

# **THE SPECIAL ED. TECHNOLOGY CENTER PRESENTS:**

## **Integrating Accessible Instructional Materials (AIM)** **In Classrooms and Districts**

Is your school district struggling with the responsibility of providing accessible print alternatives in a timely fashion to students with print related disabilities? If so, you are not alone. This issue has quickly become one of the greatest challenges facing the special education system today. Technology has made it feasible and fairly cost efficient to convert textbooks and other printed curriculum materials into a variety of accessible formats: audio, digital text, Braille and large print. But the task is not always as easy as we think it should be. Even more challenging can be the proposition of managing AIM in a way that staff and students can access the materials when and where they are needed.

**IF YOU CAN IDENTIFY WITH THE ABOVE CONCERNS  
THEN THIS WORKSHOP IS FOR YOU!**

Gayl Bowzer will present an overview of AIM and then cover key concepts for integration of AIM into classroom settings. Her presentation will also highlight key actions that should be taken at the district level when developing and supporting high quality AIM services. She will guide us through an exploration of:

- AIM Implementation planning
- Inclusion strategies
- Evaluation of the effectiveness of AIM
- District-wide involvement
- AIM integration into systems of curriculum, instruction, technology and student support

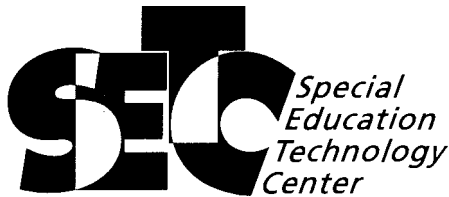
Gayl will share ideas and stories with a focus on improving school-wide conditions for successful AIM-based learning. Please join the SETC team for an enlightening and motivating presentation at one of the following sites. See the SETC website for more details and registration information. <http://www.cwu.edu/~setc> or call Sue at 509-963-3350

March 6, 2012 from 9 to 4 at the WEA facility in Federal Way  
March 7, 2012 from 9 to 4 at ESD 101 in Spokane

A total of 6 clock hours are offered for this event. The registration fee is \$115 per participant.

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Gayl Bowser's work as an independent consultant focuses on the integration of technology into the educational programs of students with disabilities. Prior to beginning her work as an independent consultant, Ms. Bowser worked for 20 years as the coordinator of the Oregon Technology Access Program (OTAP). In her "encore career" she provides assistive technology consultation, training and technical assistance throughout the United States and internationally. You can learn more about Gayl on her blog at: <http://www.integrateat.com>



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### Registration Form

Title of Class Accessible Instructional Materials (AIM) with Gayl Bowser  
Fee for Class \$115 Date of Class \_\_\_\_\_ Location \_\_\_\_\_  
Name \_\_\_\_\_ School District \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
E-mail Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Home Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_  
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Work Telephone \_\_\_\_\_ Home/cell Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

#### Method of Payment:

- ☐ check –Make payable to Central Washington University  
☐ Purchase order  
☐ Visa/Mastercard, card holders name and telephone numbers \_\_\_\_\_

Please do not e-mail or fax credit card numbers on this form.

For your safety Sue will call the card holder directly to retrieve the credit card numbers.

Fax Registration Forms and Purchase Orders to 509.963.3355 or e-mail to [wrightsu@cwu.edu](mailto:wrightsu@cwu.edu)

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