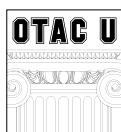


# 38TH ANNUAL CONFERENCE OCTOBER 16-19, 2014 • PASADENA

OCTOBER 16 PRE-CONFERENCE SESSIONS  
HILTON PASADENA & PASADENA CONVENTION CENTER



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# CONFERENCE OVERVIEW

## THURSDAY, OCTOBER 16

9:00am – 5:00pm

### Pre-Conference Sessions (earn PDUs)

Additional fees.

6:00pm – 8:00pm

### Registration Material Pick-Up

If you registered in advance, this is a convenient opportunity to pick up your registration materials.

6:00pm – 8:00pm

### Meet 'n' Mingle

No-host opportunity to jumpstart your networking.

6:45pm – 9:00pm

### Movie Night: *The Lookout* (.5 PDU)

About *The Lookout*: Chris is a once promising high school athlete whose life is turned upside down following a head injury due to a tragic accident made of his own negligence. The accident has left him unable to perform basic daily functions. As he tries to maintain a normal life, he takes a job as a janitor at a bank, where he ultimately finds himself caught up in a bad situation. Movie reviews characterize this as a stirring crime drama with an exceptionally strong script and equally strong characters. Rated R.

## FRIDAY, OCTOBER 17

6:45am – 7:30am

### Mind-Body Activity: Gentle Yoga

8:30am – 11:30am

### Concurrent Sessions (earn PDUs)

11:30am – 1:00pm

### CFOT Luncheon, Symposium, and Awards (.5 PDU) \$50/\$35 Students

1:00pm – 3:00pm

### Concurrent Sessions (earn PDUs)

3:15pm – 4:15pm

### Keynote Address (.5 PDU)

Featuring Michael K. Iwama, PhD, OT(C)

4:15pm – 5:15pm

### Awards Ceremony

5:15pm – 7:30pm

### Exhibit Hall Grand Opening Reception

7:30pm – 9:00pm

### Alumni and Student Receptions

## SATURDAY, OCTOBER 18

6:45am – 7:45am

### Mind-Body Activity: Fun Run/Walk

8:30am – 11:30am

### Concurrent Sessions (earn PDUs)

11:30am – 2:30pm

### Exhibit Hall Activities, including Poster Presentations (earn PDUs)

2:30pm – 5:30pm

### Concurrent Sessions (earn PDUs)

5:45pm – 6:45pm

### President's Reception

Celebrating occupational therapy in physical disabilities practice.

6:30pm – 8:30pm

### Scavenger Hunt \$15

8:30pm – 10:30pm

### After Hours Lounge and Party

DJ, Dance Floor and Photo Booth.  
Performance by Limitless.

## SUNDAY, OCTOBER 19

6:45am – 7:30am

### Mind-Body Activity: Easy Hip-Hop

8:30am – 11:30am

### Concurrent Sessions (earn PDUs)

11:30am – 1:00pm

### OTAC Luncheon and Annual Meeting (.5 PDU)

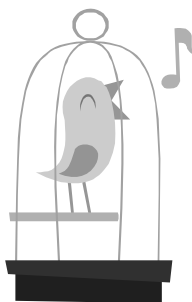
1:00pm – 4:00pm

### Concurrent Sessions (earn PDUs)



Patricia Nagaishi,  
PhD, OTR/L, OTAC  
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for the President’s  
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Saturday, October  
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5:45pm – 6:45pm  
to network, relax  
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active learning,  
and celebrate  
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who practice  
in physical  
disabilities.”**



## Tweet Rewards!

*Two prime seats in every session will be reserved for attendees tweeting about their Conference experience and sessions.*

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## IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR CONFERENCE EXPERIENCE

*The OTAC Annual Conference offers much more than the opportunity to earn professional development units. It is also an opportunity to network with friends and colleagues, to make interesting contacts, to discover new resources, and to fully immerse yourself in all the activities designed to support you and the profession.*

## SCHEDULING/TICKETS/MEALS/COMFORT

- Programming schedule is subject to change. OTAC reserves the right to substitute speakers and topics due to unforeseen circumstances. No financial adjustments to registrations/fees will be made.
- You may only attend those sessions that you have registered for. You will have a blue admittance ticket for each event and you must submit it to the room monitor.
- Space is limited by speaker request or by available seating.
- We make every attempt to serve meals on time. Latecomers cannot be accommodated.
- Meeting room temperature is not ideal for everyone. It is recommended that you bring a sweater.

## NAME BADGE POLICIES

The following policies are necessary to assure equal and fair treatment for all attendees and were designed to address issues/problems/situations/abuses noted during past conferences.

- Name badges must be worn so that your name is clearly visible at all times.
- All name badges are coded according to fees paid for days registered, and color-coded by category of attendee.
  - Thurs., Fri., Sat. and Sun. – day(s) registered
  - Green – Attendee
  - Blue – Exhibitor
- Admittance to any session, event, or exhibit area is not allowed without the appropriately coded/colored name badge.
- Name badges are the sole responsibility of the attendee/exhibitor. Lost, misplaced, or forgotten badges may be replaced at a charge of \$10.
- Wearing someone else’s name badge, with or without their permission, is strictly prohibited. Doing so is a serious matter and may be grounds for ejection from the Conference altogether for all parties involved with no refunds.
- Room monitors, conference committee members, and other OTAC officials or their designees are empowered to assure compliance with all above requirements.

## 2014 CERTIFICATE POLICY AND PDU CREDITS

- **Individual Session Tickets.** When you check in at the Conference Registration Counter, you will receive a blue ticket imprinted with your name on it for every session and activity for which you are registered. The room monitor will collect the tickets as you enter every session and activity room. If the room monitor does not collect your ticket, please seek him/her out. These tickets are maintained at the OTAC office as verification of your attendance in the event of a CBOT audit.
- **Certificate of Completion.** When you check in at the Conference Registration Counter, you will receive a Certificate of Completion form. Fill in the appropriate information for every session you attend. At the conclusion of your attendance at the Conference, submit the white copy of the Certificate of Completion form at the OTAC Conference Registration Counter. Keep the yellow copy for your own records. OTAC will keep an electronic version on file along with the blue tickets for each session as verification in the event of an audit.  
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- **To earn a Certificate of Completion, attendance is required.** Please arrive on time to the sessions. Your certificate should reflect actual number of hours attended. Note: CBOT defines one PDU as one hour of instruction.
- **myotlicense.** PDUs for OTAC members and subscribers will be entered into your myotlicense record by December 1, 2014.
- **CBOT.** Select PDUs may be used for Advance Practice Approval as indicated. Check with the California Board for Occupational Therapy (CBOT) for details.
- **CHT.** Some sessions may be used to meet recertification requirements. Check with the Hand Therapy Certification Commission (HTCC).
- **NBCOT.** Sessions may be used to meet recertification. Check with the National Board for Certification of Occupational Therapy (NBCOT) for details.



