilton Pasadena.

9:00am–Noon
10 How to Use the OT Practice Framework to Revive Your Everyday Practice (3 PDUs)
Heather Thomas, PhD, OTR/L
The third edition of the Occupational Therapy Practice Framework reflects the dynamic and exciting changes emerging in occupational therapy. Participants will be guided through how the Framework can re-ignite focus and fire into their everyday practice.

9:00am–4:00pm (1 hour on-your-own lunch break)
11 Evidence-based Practice for Clinical Dysphagia Intervention (6 PDUs)
Winifred Schultz-Krohn, PhD, OTR/L, BCP, SWC, FAOTA; Jerilyn (Gigi) Smith, PhD, OTR/L, SWC
Evidence-based interventions to address dysphagia will be reviewed with an opportunity to practice select techniques during the seminar. Pediatric, adult, and geriatric case presentations will illustrate the use of evidence-based intervention approaches.
CBOT Advanced Practice Application pending.

9:00am–4:00pm (1 hour on-your-own lunch break)
12 Reframing Pediatric Feeding through an Interdisciplinary Mental Health Lens (6 PDUs)
Karen Park, OTD, OTR/L, SWC, CLE; Cindy N. John, PhD; Irene Koolwijk, MD, MPH; Sonia Trejo, MA, OTR/L, SWC; Hope Wills, MA, RD, CСП, IBCLC
This presentation will explore the comprehensive assessment and intervention process to address feeding and eating in children using an interdisciplinary mental health approach. Emphasis will be placed on the psychosocial factors and parent-child dyadic relationship as it influences mealtime participation as well as understanding cultural considerations to provide family-centered care.

1:00pm–4:00pm
13 Private Practice 101: Strategies and Tips for a Successful Private OT Practice (3 PDUs)
Brandon Seigel, Executive Director, Every Child Achieves, Inc.
Have you ever dreamed of building a private practice? Now is your chance to learn key business concepts geared toward starting and running a successful private practice in today’s environment. This presentation will review the principles to executing a successful business plan, understanding profit and loss statements, identifying funding sources, keys to marketing your practice, human resources guidelines, streamlining business systems, and much more.

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   Ashley Halle, OTD, OTR/L; Samantha Valasek, MA, OTR/L; Jehni Robinson, MD
   This interprofessional session will examine the value of establishing partnerships in primary healthcare. Practical models of delivery, the role of occupational therapy in primary care, the opportunities that exist, and potential solutions to barriers will be presented. Case studies focusing on facilitating behavior change in primary care clients will also be included.

8:30am–10:00am
21 Give the Brain a Hand (1.5 PDUs)
   Gay L. McCormack, MS, PhD, OTR/L, FAOTA
   The hand and the brain are intimately connected. Occupational therapy practitioners engage clients in activity-dependent neuroplasticity to improve functional performance. Neuroscience has begun to unravel the significant pathways that respond to somatosensory inputs of the hands.

8:30am–11:30am
22 Demonstrating Value of Occupational Therapy in Bundled Payments (3 PDUs)
   Lisa D. Rodriguez, OTR/L, RAC-CT
   Come hear how occupational therapy is demonstrating value as a profession in the recovery of hip and knee replacements under the mandatory Comprehensive Care for Joint Replacement Model.

8:30am–11:30am
23 Facilitating Behavioral Change to Prevent Falls (3 PDUs)
   Deborah J. Bolding, PhD, OTR/L; Graham Teaford, MS, OTR/L
   Lifestyle changes to decrease fall risks can be challenging for older adults. Occupational therapy practitioners assist these older adults by analyzing complex scenarios and practicing active listening, narratives, and motivational skills for promoting behavioral change based on client characteristics, autonomy, and participation.
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8:30am–11:30am
24 Permanent Supportive Housing Serving Persons with Psychiatric Disabilities (3 PDUs)  
Deborah B. Pitts, PhD, OTR/L, BCMH, CPRP; Tessa Milman, OTD, OTR/L  
This session will provide an overview of the philosophy, characteristics, and evidence for permanent supportive housing for persons labeled with psychiatric disabilities, and will draw on the experience of the presenters and international perspectives to define a role for occupational therapy.

8:30am–11:30am
25 Driving with a Disability: “So You Think He Can’t Drive?” (3 PDUs)  
Ana Verran, MA, OTR/L, CDRS; Gregory Paquin, BS, California Department of Rehabilitation Engineer  
Driving is possible even for people with the most significant disabilities. This presentation will review the factors and systematic process for identifying the adaptive driving equipment needs of three people with severe functional limitations.

8:30am–11:30am
26 Wellness as Practitioners: Embodying What We Teach (3 PDUs)  
Kimberly Perring Lenington, OTD, OTR/L; Megan Armstrong, OTD, OTR/L; Andrea Sherman, OTD, OTR/L  
As occupational therapy practitioners, we often do a better job of caring for our clients’ wellness than our own. This workshop will provide hands-on practice with techniques to manage daily stress and reduce compassion fatigue.

8:30am–11:30am
27 Family-centered Interprofessional Pediatric Obesity Prevention (3 PDUs)  
Jazmine Orozco, OTD, OTR/L; Rebecca Heymann, MA, OTR/L  
Practitioners will share clinical experiences developing and providing occupation-based interventions as part of an interprofessional pediatric obesity prevention program. Stories, activities, and research will highlight cultural and socioeconomic supports to meaningful engagement and success.

8:30am–11:30am
28 Handwriting: Differentiating Between Instruction and Intervention (3 PDUs)  
Jennifer Sato, MA, OTR/L  
School-based occupational therapy practitioners receive many referrals for poor handwriting. The presentation will focus on the history of handwriting instruction and how intervention differs from instruction. Case studies will be used for task analysis and to identify underlying components.

8:30am–11:30am
29 Student Track – Morning Session (No PDUs)  
The Mouth Trap: Keep Your Foot Out of Your Mouth!  
Brandon Seigel, Executive Director, Every Child Achieves, Inc.  
This presentation will cover essential principles in communication and strategies for ‘keeping your foot out of your mouth’ as an occupational therapy practitioner. One of the key components to optimum outcomes is communication, and this workshop will be a fun and effective experience for occupational therapy students to learn strategies, tips, and secrets to keep their foot out of their mouth.

Engagement in Occupation: Clinical Reasoning with Everyday Technology  
Douglas Rakoski, OTD, OTR/L, ATP  
Occupational therapy practitioners’ ability to analyze everyday technologies (EDT) and use them therapeutically is a matter of applying our knowledge. Attendees will learn a systematic way of incorporating EDTs using a clinical reasoning approach.

