



Interpreters of the Deaf, LLC and
Wright State University's Sign Language
Interpreting program present:



PTASL THAT!

PTASL THAT! will begin with an introduction to the ProTactile philosophy, culture, and language. This workshop will emphasize approaches that are culturally appropriate within the DeafBlind community. This hands-on course will enable participants to use PTASL by introducing the basic components of PTASL, and how to provide effective access for those who are DeafBlind.

Presented in ASL.

During this workshop, participants will:

- Acquire the understanding of the principals of PTASL.
- Gain knowledge about how visual and environmental information can be shared with people who are DeafBlind through the use of PTASL
- Understand the roles and responsibilities when using PTASL.
- Develop skills to use PTASL in a variety of situations and environments.
- Use and practice PTASL techniques.
- Acknowledge the impact PTASL has on the DeafBlind members of the community and how its use removes barriers, promotes inclusion and challenges the status quo

Saturday March 2, 2019
9:00 AM—4:00 PM

Wright State University
009 Student Success Center
Auditorium

3640 Colonel Glenn Hwy.
Dayton, OH 45435
Parking in lots 6 & 7

**1 hour lunch on your own*

Jason Herbers is a DeafBlind person, an advocate, and a teacher. He graduated from Gallaudet University in 1996 with BS in Computer Information Systems. He retired after 15+ years in the information technology field with his last position being Computer Support Team Leader at Gallaudet University. He currently teaches DeafBlind Interpreting at Cincinnati State Technical and Community College in Cincinnati, Ohio and at Wright State University in Dayton, Ohio. He has taken several Train The Trainers programs and frequently gives workshops with topics including Pro-Tactile and Touch Signals (Haptics). He is married to Deanna Herbers and they have two children, Kyanna and Brandon. In his spare time, he enjoys sports news, especially football, and running a football fantasy league.

Annie Welch, M.A. is a full-time faculty member at Wright State University in the American Sign Language/Deaf Studies Minor Program and Sign Language Interpreting Program. She is also an adjunct instructor at Cincinnati State Technical and Community College, teaching courses including DeafBlind Interpreting in the Interpreter Training Program. She received her B.A. degree from Wright State University and her M.A. degree from Gallaudet University. She had over ten years of experience working in the mental health field as a direct service provider and as a coordinator for the Deaf and DeafBlind community before beginning in the field of ASL teaching full-time. She has worked approximately eighteen years in ASL instruction and mentoring, and with the DeafBlind community as a Deaf Interpreter and Support Service Provider (SSP) for 15+ years. Welch resides in Northern Kentucky with her husband, where they are devoted parents to their beautiful children, Abby (15) and Ally (12).

<p>Early Bird Registration:</p> <p>CEUS: \$45 ID Contractors/No CEUS/ Students: \$35</p>	<p>After February 8, 2019</p> <p>CEUS: \$55 ID Contractors/No CEUS/ Students: \$45 Registration Deadline: 2/27/19</p>
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***Requests for accommodations must be made with payment by February 8, 2019**

This event is intended to be supportive, nonthreatening, and a safe environment of mutual respect and free from bias.



Interpreters of the Deaf, LLC is an approved sponsor for RID continuing education units. This activity is offered for 0.60 professional studies CEUs and assumes some knowledge of the topic. This activity also satisfies requirements of Power, Privilege and Oppression CEUs. Participants must complete all required activities to earn CEUs. No partial CEUs will be awarded.

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