Conference PDUs for OT/OTA practitioners will be entered into myotlicense records by December 1, 2014.

# CONFERENCE INFORMATION

## Conference Hotel

### Hilton Pasadena

168 South Los Robles Avenue  
Pasadena, CA 91101  
(626) 577-1000; toll-free (800) 445-8667



## Pasadena Convention Center

300 E. Green Street, Pasadena, CA 91101

Most of the Annual Conference activities will be held at the Pasadena Convention Center, both in the Conference Building and in the Exhibit and Ballroom Building. See the Conference-at-a-Glance on pages 16 and 17 for the schedule overview and location of activities.

## Parking

**Hilton Pasadena.** If you are staying at the Hilton Pasadena, you may either self park or valet. Valet for event parking is \$10 per day and does not include in/out privilege. Overnight valet for hotel guests is available for \$18 per overnight stay and does include in/out privileges. An adjacent parking structure is available for parking as well; current pricing is \$9 per day and overnight parking is \$15 per day. *All prices are subject to change.*

### Pasadena Convention Center.

Daily Parking Rate: \$9. On-site Parking: 800 spaces. Two entrances: Marengo Avenue to the west and Euclid Avenue to the east between Green Street and Cordova. *All prices are subject to change.*

### Additional Parking.

2,500 spaces within a one-block radius.

*Note: OTAC does not validate for parking.*

## Transportation

### AIRPORTS

#### Bob Hope/Burbank Airport (BUR)

(16 miles to Pasadena)  
2627 N. Hollywood Way, Burbank, CA  
(818) 840-8840 • www.bobhopeairport.com

#### Los Angeles International (LAX)

(32 miles to Pasadena)  
1 World Way, Los Angeles, CA  
(310) 646-5252 • www.lawa.org/lax

#### Ontario International (ONT)

(37 miles to Pasadena)  
2900 E. Airport Drive, Ontario, CA  
(909) 937-2700 • www.lawa.org/ont

### PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION

#### Union Station Flyaway

(866) 435-9529 • www.lawa.org/flyaway

Nonstop bus service to and from Los Angeles International Airport (LAX) via Union Station in downtown Los Angeles. From Union Station, passengers can ride the Gold Line light rail to Pasadena. Exit Del Mar Station for the Pasadena Convention Center (approximately five blocks).

### SHUTTLE SERVICE

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(800) 258-3826 • www.supershuttle.com

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## OTAC CONFERENCE SIGNATURE BEVERAGE

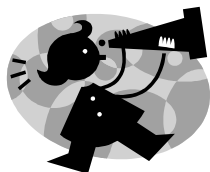
What's it called?

What are the ingredients?

Who invented this tasty delight?

Come share a cheer with friends with the OTAC Conference Signature Beverage in the Hilton's lounge.

## Scavenger Hunt!



## COME EXPLORE PASADENA!

Sat., Oct. 18—6:30pm to 8:30pm

- \$15 ticket includes a nosh and beverage along the way.
- Purchase ticket at the On-site Registration Counter.
- One person must have a smart phone. Meet in the hotel lobby.

**You'll be back in time to enjoy the After Hours Lounge at the Hilton Pasadena — dancing, photo booth, good times!**



## 2015 ANNUAL CONFERENCE

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# PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Dear Conference Participants:

We are pleased to be back in Pasadena for the 2014 Occupational Therapy Association of California (OTAC) 38th Annual Conference. The Conference Committee has put together a wide range of high-quality educational sessions with exceptional speakers, along with a variety of special events and activities to meet your learning, professional development, and networking needs.

The city of Pasadena has worldwide recognition as the host of the Rose Parade, for which OTAC is leading the initiative to have a Centennial float celebrating occupational therapy in the 2017 parade, and the excitement is building across states. Pasadena is a great conference destination as well that offers entertainment, shopping, dining, cultural and arts programs, and children's and family activities, many of which are within walking distance of the Conference hotel and the Pasadena Convention Center.

Our Conference theme, *In Pursuit of the Vision: Diversity in Occupational Therapy*, is particularly relevant, not only because California is known for its diverse population, geography and terrain, entertainment, cultural and arts events, and business and educational opportunities; but also because occupational therapy is a profession that embodies diverse areas of practice along the entire health continuum, serves people of all ages and backgrounds, and has great flexibility in the techniques, intervention approaches and methods utilized to promote and help people engage in occupations and participate in everyday life.

Our keynote address by Michael K. Iwama, PhD, OT(C), *Addressing Diversity: Occupational Therapy's Promise of Cultural Relevance*, promises to be a thoughtful and engaging discussion of occupational therapy from a global and cultural perspective and how we can meet the challenge of delivering occupational therapy to a diverse population. Dr. Iwama continues the discussion in more depth during an additional session on Sunday, and several presenters also examine different aspects of diversity such as cultural fluidity and occupational therapy with under-served populations, which addresses our vision of a "globally connected, diverse workforce meeting society's occupational needs."

We have a full program of session presentations and posters by practitioners, students, educators, researchers, and policy and legislative leaders that covers topics across areas of practice, client populations, and practice settings offered in multiple tracks. Sessions address traditional and emerging areas of clinical practice; advanced practice knowledge and skills; intervention approaches and techniques; client-centered care and patient self-management; fieldwork and supervision; quality improvement; emerging trends in health care and reimbursement; legislative issues and advocacy; evidence-based practice and occupational therapy research; and technology and social media.

Take advantage of the Exhibit Hall, always an energizing experience, where you can meet with vendors and potential employers, network and catch up with colleagues and friends, and get the latest information on products and services. Be sure to stay for the Annual Awards Ceremony directly following the Keynote Address to honor and recognize those who have made significant contributions to the profession through their excellence and leadership in occupational therapy. Also, join us for the President's Reception on Saturday to highlight and celebrate OT practice in physical disabilities.