10:00am–11:30am
30 Productivity Pressure Versus Employee Engagement: The OT Manager’s Dilemma (1.5 PDUs)  
Jennifer Hayter, MA, OTR/L, SWC, CLT-LANA  
This presentation demonstrates how a concentrated focus on increasing productivity positively influenced employee engagement. By appropriately working with staff to be more productive, you can have a more involved, committed, and enthusiastic team.

10:00am–11:30am
31 Designing Occupational Therapy in Primary Care Settings: The Journey (1.5 PDUs)  
Dragana Krapalek, PhD, OTR/L; Heather Javaherian-Dysinger, OTD, OTR/L  
Successful strategies and challenges with designing occupational therapy services tailored to meet the needs of primary care patients specifically with diabetes will be presented. Case study examples will be used to integrate this information.

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40 Play and Process: Patterns of Preferred Activities in Adults (1 PDU)  
Erna Imperatore Blanche, PhD, OTR/L, FAOTA; Megan Chang, PhD, OTR/L  
This presentation will present the findings from several studies focused on experiential characteristics of preferred activities among adults which resulted in patterns of occupations, their relationship to each other, and their relationship to sensory processing.
Friday – Schedule (continued)

1:00pm–2:00pm
41 Expanding the Role of Occupational Therapy in ICU Delirium Care (1 PDU)
Kayla Wong, OTR/L; Sherry Hite, MOT, OTR/L
This presentation will discuss the role of occupational therapy in delirium screening and management in the intensive care unit (ICU). It will highlight a quality improvement project at City of Hope that utilizes evidenced-based assessment and interventions to improve care among patients with delirium.

1:00pm–2:00pm
42 Using Narrative as the Guide to Meaningful Practice (1 PDU)
Don Gordon, PhD, OTR/L
Our lives are represented by our narratives. Learning our patients’ stories is essential to understanding their problems and concerns. This presentation will explore the use of narrative analysis to promote effective treatment and outcomes.

1:00pm–2:00pm
43 More NICU OT: Implementation of Developmental Care (1 PDU)
Kelly Andrasik, MOT, OTR/L, SWC
A continuation of the presentation at the 2015 OTAC Annual Conference, An Introduction to the NICU, this course is the second hour (of two separate one hour sessions) to provide more in-depth knowledge on Neonatal Intensive Care Unit occupational therapy, focusing on providing developmental care.

1:00pm–2:00pm
44 Empowering Carryover: Sensory Programs Beyond the Clinic (1 PDU)
Oren Steinberg, LLB, MBA; Hadas Steinberg, MA Neuropsychology (both presenters from Tel-Aviv, Israel)
Participants will be guided through hands-on setup of sensory programs using a new technology platform. This interactive demonstration will include customization of treatment plans according to a family’s schedule, setting SMART targets, monitoring adherence, and receiving family feedback.

1:00pm–3:00pm
45 Documentation for a Changing World (2 PDUs)
Elizabeth Gomes, MS, OTR/L
Learn how to break the cycle of repetitive, denial-prone documentation or ‘working off the clock.’ Separate the myths of documentation from the realities and support your practice in our changing, high-pressure work environments.

1:00pm–3:00pm
46 Professional Development: AOTA Board and Specialty Certifications (2 PDUs)
Winifred Schultz-Krohn, PhD, OTR/L, BCP, SWC, FAOTA; Asha Asher, MA, M Ed (Special Education), OTR/L, SCSS, FAOTA
Professional development is considered the responsibility of all occupational therapy practitioners. The process to pursue American Occupational Therapy Association Board and Specialty Certification will be described and participants will develop an action plan to pursue this goal.

1:00pm–3:00pm
47 Occupational Therapy in the ICU: An Evidence-based Niche for Acute Care (2 PDUs)
Tiffanie P. Murakoa, OTD, OTR/L; Karina Cheuk, MOT, OTR/L; Janice Lee, MA, OTR/L
Occupational therapy’s role in acute care is growing with an emphasis for early mobilization in intensive care units (ICUs) across the country. This presentation will focus on occupational therapy’s role, the development of a multidisciplinary program, the benefits, the challenges, and the future.

1:00pm–3:00pm
48 Autism and Wandering Behaviors (2 PDUs)
Domenique Embrey, MS, OTR/L
Recent research has identified that up to 50 percent of people with autism wander away from safe environments. This presentation will look at the data around wandering behavior and autism, who is at risk, where do they go, and how occupational therapy practitioners can effectively address this important issue.

1:00pm–3:00pm
49 Student Track – Afternoon Session (No PDUs)
Student NBCOT Bowl
Julie B. Kornbluth, MA, OTR/L
Teams of students will have the opportunity to prepare for the National Board Certification for Occupational Therapy (NBCOT) examination in a fun and competitive atmosphere in real time. Test construction, format, and test taking strategies will be highlighted.

2:00pm–3:00pm
50 Foundations of an Animal-assisted Therapy Practitioner (1 PDU)
Karen Ni, MA, OTR/L
This is an introduction to animal-assisted therapy within the scope of occupational therapy. Participants will learn about the terminology, standards of practice, program development, client screenings, and personal experience of training a canine co-therapist.

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51 Stroke Recovery: Case-based Clinical Reasoning with Everyday Technology (1 PDU)
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An innovative computer therapy lab using everyday technologies can incorporate traditional as well as innovative neuromuscular facilitation and re-education approaches into an occupation-based treatment for improved motor and functional recovery after stroke.

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52 Effectiveness of an Occupation-based Intervention: An Experimental Study with Calligraphy (1 PDU)
Dragana Krpalek, PhD, OTR/L
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Lisa J. Lewis, OTD, OTR/L, CPAM
When working with children, we often overlook the important role that early childhood mental health plays in a child’s successful participation in meaningful occupations. This course will focus on identifying common early childhood mental health concerns including common symptoms and how they may present.
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Two chances to ‘Ask a Leader’ … Get oriented to Conference:
Thursday, October 27 • 6:00pm–7:00pm • Hilton Pasadena
(In conjunction with the Conference Meet ‘n’ Mingle)

Friday, October 28 • 7:30am–8:15am • Pasadena Conference Center

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40TH ANNUAL CONFERENCE
OCTOBER 27-30, 2016 | PASADENA
Saturday – Schedule

6:45am–7:30am
F Mind-Body Activity: Fun Run/Walk (No PDUs)
Join OTAC Region 2 Director Celso Delgado, Jr., OTD, OTR/L, for this fun run and/or walk around Pasadena.

7:30am–5:00pm
Saturday Registration Hours
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8:30am–10:00am
60 OT Alphabet Soup (1.5 PDUs)
Patricia S. Nagaishi, PhD, OTR/L
Take the mystery out of the professional acronyms that impact your career. Learn the answers to these two critical questions: What are the most important professional acronyms that you should be aware of? Why is it important to understand what their role is in your profession and your career?

