



## **2006 Spring Conference**



**Stephen G. Barkley**  
**Keynote Presenter**

Steve Barkley was the keynote presenter for the conference. He has 20 years experience serving as a consultant to school districts, teacher organizations, state departments of education and colleges throughout the US and Canada. He has designed and conducted short and long term inservice training for teachers and administrators of all levels and has extensive experience guiding districts through the process of school restructuring and site based management, as well as working with both teachers and students to develop School-to-Work programs. With the publication of his new book, "Quality Teaching in a Culture of Coaching", Steve stands out as an authority on developing and sustaining quality school mentoring and coaching programs.











1:45 pm - 2:45 pm

**CONCURRENT SESSIONS**  
GACE Assessment for Georgia Educators / Replacing the PRAXIS 1 & 2  
Title IIA Staff

GPS - Social Studies  
Curriculum & Instructions Staff

Hall / Walton

A Framework for Assisting Students with Disabilities Make AYP  
John O'Connor & Lynn Williams, Special Education

Gwinnett

The Work of Academic Coaches  
Vickie Lindsey - Teacher Quality

Salons 6 - 8

2:45 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. SHORT Break

3:00 pm - 4:00 pm **CONCURRENT SESSIONS**  
Student Achievement Pyramid of Intervention  
Wanda Creel, School Improvement

Salon 5

GPS - Math  
Curriculum & Instructions Staff

Hall / Walton

Using the Standards Assessment Inventory (SAI) for System Improvement  
Planning School Improvement Professional Learning Team

Gwinnett

Georgia's Teacher Success Model - A New Model of Performance  
Assessment for Teachers and Leaders  
Wendy Hughes, Teacher Quality

Salons 6 - 8

**Thursday, March 16**

7:30 - 8:30 a.m.

Salon 5

7:30 a.m. Registration

8:00 - 9:45 a.m. Continental Breakfast

9:45 - 10:15 a.m. STEVE BARKLEY, Keynote Address

10:15 - 12:00 a.m. BREAK

12:0 - 1:30 p.m. STEVE BARKLEY, continued

Salons 5 - 8



School Improvement Network  
Plated Luncheon

1:30 - 2:45 p.m.

Salon 4

2:45 - 3:00 p.m. STEVE BARKLEY, continued

3:00 - 5:00 p.m. SHORT Break

STEVE BARKLEY, continued

**Georgia Staff Development Council  
2006 Spring Conference Program**

**Wednesday, March 15**

8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. Registration

Salons 5 - 8

9:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m. Opening / General Session  
Georgia Department of Education & Professional Practices & Development Commission  
Annual updates presented in concurrent sessions

Hall / Walton

10:00 a.m. - 10:15 a.m. SHORT Break

10:15 a.m. - 11:15 a.m. **CONCURRENT SESSIONS**  
Highly Qualified: Issues in Special Education

Gwinnett

GPS - English/Language Arts  
Curriculum & Instructions Staff

Salons 6 - 8

The Georgia Standards for School Improvement (GSSP) & The Georgia School Performance Review (GSPR) & School Improvement  
Linda Calhoun, School Improvement

Salon 5

Georgia's Teacher Success Model - A New Model of Performance  
Assessment for Teachers and Leaders  
Wendy Hughes, Teacher Quality

Hall / Walton

11:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. Concurrent Sessions  
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GPS - Science  
Curriculum & Instructions Staff

Salon 5

The Work of Academic Coaches  
Vickie Lindsey - Teacher Quality

Salons 6 - 8

Using the Standards Assessment Inventory (SAI) for System Improvement  
Planning School Improvement Professional Learning Team

Salon 4



Pearson Achievement Solutions  
Plated Luncheon