Volunteers at the Hospitality Booth will be available to provide information and assistance on "all things Pasadena" and Conference activities and events, including mind-body activities, a scavenger hunt, and other activities scheduled before and after each day's sessions. Their aim is to make your Conference experience stress-free and enjoyable, as well as give you and your families an opportunity to get to know and see Pasadena.

I look forward to seeing you! Join us at our 38th Annual Conference in Pasadena for a premier educational event where you can increase your knowledge, get your PDUs, network with your colleagues, make new acquaintances, promote the distinct value of occupational therapy, see the latest products in the Exhibit Hall, explore Pasadena, and have fun. @OTACnew. #OTACconf2014. #OTdistinctvalue

Patricia S. Nagaishi, PhD, OTR/L  
President, Occupational Therapy Association of California



Patricia Nagaishi,  
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# KEYNOTE ADDRESS

3:15pm – 4:15pm  
Friday, October 17, 2014

## Addressing Diversity: Occupational Therapy's Promise of Cultural Relevance (.5 PDU)

Dr. Iwama is an innovative thinker and internationally known champion of culturally relevant occupational therapy. He is one of our profession's leading theorists, and created the "Kawa River Model," which has been incorporated into occupational therapy curricula and clinical settings worldwide. Dr. Iwama has doctoral degrees in medical and cultural anthropology, and in sociology; a master's degree in rehabilitation science; and bachelor's degrees in occupational therapy and human performance/kinesiology.

Earn .5 PDU  
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Michael K. Iwama,  
PhD, OT(C)  
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Post your 'selfies'—you could win \$50!

- Snap a "selfie" with any conference attendee wearing a Keep Calm and Lead On ribbon
- Tag #otacconf2014 on OTAC Facebook, Instagram or Twitter
  - Be sure to 'like' us on Facebook
  - OTAC Twitter—@OTACnews
  - OTAC Instagram—otacofca
- Include your name, and the name of the leader in your post and what position they hold or held with OTAC



# SPECIAL CONFERENCE ACTIVITIES

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Hilton Pasadena

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## CFOT Awards Lunch and Symposium (.5 PDU) – \$50\*

Friday, October 17 • 11:30am – 1:00pm  
Pasadena Convention Center

Recipients of the 2014 CFOT scholarships, research grants and awards will be announced, including honoring the CFOT Humanitarian of the Year. Following the presentation of awards, attendees will be treated to a stimulating address by this year's esteemed lecturer and Humanitarian of the Year Heather Javaherian-Dysinger, OTD, OTR/L.

Note: You may attend this event even if you are not attending any other part of the Conference. Go to the Onsite Registration Counter before 9:00am on Friday to purchase a ticket. \*Student discount ticket - \$35.

## Keynote Address (.5 PDU)

Friday, October 17 • 3:15pm – 4:15pm  
Pasadena Convention Center

### Addressing Diversity: Occupational Therapy's Promise of Cultural Relevance

Michael K. Iwama, PhD, OT(C), Chair and Professor, Department of Occupational Therapy, College of Allied Health Services, Georgia University, Neurosciences, Thomas Jefferson University  
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## OTAC Awards Ceremony

Friday, October 17 • 4:15pm – 5:15pm  
Pasadena Convention Center

You are invited to help us recognize our 2014 Award honorees who serve with excellence and inspire professional passion. You will have a chance to congratulate the Award honorees in the Exhibit Hall.

## Exhibit Hall

Friday, October 17 • 5:15pm – 7:30pm  
Saturday, October 18 • 11:30am – 2:30pm  
Pasadena Convention Center, Exhibit Hall

Don't miss Friday's lively Grand Opening Reception sponsored by our exhibitors. This fun and informal atmosphere offers the perfect opportunity to learn about products and services useful to occupational therapy practitioners as well as to talk with representatives who are actively recruiting for their companies. Saturday's session offers a convenient lunch option for purchase right on the Exhibit Hall floor and an opportunity to meet with any exhibitors you didn't connect with on Friday. Don't forget that the Exhibit Hall also offers giveaways and cash prizes. Visit exhibitors to be eligible.

Stop by the OTAC Membership Booth—it is the central hub of activity: meet with OTAC leaders, learn about OTAC and win prizes while you learn, and more!

## Poster Presentations (earn PDUs)

Saturday, October 18 • 11:30am – 12:30pm and 1:30pm – 2:30pm  
Pasadena Convention Center, Exhibit Hall

See page 14 for a list of posters; earn PDU credits.

## Alumni and Student Receptions

Friday, October 17 • 7:30pm – 9:30pm  
Hilton Pasadena

Celebrate the conclusion of the first day of learning with these networking opportunities. The Alumni and Student Receptions are always a highlight of Conference. Express your appreciation to our OT and OTA colleges and universities with your support.

## THE DANCE TROUPE, LIMITLESS, TO KICK-OFF THE AFTER HOURS LOUNGE AND PARTY

Limitless is a community organization with a mission to embrace individuals of all backgrounds and abilities; and enable opportunities to create beautiful things together. Founded by two occupational therapy practitioners, the organization began with a mission to promote the concept that anybody can dance, anywhere, anytime. The first ever "So You Think You Can't Dance" class/program began as part of the Wellness Center at Rancho Los Amigos National Rehabilitation Center in 2011 and provided opportunities for individuals of all abilities to dance together. After seeing countless participants light up on the dance floor, smiling and moving in ways that they never dreamed possible, this small vision to start a local hospital-based dance program became a dream to change the entire dance community and the world! [www.limitlessdance.org](http://www.limitlessdance.org)





# SPECIAL CONFERENCE ACTIVITIES

## President's Reception

Saturday, October 18 • 5:30pm – 6:30pm  
Hilton Pasadena

All Conference attendees are invited to relax and network at this event (cash bar). Come meet OTAC and AOTA leaders, presenters, and other honorees. Join us for a special feature celebrating the work of OT/OTAs practicing in physical disabilities.

