



Chicago Public Schools  
Office of Early Childhood Education

## Professional Development Offerings Spring 2010

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### Art Institute of Chicago

Contact: (312) 443-9092

#### Exploring the Nature of Creativity – Folk and Outsider Art

**Date:** Saturday, April 17, 2010

**Time:** 9:30 A.M. to 5:00 P.M.

**Location:** The Art Institute of Chicago  
111 South Michigan Avenue  
Chicago, Illinois 60603

**Fee:** \$65

**Credit:** 6.5 CPDUs

### Brookfield Zoo

Contact: Lanis Petrik at (688) 837-2708 or [lanis.petrik@czs.org](mailto:lanis.petrik@czs.org)

#### Animals of the Night (two-day workshop)

**Date:** Friday, March 12, 2010

**Time:** 4:30 P.M. to 10:00 P.M.

**and**

**Date:** Saturday, March 13, 2010

**Time:** 8:30 A.M. to 4:30 P.M.

**Location:** Brookfield Zoo  
3300 Golf Road  
Brookfield, Illinois 60513

**Fee:** \$140

**Credit:** 15 CPDUs

#### Learning Centers in the Pre-K and Primary Classroom

**Date:** Saturday, March 27, 2010

**Time:** 8:30 A.M. to 3:30 P.M.

**Location:** Brookfield Zoo  
3300 Golf Road  
Brookfield, Illinois 60513

**Fee:** \$100

**Credit:** 6 CPDUs

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**Teacher Talk in the Pre-K and Primary Classroom**

**Date:** Saturday, April 24, 2010

**Time:** 8:30 A.M. to 3:30 P.M.

**Location:** Joliet Area Professional Development Association  
2705 McDonough Street  
Joliet, Illinois 60436

**Fee:** \$135 (*lunch included*)

**Credit:** 6 CPDUs

**Bureau of Education and Research (BER)**

**Contact:** [www.ber.org](http://www.ber.org)

**Powerful Early Intervention Strategies to Help Young Children with Developmental Problems & Challenging Behaviors (Preschool-Kindergarten)**

**Date:** Monday, February 22, 2010

**Time:** 8:30 A.M. to 3:15 P.M.

**Location:** Doubletree-Alsip  
5000 West 127<sup>th</sup> Street  
Alsip, Illinois 60482

**Presenter:** John Pagano

**Fee:** \$199

**Credit:** 5 CPDUs

**Powerful Early Intervention Strategies to Help Young Children with Developmental Problems & Challenging Behaviors (Preschool-Kindergarten)**

**Date:** Tuesday, February 23, 2010

**Time:** 8:30 A.M. to 3:15 P.M.

**Location:** Holiday Inn – Elk Grove Village  
1000 Busse Road  
Elk Grove Village, Illinois 60007

**Presenter:** John Pagano

**Fee:** \$199

**Credit:** 5 CPDUs

**101 Mini-Lessons to Strengthen Your Preschool or Kindergarten Program: Strategies that Work!**

**Date:** Thursday, March 18, 2010

**Time:** 8:30 A.M. to 3:15 P.M.

**Location:** Holiday Inn Hotel and Suites – Carol Stream  
150 South Gary Avenue  
Carol Stream, Illinois 60188

**Presenter:** Carolyn McMahan

**Fee:** \$199

**Credit:** 5 CPDUs

**Current, Best Strategies for Creating a Preschool Program**

**Date:** Friday, May 7, 2010

**Time:** 8:30 A.M. to 3:15 P.M.

**Location:** Holiday Inn – Oakbrook Terrace  
17W350 22<sup>nd</sup> Street  
Oakbrook Terrace, Illinois 60181-4452

**Presenters:** Bev Bos & Michael Leeman

**Fee:** \$199

**Credit:** 5 CPDUs

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## Chicago Botanic Garden

**Contact:** Eva Dubey at (847) 835-8253 or [edubey@chicagobotanic.org](mailto:edubey@chicagobotanic.org)

### **Plant Partners: Perfect Pollinators and Seed Dispensers** *(two-day workshop)*

**Dates:** Saturday, February 20, 2010

Saturday, February 27, 2010

**Time:** 8:30 A.M. to 4:30 P.M.

**Locations:** Chicago Botanic Garden *(Saturday, February 20, 2010)*  
1000 Lake Cook Road  
Glencoe, Illinois 60022

**and**

Notebaert Nature Museum *(Saturday, February 27, 2010)*  
2430 North Cannon Drive  
Chicago, Illinois 60614