8:30am–10:00am
61 Facilitating LGBTQI Inclusivity in OT Practice (1.5 PDUs)
Katie L. Kingsley, OTD, OTR/L; Bryant Edwards, OTD, OTR/L; MPH, CEAS; Joseph Christian Ungco, MA, OTR/L
Through evidenced-based presentation, case application, and facilitated group discussion, this session will advance the identification and utilization of inclusive and affirming practices responsive to the needs of LGBTQI clients, clinicians, and students.

8:30am–10:00am
62 Emotional Intelligence of Children in the Psychiatric Setting (1.5 PDUs)
Teresa Rosales, MOT, OTD, OTR/L
Attendees will examine the current trends in child mental health today, including children's emotional intelligence, and how it has affected their wellbeing. This presentation will emphasize the occupational therapy point of view for implementing interventions in the acute psychiatric setting.

8:30am–11:30am
63 Transformational and Visionary Leadership in Occupational Therapy (3 PDUs)
Shawn Phipps, PhD, MS, OTR/L, FAOTA, vice president, American Occupational Therapy Association and past president, Occupational Therapy Association of California (2008-2012)
Amy Lamb, OTD, OTR/L (MI), FAOTA, president, American Occupational Therapy Association
This interactive session with our national occupational therapy (OT) leaders will focus on recognizing the traits of transformational and visionary leaders, developing strategies for strengthening your leadership capacity, learning how to lead with a bold and powerful vision, developing the skills to be a courageous risk taker and change agent, and identifying strategies for managing resistance to change. Participants will leave this session with a bold leadership action plan to address priority OT professional challenges and opportunities in their work setting or within the OT profession.

8:30am–11:30am
64 Filling the GAP: OTs' Role in Interprofessional Geriatrics (3 PDUs)
Caitlin Chaney, MA, OTR/L; Ashley Halle, OTD, OTR/L; Phuong Nguyen, OTD, OTR/L, CLT; Neuro-IFRAH Certified/Advanced; Samantha Valasek, MA, OTR/L
Occupational therapy (OT) practitioners are uniquely equipped to address gaps in care for older adults through collaboration and interprofessional geriatric care. Come learn about how OTs in the USC Geriatric Assessment Program (GAP) collaborate to improve quality of life for older adults.

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8:30am–11:30am
65 Occupational Therapy in the Cardiac Intensive Care Unit (3 PDUs)
Jamie Thompson, MS, OTR/L; Michelle Chan, OTS; Kelsie Colombini, OTS; Kristen Henderson, OTS; Courtney Malachowski, OTS
Attendees will learn about a clinical pathway that was developed to provide consistent and evidence-based occupational therapy intervention, in response to the increasing number of cardiovascular patients requiring surgical interventions and post-operative cardiac intensive care unit (CICU) management.

8:30am–11:30am
66 Positive Psychology and Mindfulness: Clinical Applications and Beyond (3 PDUs)
Don Gordon, PhD, OTR/L
Positive psychology and meditation are increasingly recognized for their therapeutic potential both psychologically and cognitively. This presentation will investigate recent research and include interactive elements to demonstrate positive psychology exercises and experience various forms of meditation.

8:30am–11:30am
67 Rhythm Works: Integrative Dance for Motor Development (3 PDUs)
Tricia Gomez (professional teaching artist); Akemi Davies, MA, OTR/L
This presentation is an introduction to an exciting dance program designed for treatment planning and group programs. Learn how to facilitate motor control, praxis, postural control, timing, and sequencing within the context of dance. Dance experience not required.
8:30am–11:30am
68 Sensory Strategies Can Facilitate Infant Engagement in a Disrupted Mother-Infant Dyad (3 PDUs)
Judy Hopkins, OTD, OTR/L, SWC, CLE; Briana Pollard Hamil, OTD, OTR/L, SWC, CLE, CIMI; Carolee Lee, MA, MS, OTR/L, SWC, CLE; Avril Sepulveda, MS, OTR/L, BCP, SWC, CLE, CIMI
Premature infants’ hospitalization disrupts the mother-infant dyad, which complicates the infant’s regulatory system and neurodevelopment. Participants will identify the disrupted dyad and learn sensory strategies to optimize maternal-infant engagement and improve outcomes.

8:30am–11:30am
69 Student Track: Morning Session (No PDUs)
Hands-on Occupational Therapy in the 3rd Dimension
Janice Rocker, OTD, OTR/L, CHT; Anna Berezin, MS, OTR/L, MT-BC; Steve Berezin, MBA; Robert Rubino
3-D is now affordable and fun. Engage your target audience with 3-D photos and videos celebrating occupational therapy. Learn hands-on use of 3-D apps and equipment to better engage clients which support our occupational therapy roots.

Establishing OTs as Leaders in the Field of Canine Facilitated Interventions
Catherine Dorr, MS, OTR/L
The emerging practice area of Canine Facilitated Interventions (CFI) has yet to be formally defined by common procedures or standards of practice. Learn how to develop a facility dog program at your site and establish occupational therapy practitioners as leaders in developing CFI as an evidence-based and occupational therapy-centered modality unique to our practice.

10:00am–11:30am
70 OT Regulatory Update: Protecting Your License (1.5 PDUs)
Denise Miller, MBA, OT/L, CBOT President; Heather Martin, CBOT Executive Officer
Come learn about the most recent regulatory changes affecting occupational therapy licensees and other important statutes/ regulations of which you should be aware. You will also hear about some of the most frequent violations and how you can avoid them. Protect your license and your career with this invaluable information.

10:00am–11:30am
71 The USC International Summer Occupational Therapy Immersion Program (1.5 PDUs)
Shannon McDowell, OTS; Vanessa Fong, OTS; Katherine Chen, OTS
This presentation will focus on a four-week summer immersion program held at USC designed for international occupational therapy students and practitioners. Included will be a discussion on the Summer Occupational Immersion Program’s (SOTI) development, growth, successes, and challenges from 2014–2016.

10:00am–11:30am
72 Using LEGO® to Build Social Skills and Language (1.5 PDUs)
Sarah Yun, MA, OTR/L; Ellen Bustamante, MA, CCC-SLP
Learn about a pilot LEGO® program designed to teach social skills, enrich language, and build peer collaboration. This presentation will provide ideas that practitioners can implement in the clinic, classroom, or community for immediate implementation.

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2:30pm–4:00pm
80 USC Global Initiatives: Global Connections through Student Exchange (1.5 PDUs)
Daniel Park, OTD, OTR/L; Arielle Villanueva, OTRP (registered in the Philippines), OTS
This presentation will discuss the development, implementation, and evaluation of student exchange programs between USC and three occupational therapy departments in South Korea. Perceived benefits and challenges of international exchange programs will be described.