## Scavenger Hunt – Come Explore Pasadena! \$15

Saturday, October 18 • 6:30pm – 8:30pm  
Hilton Pasadena – Meet in the hotel lobby

## After Hours Lounge and Party

Saturday, October 18 • 8:30pm – 10:30pm  
Hilton Pasadena

Music! Networking! Photo Booth! Good Times! Featuring DJ Mag 10 and a special performance by Limitless, a community organization that strives to celebrate diversity through dance, promoting positive expression through art and music, and asking people to work together to create a peaceful, healthy world. [www.limitlessdance.org](http://www.limitlessdance.org)

## OTAC Annual Meeting and Luncheon

Sunday, October 19 • 11:30am – 1:00pm  
Pasadena Convention Center

This event is included in your registration fee (if you selected any combination that includes Sunday). OTAC President Patricia S. Nagaishi, PhD, OTR/L, invites you to learn about updates on the Association as well as to hear from special invited presenter, Shawn Phipps, PhD, MS, OTR/L, FAOTA, on *OTAC and AOTA: A Collaborative Effort Elevating the Power of OT*. He will provide critical updates on AOTA's strategic priorities leading up to the Centennial Vision, a national perspective on California's role in the Affordable Care Act and the national OT landscape, and how embracing quality patient-care can elevate the power of OT.

Note: You may attend this event even if you are not attending any other part of the Conference. Go to the Onsite Registration Counter before 3:00pm on Saturday to purchase a ticket.

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## Mind-Body Balance Opportunities

Friday, October 17 – Gentle Yoga  
Saturday, October 18 – Fun Walk/Run  
Sunday, October 19 – Easy Hip-Hop

Annual Conference attendees can experience mind-body balance all three days of Conference: Gentle Yoga on Friday, a Fun Walk/Run on Saturday, and Easy Hip-Hop on Sunday. Check the Conference-at-a-Glance on pages 16 and 17 for starting times. No extra fee to participate!

## What To Do in Pasadena

Looking for recommendations on dining, shopping and activity options? Have questions about the Conference or OTAC? Stop by the Hospitality Table in the Conference registration area.

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# CELEBRATE PHYSICAL DISABILITIES PRACTICE

## Come Celebrate the Role of OTs Practicing in Physical Disabilities

This represents our second annual recognition of an occupational therapy practice area. Come join the celebration. This event is open to all Saturday attendees.

Rehabilitation is at the core of occupational therapy and addresses the needs of persons with injuries, illnesses, or deficits in occupational performance due to other causes. (Source: AOTA website, *Rehabilitation & Disability*)

It is because of this important overall core role of helping our clients improve their function in activities of daily living and looking at the whole person that the OTAC 2014 Conference Committee is excited to celebrate the practice of occupational therapy in physical disabilities.

President's Reception  
Saturday, October 18, 2014  
5:45pm – 6:45pm  
Hilton Pasadena

Come celebrate the important role of all occupational therapy practitioners!

Sponsor: USC Mrs. T.H. Chan Division of Occupational Science & Occupational Therapy

# EXHIBIT HALL ACTIVITIES

## Pasadena Convention Center

Just steps away from the Conference sessions.

Friday, October 17 • 5:15pm – 7:15pm

Saturday, October 18 • 11:30am – 2:30pm

Join our Exhibitors and Sponsors in the Exhibit Hall to:

- learn about **new products and services**
- meet with **exhibiting recruiters**
- be eligible for **give-aways**
- play **Bingo** for cash prizes
- enjoy the **Grand Opening Reception**—Friday (5:15pm - 7:15pm)
- meet **OTAC awardees**—Friday
- **earn PDUs** by viewing posters—Saturday
- grab a quick **lunch** (\$12 advanced purchase)—Saturday
- chat with **OTAC and AOTA leaders**
- bid on **CFOT auction items**
- learn about your **professional association**

# COME HELP CELEBRATE OUR OTAC 2014 AWARD HONOREES

## Honoring Those Who Inspire Professional Excellence

Please join us in congratulating your friends and colleagues on their awards as well as expressing your appreciation to them for their contributions to the profession and the Association. These individuals will be recognized at the Awards Ceremony, Friday, October 17, 4:15pm – 5:15pm. This event is open to all Conference attendees registered for Friday.

The following awards will be presented:

### *Lifetime Achievement Award*



Ann Neville-Jan,  
PhD, OTR/L, FAOTA

### *Award of Excellence*



Shawn Phipps,  
PhD, MS, OTR/L,  
FAOTA

### *Janice Matsutsuyu Outstanding Service Award*



Gayle San Marco,  
OTR/L, CDRS

### *OT Practice Award*



Nicolaas  
van den Heever,  
OTD, BOT, OTR/L

### *Award of Appreciation*



Sarah Bream,  
OTD, OTR/L

### *Fieldwork Educator Award*



Diane Mayfield,  
EdD, OTR/L

### *OT Entrepreneur Award*



Terri Nishimura,  
MA, OTR/L

### *OTA Honorary Award*



Cindy Garcia,  
BA, COTA/L

### *Outstanding Student Award*



Samantha Itaya,  
BA, OTS

### *Luella Grangaard Political Action Award*



Kyle Yetter,  
OT/L

## MEET UP WITH THE OTAC AWARDEES

The Awardees have a booth in the Exhibit Hall. Stop by to congratulate them on Friday during the Grand Opening Reception in the Exhibit Hall directly following the Awards Ceremony.

## *Celebrating Our 32nd Anniversary!*

### *CFOT Awards Luncheon and Symposium*

Friday, October 17, 2014 • 11:30m – 1:00pm

Pasadena Convention Center

### **About the Symposium**

Recipients of the 2014 CFOT scholarships, research grants, and awards will be announced at the annual CFOT luncheon symposium. Following presentation of the awards, attendees will be treated to a stimulating address by Heather Javaherian-Dysinger, OTD, OTR/L, this year's CFOT honored lecturer and CFOT Humanitarian of the Year.



#### **Roots Down: Occupational Therapy and Domestic Violence (.5 PDU)**

Heather Javaherian-Dysinger, OTD, OTR/L, will share the complex journeys of women who have survived domestic violence and the role of occupational therapy within this area. She states, "This has been a journey for me, too, recognizing the need for a multi-faceted approach to provide a catalyst for positive change and health in families who have experienced domestic violence." Along with two colleagues, Javaherian-Dysinger started Roots Down, a non-profit organization serving families who have experienced domestic violence.

### *Heather Javaherian-Dysinger, OTD, OTR/L* *CFOT Honored Lecturer and Humanitarian of the Year*

The California Foundation for Occupational Therapy (CFOT) is pleased to honor Heather Javaherian-Dysinger, OTD, OTR/L, with its CFOT Humanitarian of the Year Award.