**Fee:** \$130

**Credit:** 15 CPDUs, 1 Lane Credit *(1 graduate credit for an additional fee)*

### **Frank Lloyd Wright and Other Greats: Integrating Natural Landscapes into Architectural Design** *(two-day workshop)*

**Dates:** Saturday, May 29, 2010

Saturday, June 5, 2010

**Time:** 8:30 A.M. to 4:30 P.M.

**Locations:** Chicago Botanic Garden *(May 29, 2010)*  
Frederick C. Robie House *(Saturday, June 5, 2010)*  
5757 South Woodlawn Avenue  
Chicago, Illinois 60637

**Fee:** \$150

**Credit:** 15 CPDUs, 1 Lane Credit *(1 graduate credit for an additional fee)*

## Columbia College Chicago – Arts in Early Childhood Workshops

**Contact:** Dori Jacobsohn at [djacobsohn@colum.edu](mailto:djacobsohn@colum.edu) or (312) 369-8712

### **City Prints: Printmaking with Collage**

**Date:** Saturday, February 6, 2010

**Time:** 10:00 A.M. to 3:00 P.M.

**Location:** Columbia College Chicago  
Early Childhood Program  
33 East Congress Parkway  
Chicago, Illinois 60605

**Presenter:** Dori Jacobsohn

**Fee:** \$50

**Credit:** 5 CPDUs

### **Wish You Were Here: Mapping Memories**

**Date:** Saturday, February 27, 2010

**Time:** 10:00 A.M. to 3:00 P.M.

**Location:** Columbia College Chicago  
Early Childhood Program  
33 East Congress Parkway  
Chicago, Illinois 60605

**Presenter:** Jamie Thome

**Fee:** \$50

**Credit:** 5 CPDUs

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**Art and Language (with practice)**

**Date:** Saturday, March 13, 2010  
**Time:** 10:00 A.M. to 3:00 P.M.  
**Location:** Columbia College Chicago  
Early Childhood Program  
33 East Congress Parkway  
Chicago, Illinois 60605  
**Presenter:** Dori Jacobsohn  
**Fee:** \$50  
**Credit:** 5 CPDUs

**Collage Screens**

**Date:** Saturday, April 24, 2010  
**Time:** 10:00 A.M. to 3:00 P.M.  
**Location:** Columbia College Chicago  
Early Childhood Program  
33 East Congress Parkway  
Chicago, Illinois 60605  
**Presenter:** Lisa Cinelli  
**Fee:** \$50  
**Credit:** 5 CPDUs

**Erikson Institute**

**Contact:** Debby Mantia at (312) 893-7171 or [www.erikson.edu](http://www.erikson.edu)

**W625 – Unmet Needs and Challenging Behaviors**

**Date:** Friday, February 5, 2010  
**Time:** 9:00 A.M. to 3:00 P.M.  
**Location:** Erikson Institute  
451 North LaSalle Street  
Chicago, Illinois 60654  
**Presenter:** Lauren Wiley  
**Fee:** \$100  
**Credit:** 5 CPDUs

**W604 – Connecting Home & School Programming for Children with Special Needs**

**Date:** Friday, March 5, 2010  
**Time:** 9:00 A.M. to 12:00 P.M.  
**Location:** Erikson Institute  
451 North LaSalle Street  
Chicago, Illinois 60654  
**Presenter:** Sharon Basten  
**Fee:** \$60  
**Credit:** 3 CPDUs

**W630 – Social-Emotional Development: Implications for School Readiness**

**Date:** Friday, April 16, 2010  
**Time:** 9:00 A.M. to 3:00 P.M.  
**Location:** Erikson Institute  
451 North LaSalle Street  
Chicago, Illinois 60654  
**Presenter:** Jon Ashworth  
**Fee:** \$100  
**Credit:** 5 CPDUs

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## Field Museum

Contact: (312) 665-7500

### Educator Viewing – Mammoths and Mastodons: Titans of the Ice Age

**Date:** Tuesday, March 9, 2010

**Time:** 4:00 P.M. to 7:00 P.M.

**Location:** Field Museum  
1400 South Lake Shore Drive  
Chicago, Illinois 60605

**Fee:** Free with pre-registration

**Credit:** 3 CPDUs

### National Geographic Live Spring Series (four-day workshop)

#### Waking the Baby Mammoth with Dan Fisher, Paleontologist

**Date:** Tuesday, March 9, 2010

**Time:** 7:30 P.M.

#### The Big Thaw with James Balog, Photographer, Author

**Date:** Tuesday, April 13, 2010

**Time:** 7:30 P.M.

**Location:** Field Museum  
1400 South Lake Shore Drive  
Chicago, Illinois 60605

**Fee:** \$60 for the series

**Credit:** 9 CPDUs

## Illinois Resource Center

Contact: [www.thecenterweb.org](http://www.thecenterweb.org)

