

**PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM**  
**TUESDAY December 12, 2006**  
**Sheraton Lansing Hotel, 925 S. Creyts Road. Lansing, Michigan**

**Topic: “Dropout Among Students with Disabilities: Causes, Consequences and Remedies”**

**Presenter:** Dr. Loujeania W. Bost, Director of the National Dropout Prevention Center for Students with Disabilities, Clemson University

**Overall Goal/Objective of Program:** To enhance the capacity of special education administration to effectively address high dropout rates among students with disabilities

**Specific Learning Outcomes for Participants will:**

- a. Increase their understanding about correlate risk factors associated with high rates of dropouts among students with disabilities and why dropout is a national concern.
- b. Have the opportunity to engage in discussions about the role of administrators in dropout prevention for students with disabilities.
- c. Receive and discuss 10 effective strategies for building dropout prevention programs.
- d. Receive a systematic framework to use as guidance to effectively address dropout prevention within their schools.

**Workshop Schedule and Details:**

1. Program is Tuesday December 12, 2006
2. Registration 7:45 – 8:50 am, program begins as 9:00, lunch 12:00, adjourn 3:30.
3. Registration fees are not refundable without a **72-hour cancellation notice**.
4. Pre-registration is required.
5. SB – CEUs: .5 State Board Continuing Education Units will be granted to each participant pending approval. To receive SB-CEU credit, you must be on time and stay until the end of the program. No partial credit will be offered.
6. Registration fee is **\$65** for members and **\$85** for non-members. **\$10** late fee for registrations after due date. Fees include: refreshments, lunch and materials.
7. Register on line at **maase.org**
8. Mail check, payable to MAASE along with a copy of receipt by **December 6, 2006** to:

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