#### **About Heather Javaherian-Dysinger, OTD, OTR/L**

Heather Javaherian-Dysinger, OTD, OTR/L, has been practicing in occupational therapy for 18 years. In 2004 she received her doctorate in occupational therapy with a focus in domestic violence from Creighton University. Javaherian-Dysinger is currently an associate professor and program director of the Masters of Occupational Therapy Program at Loma Linda University. Her teaching emphasis involves research, evidence-based practice, education, community program development, and health promotion. She enjoys community practice and supervises Level I and Level II fieldwork students at a domestic violence agency and oversees program development involving various projects in domestic violence, lifestyle and health, and mental health. Javaherian-Dysinger is the research coordinator for the department faculty and facilitates all of the research classes in the master's of occupational therapy curriculum guiding student groups through the IRB process, data collection, analysis, and creation of a professional research poster. She has co-authored a position statement on domestic violence for the American Occupational Therapy Association (AOTA) and was lead author in other peer-reviewed and non-peer reviewed articles. She also currently co-chairs the Domestic Violence Sexual Assault Task Force for Loma Linda University. Recently, Javaherian-Dysinger partnered with two colleagues to open Roots Down, a non-profit serving families who have experienced domestic violence.



### **CFOT SILENT AUCTION**

The CFOT booth in the OTAC Exhibit Hall will be buzzing with activity. Your support is encouraged and appreciated both as bidders and as donors of auction items. CFOT annually awards thousands of dollars for scholarships and research grants. Help CFOT meet, and exceed, its goal.

*AOTA President Ginny Stoffel, PhD, OT, BCMH, FAOTA, is delighted to have been the successful bidder for this exquisite coat at the 2013 CFOT Silent Auction.*





# RECOGNITION OF OTAC HONOREES

## LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

2014 Ann Neville-Jan  
2013 Michele Berro  
2012 Mary Evert  
2011 Heidi McHugh Pendleton  
2010 Catherine Earhart  
2008 Margaret Phillips  
2007 Amy Killingsworth  
2006 Linda Florey  
2005 Diane Foti  
2004 Susan Knox  
2003 Mary Foto  
2002 Ruth Zemke  
2001 Florence Clark  
2000 Dottie Ecker  
1999 Elizabeth Yerxa  
1998 Evelyn Jaffe  
1997 Sarah Kelly  
1996 Ada Granger  
1995 Jan Matsutsuyu  
1994 Kilulu Von Prince  
1993 Doris Heredia  
1992 Edwinna Marshall  
1991 Lela Llorens  
1990 Frances Kelly  
1989 Eleanor L. Hillger  
1988 Dorothy Wilson  
1984 Florence Cromwell  
1983 Ethlyn Stinson  
1982 A. Jean Ayres  
1981 Carlotta Welles  
1980 Doris Cutting  
1979 Bekke Holdeman  
1978 Gwen Wright  
1977 Jean Peck

## COTA HONORARY AWARD

2014 Cindy Garcia  
2011 Gloria Romero  
2009 Yvonne C. Trousdale  
2005 Bobbi Jean Tanberg  
2004 Danielle Meglio  
2001 Marlene Van Vliet  
2000 Patricia Shiokari  
1999 Barbara Forte  
1996 Jacalyn Mardrossian  
1995 Terri Olivas-De La O  
1994 Patricia O'Hare

## OT ENTREPRENEUR AWARD

2014 Terri Nishimura  
2013 Tammy Richmond  
2012 Bonnie Nakasuji;  
Erna Blanche  
2011 John Goodfellow  
2010 Mary Kay Gallagher  
2009 Fredlyn S. Berger  
2008 Tara Delaney  
2007 Sue Harris

## AWARD OF EXCELLENCE

2014 Shawn Phipps  
2013 Pamela Richardson  
2012 Bonnie Nakasuji  
2011 Erna Imperatore Blanche  
2010 Michele Berro  
2009 Teri Wiss  
2008 Winifred Shultz-Krohn  
2007 Thelma Wellerson Hook  
2006 Linda Tank  
2005 Jerilyn (Gigi) Smith  
2004 Pamela Roberts  
2003 Heidi Pendleton  
2002 Charles Strauch  
2001 Christine Wietlisbach  
2000 Elizabeth Cara  
1999 Linda Fazio  
1997 Brenda Collins  
1996 Linda Florey  
1995 Sue Harris  
1994 Ruth Zemke  
1993 Janet Jabri  
1992 Margaret A. Phillips  
1991 Susan Knox  
1990 Patricia Shiokari  
1989 Ardith Breton  
1988 Sue Cleary Schwartz  
1987 Diane Hendricks  
1986 Kilulu Von Prince  
1985 Mary Kasch  
1984 Mary Margaret Evert  
1983 Evelyn Jaffe  
1982 Dale Houston  
1981 Dorothy Wilson  
1980 Sarah Kelly  
1978 Mary Lou Hymen  
1977 Julie Shaperman

## OT/OTA PARTNERSHIP AWARD

2012 Christine Wietlisbach;  
Danielle Meglio  
2007 Sharon Pavlovich;  
Karen Pendleton  
2005 Terry Olivas-De La O;  
Elvira Arzaga Rubio  
2004 Laurie Nelson;  
Suzanne Olah-Macek;  
Rebecca Gibson  
1997 Renee Soderlund and  
Jacalyn Mardrossian

## SPECIAL AWARD

1986 Jane Marvin

## OT PRACTICE AWARD

2014 Nicolaas van den Heever  
2013 Elizabeth Gomes  
2012 Michal Atkins  
2011 Deborah Pitts  
2010 Sarah Bream  
2009 Christine Wietlisbach  
2008 Margaret "Peg" Bledsoe  
2007 Lisa Deshaies  
2006 Lynna Kaplan  
2005 Shawn Phipps  
2004 Laurie Nelson  
2003 Valerie Adams  
2002 Winifred Schultz-Krohn  
2001 Karin Bonfils Kleinhans  
2000 Gordon Giles  
1999 Marti Southam  
1998 Elise Holloway  
1997 Elizabeth Snow  
1996 Luella Grangaard  
1995 Joanna Patton  
1994 Deborah Morawski  
1993 Georgette Dufresne  
1992 Claudia Allen  
1991 Yuriko Lynn Yasuda  
1990 Margaret A. Phillips  
1989 Thelma Hook  
1988 Susan Knox  
1985 Linda Ogden  
1984 Dorothy Ecker