### Illinois Early Learning Standards for All Children 3 to 5 Years Old

**Date:** Thursday, March 25, 2010

**Time:** 8:30 A.M. to 3:30 P.M.

**Location:** Double Tree Hotel  
5000 West 127<sup>th</sup> Street  
Alsip, Illinois 60803

**Presenter:** Sallee Beneke

**Fee:** Free

**Credit:** 5 CPDUs

### Workshops, Dittos and Pre-Crafted Art – Oh My!

**Date:** Saturday, February 27, 2010

**Time:** 8:30 A.M. to 12:00 P.M.

**Location:** Prairie State College  
Business and Community Education Center  
202 South Halsted Street  
Chicago Heights, Illinois 60411

**Presenter:** Karla Konieczki

**Fee:** Free

**Credit:** 3 CPDUs

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**Engaging Prekindergarten Environments for Young Learners**

**Date:** Friday, February 26, 2010  
**Time:** 8:30 A.M. to 2:30 P.M.  
**Location:** Prairie State College  
Business and Community Education Center  
202 South Halsted Street  
Chicago Heights, Illinois 60411  
**Presenters:** Joan Leff & Connie Shugart  
**Fee:** Free  
**Credit:** 5 CPDUs

**Shaping the Brain for Learning**

**Date:** Thursday, February 18, 2010  
**Time:** 9:00 A.M. to 3:00 P.M.  
**Location:** The Center: Resources for Teaching & Learning  
2626 South Clearbrook Drive  
Arlington Heights, Illinois 60005  
**Presenter:** Judy Harris Helm  
**Fee:** Free  
**Credit:** 5 CPDUs

**Project Approach Level II: Projects in Practice**

**Date:** Friday, March 12, 2010  
**Time:** 9:00 A.M. to 2:30 P.M.  
**Location:** The Center: Resources for Teaching & Learning  
2626 South Clearbrook Drive  
Arlington Heights, Illinois 60005  
**Presenters:** Sallee Beneke & Lilian Katz  
**Fee:** Free  
**Credit:** 5 CPDUs

**Using a Reading/Writing Workshop Approach to Differentiate Instruction for Children in Pre-K**

**Date:** Friday, March 26, 2010  
**Time:** 8:30 A.M. to 2:30 P.M.  
**Location:** Hyatt Lisle  
1400 Corporetum Drive  
Lisle, Illinois 60532  
**Presenter:** Kathy Barday  
**Fee:** Free  
**Credit:** 5 CPDUs

**Numbers and Books: Involving Teachers and Parents in Math and Literacy Development**

**Date:** Thursday, March 11, 2010  
**Time:** 9:00 A.M. to 3:00 P.M.  
**Location:** Prairie State College  
Business and Community Education Center  
202 South Halsted Street  
Chicago Heights, Illinois 60411  
**Presenter:** Bob Rockwell  
**Fee:** Free  
**Credit:** 5 CPDUs

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## **Shedd Aquarium**

**Contact:** Amy Christianson at (312) 692-3165

**Teacher Field Experience: Freshwater Ecology** *(five-day workshop)*

**Dates:** June 15-19, 2010

**Time:** 8:30 A.M. to 4:30 P.M.

**Location:** Shedd Aquarium  
1200 South Lake Shore Drive  
Chicago, Illinois 60615

**Fee:** \$150

**Credit:** 30 CPDUs, 2 Lane Credits *(2 graduate credits for an additional fee)*

## **Starnet Region V**

**Contact:** (773) 553-5596 or [www.StarnetChicago.org](http://www.StarnetChicago.org) or go to catalogue on the Early Childhood Web site

## **Online Course**

### **Center for Early Education and Development (CEED)**

**Bridging Education and Mental Health**

**Dates:** March 1 to May 3, 2010 *(register by February 22, 2010)*

**Instructor:** Leah Hjelseth

**Fee:** \$225 *(plus materials)*

**Credit:** 24 clock hours