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| **Thursday, February 6, 2025**3:30 P.M.Check in for PDs4:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m.***Exploring the Mittin: Introduction to Virtual Reality Life Skills Skills Instructions for Students with E/BD--***James Nuse (PhD, BCBA-D).**5:15 p.m.-6:15 p.m.*****Building the Foundation: Essential Strategies for Supporting Students with E/BD--***LaSheba Hilliard (EdD).6:30 p.m.-7:30 p.m.***It Takes A Village to Develop an Effective Support System for Students with E/BD--***Elizabeth Hardman (PhD).7:45 p.m.-8:45 p.m.***Building an Optimal Learning Environment Through Trauma Invested Practices--***Mary Mangione (MA). |

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| **Friday, February 7, 2025**3:00 p.m.Check in for PDs3:30 p.m.-4:30 p.m.***The Stories We Tell Ourselves: Harnessing the Power of Language to Foster Success--***Michelle Laird (EdD).4:45 p.m.-5:45 p.m.***Effective Low-Intensity Interventions to Address the Rise in Challenging Behavior in the Classroom--***Richard Van Acker (EdD).6:00 p.m.-7:00 p.m.***Learning Terms and Collaborating on Behavior Interventions--***Amanda Cash (PhD, BCBA-D, LBA).7:15 p.m.-8:15 p.m.***Incorporating Cultural Competencies in the Classroom--***Roch Turner (PhD). |

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| **Saturday, February 8, 2025**8 a.m.Check in for PDs8:30 a.m.-9:30 a.m.***Key Discipline Issues--***Neal Takiff, Attorney at Law and Shermin Ali Andana, Attorney at Law, Whitted Takiff, LLC.9:45 a.m.-10:45 a.m.***Advocating for Autism: The Implementation of Classroom Strategies--***Paula Stewart (PP-OTD, OTR/L).11 a.m.-12 noon***How to Interview, Position, and Support your Behavior Specialist--***Heather Volchko (MEd, BCBA).12 NOON-12:30 p.m.--Break12:30 p.m.-1:30 p.m.***Facilitating Effective Problem Solving Meetings--***Samantha Barrett (M.S., BCBA, LBS1).1:45 p.m.-2:45 p.m.***Pathological Demand Avoidance Syndrome--***Elena Ghionis (EdD)3:00 p.m.-4:00 p.m.***I Ain't Sus: Transforming Exclusionary Discipline into Empowering Support Systems--***Matthew Hayes (AS, NLP) and Heather Volchko (MEd, BCBA). |

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| **Sunday, February 9, 2025**12:30 p.m.Check in for PDs1:OO p.m.-2:00 p.m.***Creating Safe Places: Fostering Learning and Growth for All Learners--***Lisa Cipriano (MEd, BCBA).2:15 p.m.-3:15 p.m.***Let's Talk About Consequences--***Keri Sullivan (EdD, BCBA).3:30 p.m.-4:30 p.m.***﻿Connecting Self-Advocacy to Writing for Youth At-Risk for E/BD in a Juvenile Justice Facility--***Alyson Pitzel (PhD). |

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