9th Annual LACCD GISABILITY SUMMIT

2023

Theme: Learning disability



Friday, October 27th, 2023

8:00am to 2:30pm. **Registration begins 8:00am.**

Continental breakfast and lunch provided



LA Harbor College Theater



Keynote Speaker Jonathan Mooney

This presentation will be titled "Normal Sucks" will include the following segments:

- Reframe the problem:
 Different isn't Deficient
- Accommodate: Change the environment not the person
- Challenge the Deficit model: focus on strengths



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Flex Credit for Faculty Training is Available

Francisco C. Rodriguez, Ph.D.

Los Angeles Community College District

Keynote Speaker Araksya Arutyunyan, PsyD

Dr. Araksya Arutyunyan is a Licensed Clinical Psychologist specializing in evaluating and working with neurodivergent youth. Currently, Dr. Araksya is the Learning Disability Specialist at LAVC.

Dr. Araksya will provide an overview of what Learning Disabilities are in general, from a neurodiversity perspective, and what they look like on our campuses.



She will also recommend practical ways we can support students who struggle with Learning "Differences" focusing on Universal Design.



A nationally recognized

advocate for neurological

and physical diversity, he has

published three books: The

Short Bus, Learning Outside

the Lines, and Normal Sucks.

at: bit.ly/3qyUQRN

Administrators, faculty and staff are encouraged to attend.



Public Accommodation:

If you need to request an accommodation such as printed information in alternate formats, Assistive Listening Devices, or request a Sign Language Interpreter, please contact Adrian Gonzalez, 818.833.3313 or gonzala@laccd.edu.









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