2:30pm–4:00pm
81 Sensory Integrative Approach in the Past 10 Years (1.5 PDUs)
Sarah Yun, MA, OTR/L; Ellen Bustamante, MA, CCC-SLP
This presentation will focus on up-to-date evidence of the sensory integrative approach within the past 10 years. The presentation will also introduce a preliminary database and other evidence-based online resources for evidence-based practice.

2:30pm–4:00pm
82 Neurological and Behavioral Distinctions between Autism and Sensory Processing Disorders (1.5 PDUs)
Gay L. McCormack, MS, PhD, OTR/L, FAOTA
Children diagnosed with autism have unusual sensory processing issues. Deficits in sensory processing are often reported with behavioral descriptions. Approximately 90 percent of children with autism manifest disrupted sensory processing. Biomarkers for intervention will be discussed.

2:30pm–5:30pm
83 State and Federal Legislation and California’s Political Environment (3 PDUs)
Sabrena McCarley, MBA-SL, OTR/L; Guy L. McCormack, OTR/L; Jerry Jordan, OTR/L; Chuck Willmarth, MS, CAE; Jennifer Snyder, MPH, Capitol Advocacy; and Ivan Allamara, JD, Capitol Advocacy
Join some of OTAC and AOTA leading advocates at the state and federal levels for a critical briefing on the latest legislative changes impacting the occupational therapy scope of practice, as well as what is on the horizon. Also covered in this session will be why political action committees (PACs) are an important yet sometimes mysterious part of the legislative political arena. Come learn about both the OTAC-PAC and the AOTA-PAC and the roles that they play in occupational therapy and politics.

2:30pm–5:30pm
84 Occupational Performance Coaching as an Ultimate Enabler (3 PDUs)
Diana Gantman Kraversky, MS, OTD, OTR/L, AP
Have you ever wondered why the caregiver education you performed did not produce the desired results and your clients continue to struggle at home and in the community? This evidence-based course describes Occupational Performance Coaching (OPC) as an occupation-centered intervention for working with caregivers to achieve occupational performance goals for their children and themselves. Realistic case examples and practical techniques focusing on caregiver coaching will be presented.

2:30pm–5:30pm
85 Creating Effective OTA/OT Partnerships in Acute Care (3 PDUs)
David A. Leary, PhD, OTR/L; Alberto Alpasan, COTA/L
This presentation provides information regarding how the partnership between the occupational therapy assistant and the occupational therapist impacts effective service delivery. Problem-solving with clinical examples from a large acute care medical center will be provided.

2:30pm–5:30pm
86 Fieldwork Educators Toolkit: Methods to Create and Implement an Outstanding Student Program (3 PDUs)
Diane Van Wagner, MS, OTR/L; Joyce M. Fries, MS, OTR/L
Student supervision can be easy, fun, and superior using free and widely available tools. Participants will obtain the methods needed to implement an award-winning student program resulting in preparation of highly motivated and confident students for practice.
Saturday – Schedule (continued)

2:30pm–5:30pm
87 Delivering High-quality Care: Accessing Evidence-based Resources (3 PDUs)
   Brenda Fagan, BS, OTR/L; Ally Chang, OTS; Auston Stamm, OTS; Evelyn Law, OTS
   Evidence-based practice is instrumental to the advancement of patient-centered care in occupational therapy. Our panel will demonstrate how to effectively search for and stay up-to-date with relevant peer-reviewed evidence to inform practice.

2:30pm–5:30pm
88 Multi-tiered System of Support: Infusing Tier 1 and Tier 2 Strategies to Support Self-regulation (3 PDUs)
   Lisa A. Test, OTD, OTR/L; Jean Pacquiao-Banta, OTD, OTR/L; Kelly Bloom Auld-Wright, MA, OTR/L
   This workshop will provide an overview of multi-tiered systems of support (MTSS) in schools with a focus on self-regulation. Tier 1 and Tier 2 strategies will be supported by evidence and Universal Design for Learning.

2:30pm–5:30pm
89 Student Track: Afternoon Session (No PDUs)
   Drama and OT: Incorporating Performing Arts in OT Interventions
   Dimos Tsigkakos, COTA/L (professional performer)
   Come experience this hands-on approach to incorporating performing arts in occupational therapy interventions to promote client participation and treatment outcomes. Through the sounds of world percussion and archetypical movements you will explore and share personal experience and potential applications in your own practice.

4:00pm–5:30pm
90 LAUNCH: A College Campus Collaborative Transition Service (1.5 PDUs)
   Asha Asher, MA, M Ed (Special Education), OTR/L, SCSS, FAOTA
   The presentation will describe a trailblazing, public school transition program housed on a university campus. Operating under IDEA, the team (occupational therapy, special education, work-study, speech-language pathology) collaboratively provides services for young adults transitioning from school.

4:00pm–5:30pm
91 Get Fine Motor Fit with Pencil Gymnastic Exercises (1.5 PDUs)
   Jo Tennyson Samson, MA, OTR/L, CHT
   Manual dexterity is an important performance component for handwriting. Pencil Gymnastics is an evidence-based program developed to enhance dexterity to ready hands for tripod grip, pencil control, and letter formation. Designed by a certified hand therapist, the exercises target intrinsic and extrinsic hand muscles. The program uses music and rhythm to engage children and make exercising playful and fun.

4:00pm–5:30pm
92 Demystifying the Transition to Solids (1.5 PDUs)
   Kimberly Grenawitzke, OTD, OTR/L, SWC, CBIS; Kary Rappaport, OTR/L, SWC, IBCLC; Jamie Sakamoto, MA, OT/L, SWC, CLEC, PAMS
   Struggling to transition to solids? Stuck on purees? Fearful about choking and progressing to chewables? This course will provide current research and recommendations regarding solid food feeding to safely build oral motor skills.
   CBOT Advanced Practice Application pending.

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7:30am–9:15am
1 OTAC Annual Meeting and Breakfast (.5 PDU)
   This event is included in your Sunday registration fee. Come hear inspirational presentations about the future of OTAC and occupational therapy in California by OTAC President Heather J. Kitching, OTD, OTR/L. Featured presenter is ‘OT Unleashed’ Erik Johnson, OTR/L (TX).

7:30am–4:30pm
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9:30am–11:30am
100 Facilitating Meaningful Occupations in Older Adults Utilizing Technology (2 PDUs)
   Shari Emas, OTR, OTR/L; Lia Montoya, OTS; Annie Chen, OTS
   This presentation will illustrate the importance of using client-centered goals to educate and empower older adults to utilize information and communication technology (ICT), such as iPhones/iPads for development of meaningful occupation and engagement. Participants are encouraged to have an iPhone/iPad to use during the demonstration.