## JANICE MATSUTSUYU OUTSTANDING SERVICE AWARD

2014 Gayle San Marco  
2013 Arameh Anvarizadeh  
2012 Samia Rafeedie  
2011 Heather Kitching  
2010 Lora Woo  
2009 Bonita A. Kraft  
2008 Gina Ceja  
2007 Marlene Steele  
2006 Rondalyn Whitney  
2004 Patricia Nagaishi  
2003 Sarah Kelly  
2002 Linda Tank  
2001 Danielle Meglio  
2000 Luella Grangaard;  
Guy McCormack  
1999 Diana Su-Erickson  
1998 Michele Berro  
1997 Patricia Bascom  
1996 Cindy Burt  
1995 Barbara Gale  
1994 Diane Crabtree  
1993 Laura Caron-Parker  
1992 Janet Jabri

### MAKE A DIFFERENCE AWARD

- 2005 Senator Elaine White Alquist
- 2000 Fred Somers; Charles Strauch; Chuck Willmarth
- 1998 Loretta and Frank Biehl

### FIELDWORK EDUCATOR AWARD

- 2014 Diane Mayfield
- 2013 Alann Salvador
- 2012 Judi Palladino
- 2009 Barbara Rodrigues
- 2008 Marilyn Masunaka-Noreiga
- 2007 Lora Woo
- 2006 Deborah Bolding
- 2005 Bonnie Nakasuji
- 2004 Fred Snively
- 2002 Jaynee Taguchi-Meyer
- 2000 Kathryn Gundersen
- 1999 Gitu Bhavnani

### AWARD OF APPRECIATION

- 2014 Sarah Bream
- 2013 Lisa Hiestand
- 2012 Mildred "Mickey" Galef
- 2010 Denise M. Miller
- 2007 John Watson
- 2006 Patti Yonochko Horsley
- 2005 Mary Reilly
- 2004 Gelya Frank
- 2001 Psychiatric Occupational Therapy Action Coalition (POTAC)
- 1988 O.T. Associates-Sue Harris

### OUTSTANDING STUDENT AWARD

- 2014 Samantha Itaya
- 2013 Dimos Tsgkakos
- 2012 Monique Wolkoff
- 2011 Eun Sik (Charlie) Yu
- 2010 Brittney Sevo
- 2005 Amy Olney
- 2002 Heather Kitching
- 2001 Elizabeth Chung

### LUELLA GRANGAARD POLITICAL ACTION AWARD

- 2014 Kyle Yetter
- 2013 Luis Arabit
- 2012 Guy L. McCormack
- 2011 Michelle Farmer
- 2010 Christine Wietlisbach
- 2007 Matthew Arigo
- 2004 Luella Grangaard

### HONORARY LIFETIME MEMBER

- 2006 Lois Barber; Evelyn Jaffe; Lela Llorens; Mary Reilly
- 2004 Ruth Zemke; Elizabeth Yerxa
- Recognized prior to 1977  
Caryolyn Brinn  
Florence Cromwell  
Doris Cutting  
Naomi Dommke  
Elizabeth Holdeman  
Ethlyn Stinson  
Carlotta Welles  
Harriet Zlatohlavek

### PRESIDENT'S AWARD

- 2011 Amy Lamb
- 2010 Florence Clark
- 2009 Penny Moyers Cleveland; Brian J. Stiger; Chuck Willmarth
- 2008 Annette Bushong; Charles Strauch
- 2007 Annette Bushong
- 2006 Marlene Steele; Chuck Strauch
- 1991 Linda Lederer
- 1990 Julie Groves
- 1989 Hazel Simin
- 1987 Jeanette Workman-Cosentino
- 1986 Barbara Forte

### PAST PRESIDENTS

- 2008-2012 Shawn Phipps
- 2006-2008 Richard Bookwalter
- 2004-2006 Christine Wietlisbach
- 2002-2004 Melissa Szamet
- 2000-2002 Diane Josephs
- 1998-2000 Luella Grangaard
- 1996-1998 Susan Smiley
- 1994-1996 Linda Reed
- 1992-1994 Brenda Collins
- 1990-1992 Janet Jabri
- 1988-1990 Ardith Breton
- 1984-1988 Diane Hendricks
- 1980-1984 Mary Margaret Evert
- 1978-1980 Doris Cutting
- 1976-1978 Mary Lou Hyman



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# POSTER PRESENTATIONS

Two groups. Poster presentations may be viewed on Saturday, October 18, 2014. Group A: 11:30am – 12:30pm and Group B: 1:30pm – 2:30pm in the Exhibit Hall. To earn PDUs, **have the poster presenter(s) initial the Certificate of Completion form.** You will earn .25 PDUs for each poster with a maximum allowed of 2 PDUs for the full two-hour poster session.

## GROUP A

**A Case Study of the Abilities Care Approach**

**“A Matter of Balance” Program for Older Adults**

**Assessing Validity of the Preschool Kitchen Task Assessment**

**Driving Stress and Occupational Limitations Among OIF/OEF Returnees**

**Establishing Conditioned Place Preference in Typically Developing Children**

**The Evolving Role of OT in a Pediatric MDA Clinic**

**Family, Food, Fun: A Recipe for Wellness**

**Goal Attainment Scaling to Measure Sensory Integration Goals**

**Lifestyle Redesign® for Young Adults with ADHD: Providing Occupational Therapy Support Services in Higher Education**

**Neurofeedback: A Virtual Context Intervention for Children with Autism**

**Occupational Therapy and Integrative Holistic Medicine: A Pilot Program**

**Participants’ Perceptions of Factors in Preventing Falls**

**PediApp Finder: A Mobile Application Database of Pediatric Apps**

**Sensory Integration Intervention Effects on Core Autism Behaviors**

**Standardized Patients in Occupational Therapy Education**

**Therapists’ Perceptions of Cultural Competency**

## GROUP B

**The Bridge/Adapt Program: A Systematic Cognitive Rehabilitation Curriculum**

**DiversOT: Supporting Diversity in OT Through Mentorship**

**Every Minute Counts: Diabetes Management in Primary Care**

**The Fall Risk Evaluation Tool (FRET)**

**First-Generation Peer Mentors Experiences**

**Fundamentals of Vision Rehabilitation**

**Helping Individuals with Disabilities Incorporate Healthier Lifestyle Habits**

**Inclusion of Superficial Physical Agents in California OT Curriculum**

**Interprofessional Collaboration Between Occupational Therapists and Registered Nurses**

**Making Group Therapy Meaningful for Transition Age Youth**

**The Meaning of Leisure Pursuits to Homeless Mothers**

**Pediatric Feeding: Skills, Competency and Function**

**Remediating Symptoms of Chemo Brain through Occupational Therapy**

**Sensory Integration Treatment: Effects on Autism Spectrum Disorder**

**Taking Control: Facilitating Self-Management for SCI Patients**

**Therapeutic Listening and Bilateral Coordination in Typically Developing Children**



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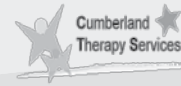
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# CONFERENCE-AT-A-GLANCE

