

## Registration Information:

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Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Pager/Phone/VP: \_\_\_\_\_  
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\_\_\_\_\_ \$35 WisASLTA Member

\_\_\_\_\_ \$40 Non-member

**Breakfast** -coffee, juice, fresh bakery,  
**Lunch**-Sandwich buffet- 3 meats, 2  
breads, trimmings, soup, coffee/tea/milk  
**Snacks**-drink, cookie and chips  
ALL INCLUDED

**Food only available for PRE PAID  
REGISTRATIONS (NOT at the door)**

**To join, click:**

<http://www.wisaslta.org/wp-content/uploads/2008/04/wisasltamembershipform.doc>

**Total paid:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Confirmation:** sent via email

**\*\*No refunds after Feb. 20<sup>th</sup>**

## Sponsors:



**Thanks to Northcentral Technical  
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**CEUs applied for through  
WisRID. ASLTA certificate of  
workshop hours will be given.**

## **Teaching ASL in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century: State of the Art on Standards, Pedagogy, and Professionalism**

**By Jason E. Zinza**

February 28, 2009

8:30 AM – 5 PM

Northcentral Tech Room E101/102

**Presented in ASL, NO Interpreters**

Effectively teaching ASL in the 21st century requires teachers to keep up with current approaches and perspectives to maximize student learning. This hands-on workshop introduces and reinforces key concepts that are essential to rejuvenate tired teaching and bring the classroom to life. National standards, task-based learning, and learning outcomes form the foundation of this workshop. Activities and discussion will help you put theory into practice. The role and responsibilities of the ASL teacher as a language teaching professional will be highlighted as we work together to increase our knowledge and skills to benefit students.

## About the Presenter:

Jason E. Zinza is the author of *Master ASL!*, the first comprehensive American Sign Language textbook to meet national foreign language standards. He is a frequent presenter on topics related to ASL teaching, learning, and assessment at the high school and university levels, and provides consultant services on ASL curriculum development and teacher licensure. Currently, he serves on ASLTA's task force developing national ASL standards and coordinates the ASL Honor Society. A native signer, his primary interest is in developing materials for ASL learners that increase communicative competence and meet national / state standards. He was awarded the T.J. O'Rourke Memorial Award for significant contributions to the field of ASL teacher training by ASLTA in 2007.

## Workshop Site:

Northcentral Technical College

1000 W Campus Drive

Wausau, Wisconsin 54401

For directions to NTC campus, go to <http://www.ntc.edu/maps/index.htm>. Rooms E101/102 next to Dining area, <http://www.ntc.edu/pdf/WausauMainCampusPlan.pdf>.

## Who will benefit from attending?

ASL & Deaf Studies K-College Educators, Interpreter Trainers, students, ASL Specialists and Mentors

## Schedule:

8:00 am: Check-in

8:30 am: Workshop

12:00 pm: Lunch

12:30 pm: General Meeting & Election (only Members can vote)

1:30 pm: Workshop Cont

5:00 pm: Wrap up

## **“Teaching ASL in the 21st Century: State of the Art on Standards, Pedagogy, and Professionalism”**

**Saturday, February 28, 2009**

**8:30 AM – 5:00 PM**

\$Northcentral Technical College  
Rooms E101/102, Wausau, WI

**Hotels:** The Plaza Hotel & Suites, 201 N. 17<sup>th</sup> Ave.; less than 1 mile from campus, \$89 per night (includes fridge, micro, & coffee pot). <http://www.plazawausau.com/reservations.htm>. 800-754-9728.

**LaQuinta Inn**, 1910 Stewart Avenue, \$53/night (includes breakfast). 715-842-0421 under WisASLTA block. <http://www.lq.com/lq/properties/propertyProfile.do?ident=LQ4004&propId=4004>.

## **Registration & Payment:**

**\$35 Members; \$40 Nonmembers**  
Includes workshop handouts, certificate of attendance, CEU, 2 meals, and snacks. Participants provide their own hotel and transportation.

Registration must be postmarked by **February 20**, 2009. Make check to **Wisconsin ASLTA**; mail to:

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5313 Windwood Circle  
McFarland, WI 53558