9:30am–11:30am
101 A Community-based Fieldwork Model for Domestic Violence (2 PDUs)
   Heather Javaherian, OTD, OTR/L; Jacqueline Lim, OTS; Alexandria Robinson, OTS
   As the profession of occupational therapy continues to move into community practice, this session will describe a model for Level I and Level II fieldwork experiences in domestic violence settings through examples of weekly expectations and outcomes.

9:30am–11:30am
102 Promoting Balance: Technology and Teenagers (2 PDUs)
   Stephanie M. Foster, PhD, OTR/L; Nicole Foster (teenager)
   Technology makes our lives easier, faster, and helps us accomplish more. It also affects relationships, attention spans, and social skills. This workshop will examine the teenager perspective regarding the importance and use of technology, along with concrete methods to promote balanced use.

9:30am–11:30am
103 Social Participation Program for Young Adults with ASD (2 PDUs)
   Mark Petersen, OTD, OTR/L; Kimberly Fragola, OTS; Chun Yen Lin, OTS
   The presenters have created a social participation program which uses executive function skills training and theory of mind techniques to increase the ability for young adults with Autism Spectrum Disorder (ASD) to plan, organize, and initiate participation in social activities.

9:30am–12:30pm
104 Respawn: Optimizing the Healing Power of Video Games in a Therapeutic Setting (3 PDUs)
   Erik Johnson, OTR/L (TX)
   Technology, more specifically video games, has given us the ability to offer new avenues to treat our clients in the areas of physical rehabilitation, behavioral health, brain injury, and pediatrics, as well as in nearly any other treatment setting that we offer. This workshop is designed to educate clinicians on best practices, provide effective use of video games in clinical practice, discuss game analysis guidelines in small groups, and give attendees a chance to explore the games hands-on.

105 Comprehensive OT Care for Concussion (3 PDUs)
   Ashley Uyeshiro, OTD, OTR/L; Lindsey Reeves, OTD, OTR/L; Jazz Holguin, OTD, OTR/L; Don Gordon, PhD, OTR/L
   Learn about comprehensive occupational therapy treatment approaches for people with acute or persistent concussion (lifestyle management, visual retraining, motor and balance therapy, and cognitive rehabilitation) and apply these skills to a case study.

106 Developmental and Occupational Foundations in Nature (3 PDUs)
   Kathleen Lockyer, OTR/L; Caitlin Williams, BA, Internationally Certificated Wildlife Tracking Specialist
   The best sensory clinic is right outside the door. Come learn about this conceptual model to bridge the growing disconnect and resulting negative consequences between child development, rehabilitation, and occupational time in nature. Practical strategies for any setting will be introduced using principles and practices of Developmental Foundations in Nature. This session will include a pre-recorded video by Jon Young, BS, author, and international speaker.

107 Community Mobility and Driving Across the Lifespan (6 PDUs)
   Wendy Stav, PhD, OTR/L (FL), SCDCM, FAOTA
   The importance of occupational therapy practitioners addressing driving and community mobility in practice with clients of all ages is well documented throughout the occupational therapy literature as well as in U.S. Department of Transportation and American Medical Association documents. Unfortunately, the workforce to address this important occupation is declining as therapy practitioners phase out of practice into retirement. The specialists in driving and community mobility practice in California in particular have expressed concern about the future if the pool of occupational therapists is not expanded. This full-day session serves as a catalyst for therapy practitioners from a variety of practice areas and clientele to consider a transition to driving rehabilitation practice.

108 Pediatric Feeding: The Just Right Challenge (6 PDUs)
   Judith Freeman, MA, OTR/L
   Using case presentations, lecture, group brainstorming, and hands-on experiences, participants will learn about feeding problems in infants and children. Topics covered will include oral-sensory-motor dysfunction, feeding regressions and delays, and inadequate diet.
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Sunday – Schedule (continued)

11:30am–12:30pm

110 How Electronic Adaptive Technologies Help Individuals Live In Place (1 PDU)
Louise Delaware, MBA, BSME, CLIPP®, Taejun "TJ" Lee, COTA/L (CO)

There are many electronic assistive technologies to help clients of occupational therapy practitioners to “Live In Place.” Many of these technologies will be reviewed as well as how they can help individuals in their home with life’s challenges.

11:30am–12:30pm

111 Innovative Fieldwork Instruction Programming (1 PDU)
Diane Mayfield, EdD, OTR/L; Megan Dominguez, OTS

This presentation will demonstrate a collaborative model between a site and school. Clinicians express commitment and dedication to the profession by taking fieldwork students, however, productivity issues can make this extremely challenging. Strategies will be presented to alleviate challenges, turning this into a win-win for everyone by using the collaborative Fieldwork Instruction (FWI) model used by the CSUDH MSOT Program. The Model is based on a FWI immersion into a community or international setting and is an excellent way for fieldwork sites to expand their occupational therapy department in a contemporary way.

11:30am–12:30pm

112 School-based Telehealth: Bringing Services to Any Child … Anywhere (1 PDU)
Elizabeth Haas, MS, OTR/L (CO)

Children are reaping telehealth’s benefits. Come see the activities traditional to onsite occupational therapy be demonstrated through a virtual therapy room. Hear about research showing the effectiveness of this innovative and emerging practice area with far-reaching potential.

11:30am–12:30pm

113 Online to Offline: Addressing Autistic Individuals’ Social Skills (1 PDU)
Bill Wong, OTD, OTR/L

This presentation will discuss occupational therapy’s role in using autistic individuals’ online communication skills as a foundation to build on their offline communication skills, and potential impact when these interventions are successful.

12:30pm–1:15pm

OT Practice Café/Lunch – $18
Come grab a “picnic” lunch and sit at your OT hot topic table of choice. Advance purchase lunch and be eligible to win $50 in gift cards.

1:30pm–3:00pm

121 Repetitive Transcranial Magnetic Stimulation (rTMS): An Emerging Tool (1.5 PDUs)
Remy Chu, Jr., MHA, OTR/L; Lena Huang, OTD, OTR/L

This presentation will provide information on historical background and current/potential practice models regarding the clinical application of transcranial magnetic stimulation (TMS) as an adjunct for neurological rehabilitation, and how TMS in conjunction with occupational therapy can potentially help optimize patient outcomes.

1:30pm–3:00pm

122 Living In Place: Education and Assessments (3 PDUs)
Louise Delaware, MBA, BSME, CLIPP®; Erik Listou, CLIPP®, CAPS; Judy Delaware, OTR/L (CO)

This dynamic presentation introduces the most widely accepted program for professionals to create and maintain home environments that are accessible, comfortable, and safe. Learn the principles and importance of becoming a Certified Living in Place Professional. Gain an understanding of trends of designs and new products and how to network with design and building professionals to provide your clients the best possible outcome. Learn how using a standardized home safety assessment app will save time, increase accuracy, and reduce liability.

