**Wednesday, April 1, 2020**

***Complimentary coffee service offered from 8am to noon at the end of 2nd floor exhibitor’s hall.***

**9-10 a.m. Concurrent Sessions**

**A1. Take our Money, Please!**Stuart Rockoff - Room 216
(0.1 CEU)

**A2. A Standard for Success: Making the AASL Standards Work for You**Venetia Oglesby - Room 214
(0.1 CEU)

**A3. My First Book Club: Read-Aloud Programming for Beginning Readers\***
Montana Rindahl - Room 210
(0.1 CEU)

**A4. Teen Age Connection**
Brandi Parker and Dianne McLaurin - Room 218 B
(0.1 CEU)

**A5. What’s the Issue (or the Trade, or the Graphic Novel)?: Comics and Graphic Novels for Everyone**

Katelyn Brown and Ally Watkins - Room 218 A(0.1 CEU)

**10:15-11:15 a.m. Concurrent Sessions**

**B1. Spend Our Money, Please!**Althea Jerome, Kathryn Lewis, and Caroline Gillespie - Room 216
(0.1 CEU)

**B2. Overlooked: Books Worth a Second Chance\***Teri Lesesne and Karin Perry - Room 214
(0.1 CEU)

**B3. Let's PLAY! Hands-On Activities to Celebrate National Poetry Month (All Year Long!)**
Irene Latham - Room 210
(0.1 CEU)

**B4. We Can Write! How Author/Illustrator Visits Can Transform Your Community\***
Hanna Lee and Amanda Tutor - Room 218 A
(0.1 CEU)

**B5. Diversity in Chapter Books for Developing Readers**
Alison Buehler- Room 218 B
(0.1 CEU)

**11:30 a.m.
Welcome Session**

*Announcements**Magnolia Awards Announced*

**Ballrooms**

 **12 – 1:30 p.m.**

**Coleen Salley Storytelling Luncheon with Michael Fry ($20)
Ballrooms**(0.1 CEU)

 **1:45-2:45 p.m.**
**deGrummond Lecture with Sonia Manzano**
**Ballrooms**
(0.1 CEU)

 **3-4:15 p.m. Autographing at Barnes and Noble**

 **3:15-4:15 p.m. Second Chance Concurrent Sessions**

**S1.  Overlooked: Books Worth a Second Chance**Teri Lesesne and Karin Perry - Room 214
(0.1 CEU)

**S2. We Can Write! How Author/Illustrator Visits Can Transform Your Community**
Hanna Lee and Amanda Tutor - Room 218 A
(0.1 CEU)

**S3. My First Book Club: Read-Aloud Programming for Beginning Readers**
Montana Rindahl - Room 210
(0.1 CEU)

**S4. Cricket Challenges: Engaging Readers in Exploring Their World**
Jo Hackl – Room 218 B

**4:30-5:30 p.m. Concurrent Sessions**

**C1. Host Your Own Mock Ezra Jack Keats Award**Frances Morrissey, Diana White, Mary Kelley, and Caroline Romans - Room 216
(0.1 CEU)

**C2. The Children's Poetry Legacy of Lee Bennett Hopkins**Karla Schmit - Room 214
(0.1 CEU)

**C3. I Have an iPad...Now What? Integrating Technology and Makerspace Tools into a School Library Setting**
Amanda Izard - Room 210
(0.1 CEU)

**C4. Cricket Challenges: Engaging Readers in Exploring Their World\***
Jo Hackl - Room 218 A
(0.1 CEU)

**C5. Kick Start Your Summer Reading Program Planning!**
Alex Brower and Stacy Creel - Room 218 B
(0.1 CEU)

**Thursday, April 2, 2020**

***Complimentary coffee service offered from 8am to noon at the end of 2nd floor exhibitor’s hall.***

**7:45-8:45 a.m.**

**Breakfast Social with Southern Miss School of Library and Information Science***Southern Miss SLIS invites you to grab breakfast and coffee while networking, socializing, and waking up with the faculty of the School of Library and Information Science***Room 218**

