

CASLPA 2012 NEWS!

Planning for the CASLPA 2012 Conference in beautiful St. John's is well underway! Co-chairs, Kerri March and Jill Perry attended CASLPA 2011 in Montreal from April 27-30 to promote the conference in St. John's. The promotional presentation given during this year's AMM was enthusiastically received by attendees who are excited to visit our beautiful province and attend our conference. Delegates were also quite interested in the tourist and conference information presented at the Conference 2012 booth. Feedback regarding our program was genuinely positive and is appealing to clinicians from diverse backgrounds.

CASLPA 2012 will be held at the Delta St. John's from May 9-12, 2012. The preconference will be held on May 9th with Brenda Smith-Myles confirmed to present on Autism. We also have many speakers confirmed to present during conference. Confirmed speakers to date are:

Barry Guitar – Fluency
Ellen Hickey – Dementia/Aphasia
Teresa Paslovski – Neuropharmacology
Penelope Basclavi – Ultrasound/Articulation
Catriona Steele – Dysphagia
LouAnne McFarlane – Motivational Interviewing
Clark Rosen – Voice
Angi Critchell – Apps and internet Sites
Nichola Wolf Nelson – Child Language
Pam Marshalla – Oral Motor and Articulation

In addition to these speakers, the Program Committee is in the process of confirming a speaker for the Audiology one day program. Local speakers are also being confirmed.

All committees are working hard to confirm speakers, line up entertainment, promote the conference and obtain sponsors. With hard-working committees and great presenters, CASLPA 2012 in St. John's promises to be an amazing one! Please visit the CASLPA website for further updates.