1:30pm–4:30pm

123 Behavioral Approaches to Treating a Person with Multiple Sclerosis (3 PDUs)
Ashley Uyeshiro, OTD, OTR/L; Rebecca Cunningham, OTR/L

Learn about behavioral intervention techniques for individuals with multiple sclerosis, and strategies for helping patients implement these behaviors into their daily life. Clinical data from an existing behavioral program and case studies will be reviewed.

1:30pm–4:30pm

124 So, You Are Thinking About Becoming a Fieldwork Educator? (3 PDUs)
Domenique Embrey, MS, OTR/L; Donna Breger-Stanton, OTD, OTR/L, CHT, FAOTA; Goli Hashemi, MPH, OTR/L

This workshop will engage and support potential fieldwork educators to supervise future occupational therapy student fieldwork interns. We will help you explore the benefits and challenges of becoming a fieldwork educator and identify new learning strategies through experiential learning.

1:30pm–4:30pm

125 Early Childhood Trauma: A Transdisciplinary Early Intervention Approach (3 PDUs)
Jessica De Brun, MOT, OTD, OTR/L; Michelle Gross, CCC-SLP; Vilma Munoz, LMFT

This presentation will explore the importance of being trauma informed while providing early intervention services to young children ages 0–5 years old. A best practice transdisciplinary approach to intervention will be described.

1:30pm–4:30pm

126 From Down Syndrome to Alzheimer’s: My Sister’s Journey (3 PDUs)
Dianne (Didi) Olson, OTR/L

Occupational performance decreases for someone with Down Syndrome when Alzheimer’s is diagnosed, expanding the role of the occupational therapy practitioner. This presentation will present a historical perspective, research, and clinical intervention on Down Syndrome and Alzheimer’s interwoven with personal vignettes.
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**CFOT Honored Lecturer**

**Lela Llorens, PhD, OTR/ret, FAOTA**

Implementing Occupations for Health and Wellbeing: A Personal Story (.5 PDU)

The implementation of occupations for health and wellbeing will be presented as Llorens’ personal story. As an occupational therapy practitioner, the principal of beginning where one finds oneself, setting objectives, and designing a path to achieve those objectives is a natural outgrowth of personal and professional knowledge and experience. The journey toward balancing work, play, leisure, education, and self-care in retirement and widowhood will be presented as Chapter Three. Come design your own journey.

Friday, October 28 • 11:30am–1:00pm
CFOT Awards Luncheon and Symposium, separate ticket required

**Sunday Keynote Address**

**Erik Johnson, OTR/L (TX)**

Seize Your Opportunity to Be Great (.5 PDU)

Every individual in the occupational therapy profession should value the importance of seizing opportunities that enable greatness. Come be inspired to seize greatness for yourself and your clients.

Sunday, October 30 • 7:30am–9:15am
OTAC Annual Meeting and Breakfast

**Friday Keynote Address**

**Amy Lamb, OTD, OTR/L (MI), FAOTA, AOTA President**

Putting Authenticity in Practice (.5 PDU)

Building off her inaugural presidential address, AOTA President Amy Lamb, OTD, OTR/L (MI), FAOTA, will discuss how we can embrace the distinct value of occupational therapy by harnessing the power of authenticity in our daily practice. Participants will explore opportunities to be influencers of change in their practice, education, research, and leadership. Come embrace your authenticity.

Friday, October 28 • 3:15pm–5:15pm
OTAC Awards and Keynote Address

**Sunday President’s Address**

**Heather J. Kitching, OTD, OTR/L, OTAC President**

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Come hear an inspirational message about OTAC’s proud history and how OTAC’s new vision and updated mission will propel the Association and profession into the next decade.

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**A Collaborative Approach to School-based Sensorimotor Programs**
Maciej Rzepka, OTS; Brooke Czuleger, OTS; Emily Garnica, OTS; Jessica Phung, OTS; Laura Greiss Hess, PhD, OTR/L

**A Matter of Balance: Program Evaluation 2016**
Rebecca Bobell, OTS; Christy Goulet, OTS; Lauren Hendrick, OTS; Deborah J. Bolding, PhD, OTR/L (Faculty Advisor)

**Acquired Brain Injury Program: Returning to Occupation**
Luini Ornelas, OTR/L

**An Externship Model for Developing Professional Behavior and Leadership**
Ashley Halle, OTD, OTR/L; Katie Jordan, OTD, OTR/L; Bonnie Nakasuji, OTD, OTR/L, C/NDT, FAOTA; Mariko Yamazaki-Sanchez, OTD, OTR/L, SWC

**Analyzing Sensory Intervention Treatment Components in Current Practice**
Gabriela Galaz, MA, OTR/L; Janet S. Gunter, OTD, OTR/L; Erna Imperatore Blanche, PhD, OTR/L, FAOTA

**Clinical Indicators of Aspiration in Children**
Judy Hopkins, OTD, OTR/L, SWC, CLE; Lichelle Fernando, MOT, OTR/L, SWC

**Clinical Reasoning Used by Experienced Pediatric Occupational Therapists**
Jessica Kepes, BS/BA, OTS; Kailey Payne, BA, OTS; Jennifer Balich, MA, OTS; Mollie Sepahmansour, BS, OTS; Chelsea McMillen, BS, OTS

**Constraint-Induced Movement Therapy (CIMT): 2-Year Outcomes**
Sara Passeri, MA, OTR/L

**Development of Educational Material Regarding Fall Prevention**
Salvador Chavez, OTS; Jocelle Flores, OTS; Emily Vassallo, OTS; Rachelle Yamboa, OTS

**Effects of Infant Massage on Stress Levels of Homeless Mothers**
Clorinda Lemmon, BS, OTS; Annabelle Bewicke, BA, OTS; Aisa Poniente, BA, OTS; Sarah Falter, BA, OTS

**Efficacy of Cognitive Orientation to Daily Occupations (CO-OP)**
Nancy Huang, BS, OTS; Monique Afram, BS, OTS; Cameren Muller, BA, OTS; Ashley Sanches, BS, OTS; Tiffany Tzuan, BS, OTS

**Engagement in Occupation: Clinical Reasoning with Everyday Technology**
Douglas Rakoski, OTD, OTR/L, ATP

**Fall Risk Reduction Using Lifestyle-integrated Functional Exercise (LiFE)**
Kayla Coner, OTS; Kelly Findlay, OTS; Tiffany Huang, OTS; Matthew Tong, OTS; Kitsun Li, OTR/L (Faculty Advisor)