## Thursday, October 16, 2014

Registration – Check-In Hours for Thursday, Pre-Conference Sessions  
**8:00am – 9:30am and noon – 2:00pm – Hilton Pasadena**

9:00am	<b>10</b> Tools for the Driving Generalist (3 PDUs) <b>San Marino</b>	<b>11</b> Assistive Technology Practice Today and in the Future (3 PDUs) <b>California</b>	<b>12</b> Innovative Design for Engaged Attention & Learning® (3 PDUs) <b>San Gabriel</b>	<b>13</b> Training in the Fidelity Measure for Ayres Sensory Integration Intervention (6 PDUs) <b>Pacific</b>
Noon	Lunch on Own			
1:00pm – 4:00pm	<b>14</b> Driving Resources for Generalists (3 PDUs) <b>San Marino</b>	<b>15</b> Biomechanical and Motor Control Principles Guiding Feeding Intervention Post-NICU (3 PDUs) <b>California</b>	<b>16</b> Therapeutic Yoga-based Activities for Children (3 PDUs) <b>San Gabriel</b>	<b>13 cont.</b> Training in the Fidelity Measure for Ayres Sensory Integration Intervention (6 PDUs) <b>Pacific</b>
6:00pm – 8:00pm	A – Meet ‘n’ Mingle; and Check-In for Attendees Registered in Advance – <b>Hilton Pasadena, San Gabriel Patio</b>			
6:45pm – 9:00pm	B – Movie Night: The Lookout (Rated R with facilitated discussion – .5 PDU) – <b>Hilton Pasadena, San Gabriel</b>			

## Friday, October 17, 2014

6:45am	C – Mind-Body Activity: Gentle Yoga – <b>Hilton Pasadena, Pacific Room</b>								
7:30am	Friday Registration (7:30am – 5:00pm) – <b>Pasadena Convention Center</b>								
8:30am	<b>20</b> Chronic Pain Management: The Role of OT in an Interdisciplinary Team (3 PDUs) <b>Room 104</b>	<b>21</b> Evidence-based Practice for Dysphagia Intervention (3 PDUs) <b>Room 211</b>	<b>22</b> Zeroing in on Falls (3 PDUs) <b>Room 105</b>	<b>23</b> Protecting the OT Scope of Practice: Hot Topics in the Legislative and Regulatory Arenas (3 PDUs) <b>Room 212</b>	<b>24</b> Cultural Fluidity: The ‘Becoming’ Necessary for Client-centeredness (3 PDUs) <b>Room 103</b>	<b>25</b> The Application of CCSS to School-based Practice (3 PDUs) <b>Room 101</b>	<b>26</b> Self-regulation and Executive Functions – Definition and Practical Strategies (3 PDUs) <b>Room 102</b>	<b>27</b> Mandated Abuse and Neglect Reporting (3 PDUs) <b>Room 207</b>	<b>28</b> STUDENT TRACK (NO PDUs) <b>Room 107</b>
11:30am	CFOT Luncheon, Symposium and Awards – Separate Ticket Required – \$50 (.5 PDU) (Students – \$35) – <b>Pasadena Civic Auditorium, Gold Room</b>								
1:00pm	<b>30</b> Pressure Ulcer Prevention (1 PDU) <b>Room 101</b>	<b>31</b> Telehealth Technologies for Health and Wellness Services (2 PDUs) <b>Room 102</b>	<b>32</b> Maternal-child Co-occupation within a Domestic Violence Shelter (2 PDUs) <b>Room 103</b>	<b>33</b> NBCOT®: Serving the Public Interest (2 PDUs) <b>Room 207</b>	<b>34</b> Is What We SAY What We DO? Public Perceptions, Occupational Therapy Literature and Current Practice in Perspective (2 PDUs) <b>Room 212</b>	<b>35</b> Role of School Occupational Therapy in Assistive Technology Intervention (2 PDUs) <b>Room 104</b>	<b>36</b> The Assessment of Play in Middle Childhood (2 PDUs) <b>Room 211</b>	<b>37</b> Clinical Experiences Providing Pediatric Mental Health to Latinos (2 PDUs) <b>Room 105</b>	<b>38</b> STUDENT TRACK (NO PDUs) <b>Room 107</b>
2:00pm	<b>39</b> Strategies Guiding Clinical Reasoning in Orthopedic Acute Care (1 PDU) <b>Room 101</b>								
3:00pm	All Proceed to the Keynote Address								
3:15pm	<b>40</b> – Keynote Address: Michael K. Iwama, PhD, OT(C) – All Attend – (.5 PDU) – <b>Pasadena Convention Center, Ballroom A/B/C</b>								
4:15pm	<b>41</b> – OTAC Awards Ceremony – All Attend – <b>Pasadena Convention Center, Ballroom A/B/C</b>								
5:15pm	D – Exhibit Hall Grand Opening Reception – All Attend – <b>Pasadena Convention Center, Exhibit Hall A</b>								
7:30pm	Alumni and Student Receptions (CSDH, SJSU, USC) – <b>Hilton Pasadena</b>								

## MIND-BODY ACTIVITIES – YOGA! WALK/RUN! HIP-HOP!

The Conference Committee is pleased to again offer complementary mind-body activities on Friday, Saturday, and Sunday mornings – gentle yoga on Friday, brisk fun walk/run on Saturday, and easy hip-hop on Sunday. These activities are designed for any skill level.



