



One Day Professional Development

Infant Toddler Refresher Workshop with Sarah Forseth
Early Childhood Refresher Workshop with Olga Dantus

Cost – \$65 (lunch included) \$75 for non-MEPI member

Global Montessori Academy
707 W 47th St
(in the lower level of Unity Temple on the Plaza)
Kansas City, MO 64112

Q&A Panel - Thurs. Oct. 21, 2010
5pm

Workshops – Friday Oct. 22, 2010
9am – 5pm

Thursday evening **Panel** is open to all interested persons and will comprise of experts from Infant-Toddler, Early Childhood and Elementary. Focus will be the development of the child and how the Montessori approach benefits the child at each level.

Workshops will focus on Classroom Management, Sensorial & Language lessons, and extensions.

A Certificate of Attendance with workshop hours will be presented to all workshop participants. MEPI members will receive a complementary MEPI gift.

Name _____ / _____
Please print as you would like it on your nametag / Signature

Address _____

Phone _____ Email _____

Affiliated School _____

Send PAYMENT along with this form to:

MEPI
PO Box 24085
Overland Park KS 66283

	QTY	Cost Each	Total
MEPI Membership	_____	\$ 40.00	\$ _____
Member Workshop fee	_____	\$ 65.00	\$ _____
Non-Member Workshop fee	_____	\$ 75.00	\$ _____
		Total Due	\$ _____ <small>Check payable to MEPI</small>

I will be attending the _____ Infant Toddler workshop _____ Early Childhood workshop

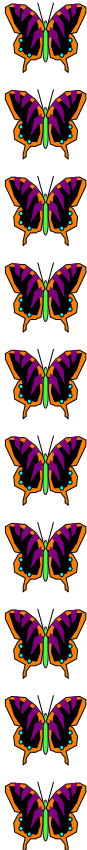
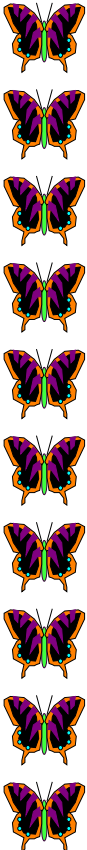
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In Case of Emergency:
Name of Person to Contact: _____
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Cancellation policy: A written request for all refunds must be sent to the MEPI office
a. Refund of workshop fee, less \$15 processing fee, if received by Oct. 13, 2010
b. After Oct. 13, 2010 an additional lunch fee will also be deducted from your refund.
c. Requests received after Wed. Oct. 27, 2010 will not be honored. Membership fees are non-refundable.



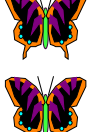
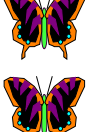
~ *A little about our Workshop Presenters* ~





Sarah Forseth has been a guide in a Montessori toddler environment since 2002. Currently she directs the Infant Program at Palmetto Montessori School in South Carolina. After receiving her Bachelor's Degree at the U. of Carolina, she continued her studies in Early Childhood with emphasis on respect-based education philosophies. She anticipates building respectful relationships not only with the children, but with entire families. She is thoroughly convinced that the strength of a family is the fundamental force in shaping a life. The combining of family principles and values with respect becomes the intricate element sculpting the foundation for a continuous love of learning. In 2004, Sarah completed her MEPI Infant Toddler certification and in 2006, she fulfilled requirements for RIE-1 (Resources for Infant Educators). She serves as an IT Instructor and Field Supervisor for the Institute for Guided Studies under MEPI and directs parent education classes.



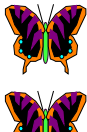

Olga Dantus earned her teaching diploma in 1963 and has been working in a classroom since then. Her first 10 years were in a traditional American school in Mexico. She specialized in Special Education and worked with language and disabled children for several years. She took AMI training in Mexico in 1971 and opened her own school. She was the principal, administrator and Montessori Directress for 35 years. In addition, she worked as a family counselor in Brief Therapy. She also trained Montessori teachers for 18 years at the Centro de Educacion Continua. Ms. Olga has led Montessori workshops and has done class consultations in Mexico, Central and South America, Canada and the United States.



Six years ago, Ms. Olga's husband, Mr. Leon Dantus was offered a position as the Adolescent Guide at Keystone Montessori School. They moved to Phoenix and fell in love with the Keystone community. Since then she has been very active as a mentor and consultant at Keystone.



Ms. Olga has been very happily married to Mr. Leon for 43 years. They have a son and a daughter and 4 wonderful grandchildren!



For further information about these workshops, please contact
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