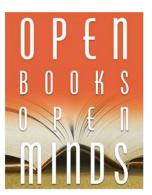
# 2019 Florida Literacy Conference Exhibitor Information Kit

May 1-3 · The Plaza Resort · Daytona Beach, FL

The Florida Literacy Coalition is pleased to announce the **35<sup>th</sup> Annual Florida** Literacy Conference: Open Books Open Minds. The conference will take place May 1-3, 2019, at The Plaza Resort in Daytona Beach, FL. We expect



approximately **450-500** attendees from adult education, literacy, ESOL and family literacy programs throughout Florida. Of our attendees, approximately **40%** are program administrators and **43%** are teachers from public and non-profit adult education/literacy programs.

Through **sponsorship**, **advertisements** and/or an **exhibit space** you can promote your company at the conference. Please see the enclosed pages to take advantage of these marketing opportunities.

**Exhibiting** at the 2019 Florida Literacy Conference has been designed with the highest visibility and traffic in mind. As a potential exhibitor, you will be pleased to know that:

- The exhibit area will be located in the main foyer along with registration and conveniently near all general and concurrent session rooms.
- All refreshment breaks will take place in the exhibit hall area.
- The Florida Literacy Coalition will provide a link to each exhibitor's website on www.floridaliteracy.org, which receives an average of approximately **3,700** visitors per week.
- All exhibitors will have a listing in the conference program and attendees will be encouraged to visit exhibitors at the Opening General Session.
- Conference sponsors can have their software loaded onto the computers in the computer lab where, during open times, attendees can demo software on their own.
- Exhibitors will be given the opportunity to promote their products through special drawings held during breaks and at the closing general session.

Exhibitors who have purchased a table may propose a workshop session using the *Call for Presenters* online form. Presentations by exhibitors will be labeled as such in the conference program. Exhibitors will be limited to one concurrent session. Exhibitors who are also sponsors, however, will be permitted to submit two proposals. FLC will contact exhibitors on a first come, first serve basis to choose table(s) for those whose exhibitor application is completed and payment is received online or postmarked by **March 6, 2019**. As always, exhibit space will be limited. If space is available, exhibitors will be able to purchase a second table for **\$150**. A timely request will increase the possibility of purchasing an additional table. We will do our best to accommodate as many exhibitors as possible.

## **Cancellation/Refund**

Your exhibit fee is refundable if FLC receives written notice of your cancellation on or before March 13, 2019 (a \$25 processing fee will be applied). We will not be able to refund fees if cancellation is received after this date.

# **Exhibitor Eligibility**

The Florida Literacy Coalition, Inc. reserves the right to determine the eligibility of any company for inclusion in the conference and reserves the right to reject or prohibit any exhibit in whole or in part, or any exhibitor or his/her representative. No refund will be made as a result of the removal.

# **Exhibitor Liability**

The exhibitor agrees to make no claim for any reason against the Florida Literacy Coalition, Inc. and any contractors for loss, theft, damage or destruction of goods, nor for any damage to his/her business by reason of the exhibit; nor for any injury to him/herself or employees; nor for any action of any nature of the conference or its members, offices, committees, agents, or employees.

### Freight

Exhibitors should go directly to the hotel for shipping needs. Exhibitors will be responsible for applicable charges relating to their individual package receiving/shipping needs. Please contact the hotel event manager, Kelly Clapsaddle at <u>KClapsaddle@PlazaResortandSpa.com</u>.

# Set Up and Dismantling

The exhibitor agrees to be set up prior to visitation hours. The exhibitor may not dismantle the exhibit prior to the listed times.

# **Electric & Additional Needs**

Wi-Fi is available in the meeting space. Electrical outlets are also available but are limited. Please contact Nicole at <u>ncaban@floridaliteracy.org</u> for details.

### Fees

The \$350 per table fee entitles you to the following:

- Company name and description listed in conference program
- Conference admission for up to (two) company representatives including Opening Reception.
- One 6' or 8' table, two chairs

# **Exhibitor Timeline**

#### *Exhibitor Set-up*: Tuesday, April 30, 3:00pm-5:30pm /Wednesday, May 1, 7:00am-8:30am

Visitation: Wednesday, May 1, 8:30am-6:00pm/ Thursday, May 2, 8:00am-3:30pm

*Exhibitor Take-down:* Thursday, May 2, 3:30pm-4:30pm

# **Hotel Reservation**

Room rates for attendees and exhibitors of the Florida Literacy Conference start at \$122. Reservations must be made on or before April 2, 2019. Group rates apply two days before and two days after the meeting dates of May 1-3. Reserve your room <u>online</u> or call 1-866-500-5630 and ask for the Florida Literacy Conference room block.

Please note: Exhibits will be located in the main foyer along with registration. This room will be locked after exhibit hours. Please be advised there will be no additional security provided.

#### **Conference Exhibit Contact**

Nicole Caban Phone: (407) 246-7110 ext. 203 Fax: (407) 246-7104

ncaban@floridaliteracy.org

# Deadline: March 6, 2019

# **Organization** – This is how your company name will appear in conference program listing. Organization Name:

Address:

City:

State, Zip Code:

Exhibitor abstract to appear in conference program: (30 word maximum)

## **Contact Information**

Office Representative:

Job Title:	
Office Address:	
E-mail Address:	
Telephone Number:	
Conference Representative Attending:	
Conference Representative Attending #2:	

In order to process your exhibitor request, please submit payment with this completed form to FLC. You may fax this form to the Florida Literacy Coalition at (407)-246-7104 ATTN: Exhibitors. Or, you may mail the completed form and payment to:

Florida Literacy Coalition, Inc.

ATTN: Exhibitors

235 Maitland Ave. S #102, Maitland, FL 32751

#### Please complete your preferred payment method:

For credit card payment, please use the online form here: <u>https://bit.ly/2PHHJJV</u>

□ My check is enclosed. (Please make checks payable to "Florida Literacy Coalition")

Check #\_\_\_\_\_

□ Please invoice my agency (purchase order or letter of approval must be attached)

PO#\_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Billing address: \_\_\_\_\_

Please reserve 1 table at ...... \$350.00

**O** Please reserve 1 additional table at... **\$150.00** 

# TOTAL AMOUNT DUE = \$\_\_\_\_

Space is reserved and assigned based upon the date that payment is received and according to technical services required. To ensure your space, please mail the registration form with payment. Space cannot be reserved by faxing an application. If paying by check, please indicate on your check the name of the company exhibiting. If requesting to reserve one additional table, send a separate check. In the event we cannot accommodate this request, we will contact you to determine whether to destroy or mail back the second check.

Please contact Nicole Caban

with any questions,

comments or concerns

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