

HELPING BOYS THRIVE SUMMIT

A ONE-DAY EVENT FOR EDUCATORS,
PROFESSIONALS AND PARENTS WHO ARE
EDUCATING, WORKING WITH, AND RAISING
BOYS AND YOUNG MEN



Michael Gurian

Keynote Speaker

Michael Gurian is the New York Times bestselling author of twenty-eight books. The Gurian Institute, which he co-founded, conducts research internationally, launches pilot programs and trains professionals. Co-founder of the national Helping Boys Thrive Initiative, Michael travels to dozens of communities every year to help catalyze social change on behalf of children. In this inspirational, practical, and humorous presentation, renowned educator, marriage and family counselor, and New York Times bestselling author Michael Gurian focuses on helping boys thrive in our communities, schools, homes, and emotional life.

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SOME STATISTICS:

- Boys make up 80% of school discipline referrals
- Boys are four and a half times more likely to be expelled from preschool
- 80% of children 10-19 who commit suicide are boys
- 80% of children in school on Ritalin are boys

"Children are our destiny, whether we ourselves give birth to them or not. If we are not working to improve the lives of children, we are living half a life. When we devote ourselves to children, we become whole."

-Michael Gurian, author of [The Wonder of Boys](#) and [The Wonder of Girls](#)

WHEN

Saturday, April 23, 2016

8:00 am to 4:00 pm

WHERE

Shoreline Community College

TICKETS

Early Bird Special \$75/person until 4/1/16

\$90/person 4/4/16 to 4/23/16

Team Price \$300 for five people

Clock Hours Will be Available



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