**Application**

**Professional Experience Summary:** Please provide a brief (no more than one or two paragraphs) description of your professional experience including current work setting/caseload and a statement of why you wish to attend this conference. If this summary is not enclosed, your application will be returned.

Send the above summary, the form below, and payment to:

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The Stuttering Foundation
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Name
Address
City/State/Zip
Phone:  (       ) Fax  (       ) E-mail

Conference fee: $100.00 Total enclosed   $ Date

Credit Card:
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Please make check payable to: The Stuttering Foundation. We also welcome purchase orders.

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**Program**

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**Learning Objectives**

After this conference, participants will be able to:

1. design preschool stuttering assessments to yield data that can best guide diagnosis and decision-making; 2. decide whether a young child is benefitting from an intervention program; 3. determine if a school is providing a quality education for children with stuttering; 4. problem-solve solutions to modify treatment approaches; 5. apply problem-solving strategies to modify treatment approaches (i.e., direct or indirect); and 6. apply problem-solving strategies to modify treatment approaches.

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**Admission/Registration**

Attendance will be limited. Preference will be given to early applicants. Deadline for application is June 1, 2007.

Fee
The $100.00 registration fee includes a continental breakfast both days and lunch and a social hour on Saturday. The fee is non-refundable. Visa, MasterCard, and purchase orders are accepted.

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**Housing**

Accommodations will be available at the Cincinnati Airport Marriott. Rates are $99.00 single or double occupancy.

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**Setting**

All meetings of the Conference will be held at the Cincinnati Airport Marriott in Hebron, Kentucky. The hotel has a pool, fitness center, and high-speed Internet access.
Barry Guitar, Ph.D., is author of a widely-used textbook on stuttering that is now in its third edition. He has also written a practical workbook for use with children who stutter. He has produced numerous films—notably Stuttering and Your Child: Help for Parents. He has worked extensively on basic and applied clinical research to improve treatment for those who stutter. For more than 30 years, he has taught at the University of Vermont.

Kristin A. Chmela, M.A., was a school clinician for five years then owned a private practice and consulting firm specializing in working with children and treatment of childhood stuttering for clinicians working in the school setting. She currently works in a private practice in the Chicago area and is an instructor at Northwestern University.

Conference Description

In this 1.5-day conference, best practices for assessing and treating preschool children who stutter will be presented by expert clinicians. Barry Guitar, M.A., will present an overview of stuttering and research evidence for assessing children's risk for stuttering. kristin A. Chmela, M.A., will present an overview of preschool assessment and intervention programs for children who stutter.

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