**Family Mealtime Experiences with Children with ASD**
Celeste Morgan, BA, OTS

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**Fostering Imaginative Play in Homeless Preschool Children**
Anne Elliott, BA, OTS; Renee Demarce, BA, OTS; Casey Millerick, BS, OTS; Priscilla Ng, BA, OTS

**Fragile X Syndrome: An Examination of Family Occupations**
Noelani Brisbane, OTS; Samantha Alexander, OTS; Rebecca Schira, OTS; Kaitlyn Williams, OTS; Laura Greiss Hess, PhD, OTR/L (Faculty Advisor)

**Getting Back to Work After Injury**
Denise Ha, OTR/L, CBIS; Rodel Reyes, BSIE

**Group Therapy for Children with Muscular Dystrophy**
Tritia Woo, OTD, OTR/L; Kindra De Dios, PT, DPT

**Interdisciplinary Supervision: Occupational Therapy's Contributions**
Ingrid Leu, OTD, OTR/L

**Interprofessional Collaboration During an International Faculty-led Program**
Alison George, MS, OTR/L

**Life Skills - Transition Age Youth with Mental Illness**
Chelle Tateishi, OTS; Diana Fitts, OTS; Maggie Jo Green, OTS; Jennifer Scherba, OTS; Hillary Wartinger, OTS; Carolyn Glogoski, PhD, OTR/L

**Lifestyle Redesign® for Adults on the Autism Spectrum**
Tracy Jalaba, OTD, OTR/L

**Occupational Therapy’s Role in Secondary Transition Planning**
Rebecca Cunningham, MA, OTR/L

**Occupational Therapy’s Role with Head and Neck Cancer**
Yasi Amanat, MA, OTR/L; Stacey Morikawa, OTD, OTR/L, CLT

**Occupation-based Financial Literacy Program with Homeless Adolescents**
Carley Wade, BA, OTS; Emma Stern, BA, OTS; Michelle Rice, BA, OTS; Lauren Okajima, BS, OTS

**Occupation-based Pediatric Practice: A Practical Approach**
Diana Gantman Kraversky, OTD, MS, OTR/L, AP

**Occupations as Outcome Measures in a Clinical Trial**
Jennifer Sik, MOTS; Michelle Beckwith, MOTS; Kenneth Yu, MOTS; Brina Nguyen, MOTS

**Opportunities for Occupational Therapists on College Campuses**
Carlin Daley, OTD, OTR/L

**Outcomes of Project-based Therapy in Individuals with Autism**
Sarah Yoder, OTS; Jason Ichimaru, OTS; Emily Lu, OTS; Nghi Tran, OTS

**Outpatient Occupational Therapy Rehabilitation Program for Stroke Survivors**
Eun Yu, MS, OTR/L; Debbie Wang, MA, OTR/L; Michelle Young, OTD, OTR/L
POSTER PRESENTATIONS

Personal Emergency Response System Class for Older Adults
Jazmin Arellano, OTS; Tiffany Young, OTS; Amanda Huang, OTS;
Tiffany Que-Smith, OTS; Deborah J. Bolding, PhD, OTR/L (Faculty Advisor)

Perspectives on Collaborative Fieldwork Model with Shared Supervision
Claire Lin, MA, OTR/L; Alethia Yu, MA, OTR/L;
Shohei Takatani, MS, OTR/L

Rancho Works Recycles: Context-rich OT-based Vocational Rehabilitation
Colette Krilanovich, OTD, OTR/L; Michele Berro, MA, OTR/L;
Lisa Deshaies, OTR/L, CHT

Relating Stress Factors to Life Satisfaction in OT Graduate Students
Lee Sonko, BA, OTS; Megan Chang, PhD, OTR/L

Relationships Between Sensory Processing Patterns and Play Experiences
Krista Yee, BS, OTS; Nathan Nam, BS, OTS;
Christine Huynh, BA, OTS; Larkin Petralli, BS, OTS;
Naomi Starr, BS, OTS; Megan C. Chang, PhD, OTR/L

Safety and Meaning for a Person with Dementia
Joan Cosper, MOTS; Joanna Pluhowski, MOTS;
Ciara Cox, PhD, OT/L

Sensory Integration Intervention Effects in Children with Autism
Elizabeth Franco, OTR/L; Erna Imperatore Blanche, PhD, OTR/L,
FAOTA; Barbara Thompson, PhD

Stress Factors and Sleep Quality Among Occupational Therapy Graduate Students
Justin Lin, BA, OTS; Brian Huynh, BS, OTS;
Inge Verschueren, BS, OTS; Megan Chang, PhD, OTR/L

“Steppin’ Out:” Transition Program for Developmentally Disabled Adolescents
Bonnie Nakasuji, OTD, OTR/L, C/NDT, FAOTA;
Marilyn Noriega, MA, OTR/L; Rejielyn Cerdenio, MOT, OTR/L;
Samar Aljishi, MA, OTR/L

Stress Factors and Engagement Among Occupational Therapy Graduate Students
Megan Blanton Moreno, BA, OTS; Jessica Pham, BS, OTS;
Awrice Lai, BS, OTS; Jeniffer Hope, BS, OTS;
Kristine Young, BA, OTS; Megan Chang, PhD, OTR/L

Supporting Long-term Stroke Recovery: The Stroke Survivor Social
Michelle Young, OTD, OTR/L; Eun Yu, MS, OTR/L;
Debbie Wang, MA, OTR/L

The Effect of Therapeutic Listening on Bilateral Coordination
Avery Wilson, OTS; Morgan Mousley, OTS;
Yra Munchua, OTS; Mios Buccat, OTS; Grace Irao, OTS

The Impact of Cultural Immersion on Practice
Julie B. Kornbluth, MA, OTR/L

Therapeutic Benefits of a Community OT Dance Program
Debbie Wang, MA, OTR/L

Therapeutic Gardening on an Inpatient Psychiatric Unit
Nancy Wicks, OTR/L; Aimee Levine-Dickman, MA, OTR/L, SEP

UMOVE: A Health System Wide Collaboration of Mobility
Cindy Jaeger, OTR, SWC

Validation of the Medication Box Task Assessment
Katherine Blank, OTS; Alison Chandler, OTS;
Malcolm Isley, OTS; Serena Soria, OTS; Yamin Zaw, OTS

Work Readiness Program for Transitional Age Foster Youth
Nicole Pearlman BS, OTS; Angeliki Bundros-Menig, BS, BA, OTS;
Rebecca Huniu, BA, OTS; Sarah Sherman, BA, OTS;
Carly Rosada, BS, OTS
### Thursday, October 27, 2016

**Registration – Check-In Hours for Thursday, Pre-Conference Institute**
8:00am–9:30am and 12:00noon–2:00pm • Hilton Pasadena