**9-10 a.m.**
**General Session with Matthew Cordell**
**Ballrooms**
(0.1 CEU)

 **10:15-11:15 a.m.**
**Medallion Session with Rita Williams-Garcia**
**Ballrooms**
(0.1 CEU)

**11:30 a.m.-1:00 p.m.**
**Ezra Jack Keats Awards Luncheon ($20)**
**Ballrooms**
(0.1 CEU)

**1:30-3:00 p.m. Autographing at Barnes and Noble**

**2:00-3:00 p.m. Concurrent Sessions
A1. University Press of Mississippi 50th Anniversary/ de Grummond Book Panel**Ellen Ruffin, Eric Tribunella, - Room 218

(0.1 CEU)

**A2. How Do I Talk About it with Them?: Explaining Death and Loss to a Child through Books**The Grief and Bereavement Class in the Southern Miss School of Social Work - Room 210

(0.1 CEU)

 **3:15-4:15 p.m.**

**Ezra Jack Keats Lecture with Randy Testa**

*Scholarship Announcements (Richard Peck and Kaigler-Lamont)***Ballrooms**(0.1 CEU)

 **4:30-5:30 p.m.
General Session with Megan McDonald
Ballrooms**(0.1 CEU)

**7 p.m.**
**Celebration of the Ezra Jack Keats Book Award**
Hors d’ourves and cash bar
**Hattiesburg Train Depot**
*Co-sponsored by the Ezra Jack Keats Foundation and the de Grummond Children’s Literature Collection*

**Friday, April 3, 2020**

***Complimentary coffee service offered from 8am to noon at the end of 2nd floor exhibitor’s hall.***

**9-10 a.m. General Session with Daniel José Older**
**Ballrooms**
(0.1 CEU)

**10:15-11:30 a.m. Autographing at Barnes and Noble**

**10:30-11:30 a.m. Concurrent Sessions
\**Indicates Second Chance Sessions***

 **S1. Storytelling 2020**

Dianne Butler- Room 214

(0.1 CEU)

**S2. Growing Possibilities: Using a Literacy Garden to Enhance Youth Programming\***
Kristen Hillman – Room 218 A
(0.1 CEU)

**S3. Poetry in the Library: More Than Just Dead Poets\***

Jeannie Thompson, Wendy Daughdrill, and Amanda Osborne- Room 210
(0.1 CEU)

 **Noon – 1:30 p.m. Luncheon with Jason Reynolds ($20)
Ballrooms**
(0.1 CEU)

**1:45-2:45 p.m. Concurrent Sessions**

**A1. Exploring the Magnolia Book Awards, Mississippi's Children's Choice Award**Bethany Carlisle and Lindsey Beck- Room 214(0.1 CEU)

**A2. I Can See Me!**Mac Buntin- Room 210(0.1 CEU)

**A3. Kamishibai Storytelling: Bringing Culture and Interactive Storytelling into Your Program**
Claudia Nisbett and Nancy Varian- Room 218 A
(0.1 CEU)

**A4. How Public Libraries Make the Grade with School Systems**

Mara Polk- Room 218 B

(0.1 CEU)

**A5. It’s Alive! Bring History to Life with Primary Sources from the Library of Congress**
Soline Holmes and Alicia Schwarzenbach- Room 216
(0.1 CEU)

**3-4 p.m. Concurrent Sessions**

**B1. Storytelling 2020\***

Dianne Butler- Room 214

(0.1 CEU)

**B2. STEAMy Literature! Linking Favorite Picture Books to STEAM Activities**

Erin Parker and Candace Creel- Room 218 B(0.1 CEU)

**B3. Poetry in the Library: More Than Just Dead Poets\***

Jeannie Thompson, Wendy Daughdrill, and Amanda Osborne- Room 210
(0.1 CEU)

**B4. Growing Possibilities: Using a Literacy Garden to Enhance Youth Programming\***
Kristen Hillman – Room 218 A
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