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### Conference-at-a-Glance
### Saturday, October 29, 2016

**6:45am**
F – Mind-Body Activity: Fun Run/Walk – Hilton Pasadena

**7:30am**
Saturday Registration (7:30am–5:30pm) – Hilton Pasadena

| 8:30am | 60 OT Alphabet Soup (1.5 PDUs) | 61 Facilitating LGBTQI Inclusivity in OT Practice (1.5 PDUs) | 62 Emotional Intelligence of Children in the Psychiatric Setting (1.5 PDUs) | 63 Transformational and Visionary Leadership in Occupational Therapy (1.5 PDUs) | 64 Filling the Gap: OTR Role in Interprofessional Geriatrics (3 PDUs) | 65 Occupational Therapy in the Cardiac Intensive Care Unit (3 PDUs) | 66 Positive Psychology and Mindfulness: Clinical Applications and Beyond (3 PDUs) | 67 Rhythm Works: Integrative Dance for Motor Development (3 PDUs) | 68 Sensory Strategies Can Facilitate Infant Engagement in a Disrupted Mother-Infant Dyad (3 PDUs) | 69 Student Track Morning Session (No PDUs): Hands-on OT in the 3rd Dimension Establishing Occupational Therapists as Leaders in the Field of Canine Facilitated Interventions |
| 10:00am | 70 OT Regulatory Update: Protecting Your License (1.5 PDUs) | 71 The USC International Summer Occupational Therapy Immersion Program (1.5 PDUs) | 72 Using LEGO® to Build Social Skills and Language (1.5 PDUs) | 73 President's Reception – OTAC: 40 and Fabulous Anniversary Party – All Attend • Hilton Pasadena |
| 11:30am | 80 USC Global Initiatives: Global Connections through Student Exchange (1.5 PDUs) | 81 Sensory Integrative Approach in the Past 10 Years (1.5 PDUs) | 82 Neurological and Behavioral Distinctions between Autism & Sensory Processing Disorders (1.5 PDUs) | 83 State and Federal Legislation and California’s Political Environment (3 PDUs) | 84 Occupational Performance Coaching as an Ultimate Enabler (3 PDUs) | 85 Creating Effective OTA/OT Partnerships in Acute Care (3 PDUs) | 86 Fieldwork Educators Toolkit: Methods to Create and Implement an Outstanding Student Program (3 PDUs) | 87 Delivering High-quality Care: Accessing Evidence-based Resources (3 PDUs) | 88 Multi-tiered System of Support (MTSS): Infusing Tier 1 and 2 Strategies to Support Self-regulation (3 PDUs) | 89 Student Track: Afternoon Session (No PDUs): Drama and OT: Incorporating Performing Arts in OT Interventions |
| 2:30pm | 90 LAUNCH: A College Campus Collaborative Transition Service (1.5 PDUs) | 91 Get Fine Motor Fit with Pencil Gymnastics Exercises (1.5 PDUs) | 92 Demystifying the Transition to Solids (1.5 PDUs) | |
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### Sunday, October 30, 2016

**7:30am**
Sunday Registration (7:30am–5:00pm) – Pasadena Convention Center

**7:30am**
I – OTAC Annual Meeting and Breakfast featuring Erik Johnson, OTR/L (TX) – (5 PDU) – Pasadena Convention Center

| 9:30am | 100 Facilitating Meaningful Occupations in Older Adults Utilizing Technology (2 PDUs) | 101 A Community-based Fieldwork Model for Domestic Violence (2 PDUs) | 102 Promoting Balance: Technology and Teenagers (2 PDUs) | 103 Social Participation Program for Young Adults with ASD (2 PDUs) | 104 Respawn: Optimizing the Healing Power of Video Games in a Therapeutic Setting (3 PDUs) | 105 Comprehensive OT Care for Concussion (3 PDUs) | 106 Developmental and Occupational Foundations in Nature (3 PDUs) | 107 Community Mobility and Driving Across the Lifespan (6 PDUs) | 108 Pediatric Feeding: The Just Right Challenge (6 PDUs) |
| 11:30am | 110 How Electronic Adaptive Technologies Help Individuals Live in Place (1 PDU) | 111 Innovative Fieldwork Instruction (1 PDU) | 112 School-based Telehealth: Bringing Services to Any Child … Anywhere (1 PDU) | 113 Online to Offline: Addressing Autistic Individuals’ Social Skills (1 PDU) | |
| 12:30pm | K – OT Practice Café/Lunch – $18 – Come discuss hot practice topics. | |
| 1:30pm | 120 Coding Occupational Therapy Services: CPT Codes (1.5 PDUs) | 121 Repetitive Transcranial Magnetic Stimulation (rTMS) (1.5 PDUs) | 122 Living In Place: Education and Assessments (3 PDUs) | 123 Behavioral Approaches to Treating a Person with Multiple Sclerosis (3 PDUs) | 124 So, You Are Thinking About Becoming a Fieldwork Educator? (3 PDUs) | 125 Early Childhood Trauma: A Transdisciplinary Early Intervention Approach (3 PDUs) | 126 From Down Syndrome to Alzheimer’s: My Sister’s Journey (3 PDUs) | 107 cont. Community Mobility and Driving Across the Lifespan (6 PDUs) | 108 cont. Pediatric Feeding: The Just Right Challenge (6 PDUs) |
| 3:00pm | |
| 4:30pm | Conference Concludes: Sunday Registration Closes at 5:00pm – Be sure to submit your Certificate of Completion (white copy) |
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(form on page 31)

1. Registrant: Please print or type all data. (Online registration is available on the OTAC website at www.otaconline.org through October 13, 2016 at 8:59pm.)

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4. **SUMMARY SECTION**: Fill in all boxes that apply or your registration form is not complete and may be subject to additional fees.

- Registration Fee (from Section 3 above) $__________
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- SA: Friday CFOT Symposium/Lunch _______@ $35ea. STUDENTS $__________
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The Occupational Therapy Centennial Float will provide a reverence that embraces the notion of ‘living.’ A beautiful inspirational garden of life with a trellis that ties in to the floral beauty of the Annual Rose Parade® will be at the front of the float. The garden represents growth, development, life, and living.

The four pillars in the garden represent four key foundational concepts of our profession introduced by Adolph Meyer (1917)—work, rest, play, and sleep—that are necessary to achieve balance in everyday life.

Within this garden of life will be a child on a swing symbolizing play, developmental milestones, and sensory integration.

The gazebo in the center of the float will have eight rotating panels with contemporary images alternating with historical images of occupational therapy. These panels displaying ‘OT in action’ attempt to demonstrate the breadth of the work of occupational therapy.

Serving as the foundation of the float will be the Hull House, to honor the historical roots of the occupational therapy profession.

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