## Saturday, October 18, 2014

6:45am	E – Mind-Body Activity: Fun Run/Walk – <b>Hilton Pasadena, Hotel Lobby</b>									
7:30am	Saturday Registration (7:30am – 5:00pm) – <b>Pasadena Convention Center</b>									
8:30am	<b>50</b> Therapeutic Use of Patient Handling Equipment During ADLs (1.5 PDUs) <b>Room 105</b>	<b>51</b> Making Healthy Choices: Self-management Patient Education Module for Stroke Survivors (1.5 PDUs) <b>Room 211</b>	<b>52</b> Sensory Processing in Toddlers Diagnosed with ASD (1.5 PDUs) <b>Room 104</b>	<b>53</b> Family Relationships: Impact on Feeding Goal Progress (2 PDUs) <b>Room 212</b>	<b>54</b> Managing Chronic Pain within the OT Practice Framework (2 PDUs) <b>Room 103</b>	<b>55</b> Capturing Positive Outcomes with Terminally Ill Clients (3 PDUs) <b>Room 101</b>	<b>56</b> Advancing Quality and Value in OT to Achieve the Triple Aim (3 PDUs) <b>Room 102</b>	<b>57</b> Foundations of NMES for Individuals with Neurological Deficits (6 PDUs) <b>Room 207</b>	<b>58</b> STUDENT TRACK (NO PDUs) <b>Room 107</b>	
10:00am	<b>60</b> Self-management Intervention for Patients with Heart Failure (1.5 PDUs) <b>Room 105</b>	<b>61</b> Adapted Yoga for the Stroke Population (1.5 PDUs) <b>Room 211</b>	<b>62</b> Effectiveness of a Sensory Rich Early Intervention Program (1.5 PDUs) <b>Room 104</b>	<b>63</b> Healthy Kids: Maintaining Healthy Weight in Pediatric Clients with Special Healthcare Needs (1 PDU) <b>Room 212</b>	<b>64</b> Integrating Occupational Therapy into AYA Oncology Care (1 PDU) <b>Room 103</b>					
10:30am										
11:30am	F – Exhibit Hall and Poster Session – All Attend – <b>Pasadena Convention Center, Exhibit Hall A</b>									
2:30pm	<b>70</b> Using the COPM to Emphasize Occupation in Hand Therapy (3 PDUs) <b>Room 105</b>	<b>71</b> Components and Comparison of Community-based Fall Prevention Programs (3 PDUs) <b>Room 212</b>	<b>72</b> How to Use the iPad to Meet Occupation-centered Goals (3 PDUs) <b>Room 211</b>	<b>73</b> Psychosocial Fieldwork Students in the Skilled Nursing Environment (3 PDUs) <b>Room 103</b>	<b>74</b> Promoting EBP in OT: Sustaining Professional Cultural Change (3 PDUs) <b>Room 102</b>	<b>75</b> Tools for Effective Patient Care in the Acute Hospital Setting (3 PDUs) <b>Room 104</b>	<b>76</b> Multi-tiered Intervention Program for Students with Significant Disabilities (3 PDUs) <b>Room 101</b>	<b>57 cont.</b> Foundations of NMES for Individuals with Neurological Deficits (6 PDUs) <b>Room 207</b>	<b>77</b> STUDENT TRACK (NO PDUs) <b>Room 107</b>	
5:45pm	G – President's Reception – Come celebrate the work of OT/OTAs in physical disability – All Attend – <b>Hilton Pasadena, California Room</b>									
6:30pm	Scavenger Hunt – Ticket \$15 – <b>Hilton Pasadena, Meet in Hotel Lobby</b>									
8:30pm	H – After Hours Lounge and Party – All Attend – <b>Hilton Pasadena, San Gabriel Room</b>									

## Sunday, October 19, 2014

6:45am	I – Mind-Body Activity: Easy Hip-Hop – <b>Hilton Pasadena, Pacific Room</b>									
7:30am	Sunday Registration (7:30am – 4:30pm) – <b>Pasadena Convention Center</b>									
8:30am	<b>80</b> SNF Low Visio. Patients-A Tool Kit (1.5 PDUs) <b>Room 105</b>	<b>81</b> Occupational Therapy and Somatic Experiencing® (1.5 PDUs) <b>Room 101</b>	<b>82</b> Adults, Autism, and Sensory Processing Disorder: Reflective Testimonials (3 PDUs) <b>Room 102</b>	<b>83</b> The New OT Practice Framework: Uses in Everyday Practice (3 PDUs) <b>Room 211</b>	<b>84</b> Common Pediatric Congenital Hand Differences (3 PDUs) <b>Room 106</b>	<b>85</b> Contemporary Perspectives on Supervision for Community Mental Health Practice (3 PDUs) <b>Room 207</b>	<b>86</b> Emerging Healthcare Trends: OT's Role in Lifestyle Management (3 PDUs) <b>Room 104</b>	<b>87</b> Early Brain Development, Long Lasting Effects of Chronic Stress (3 PDUs) <b>Room 103</b>	<b>88</b> Effective Documentation for Occupational Therapy Practice Today (6 PDUs) <b>Room 212</b>	
10:00am	<b>89</b> A Lifestyle Redesign™ Approach to Diabetes Management (1.5 PDUs) <b>Room 105</b>	<b>90</b> Occupational Therapy in End of Life Care (1.5 PDUs) <b>Room 101</b>								
11:30am	J – Lunch and OTAC Annual Meeting – (.5 PDU) – <b>Pasadena Convention Center, Ballroom A/B/C</b>									
1:30pm	<b>91</b> Important Tips for Establishing Your Own Company or Business (1.5 PDUs) <b>Room 207</b>	<b>92</b> Overview on OT Laws and Regulations and the OT Alphabet Soup (3 PDUs) <b>Room 211</b>	<b>93</b> Children in Foster Care and Occupational Justice (3 PDUs) <b>Room 103</b>	<b>94</b> Like a River: Meeting the Challenge of Diversity in Occupational Therapy (3 PDUs) <b>Room 106</b>	<b>95</b> Productivity Issues and the Fieldwork Student (3 PDUs) <b>Room 101</b>	<b>96</b> Sensory Strategies in the Schools: Data Driven Intervention (3 PDUs) <b>Room 102</b>	<b>97</b> Picky Eating: Skill-based, Sensory-based, Gut-based? (3 PDUs) <b>Room 104</b>	<b>99</b> Sharpening Your Skills: Increasing Efficiency in Intervention for Children with Autism (3 PDUs) <b>Room 105</b>	<b>88 cont.</b> Effective Documentation for Occupational Therapy Practice Today (6 PDUs) <b>Room 212</b>	
3:00pm	<b>98</b> Social Media For Occupational Therapy- Take 2 (1.5 PDUs) <b>Room 207</b>									
4:30pm	Conference Concludes: Sunday Registration Closes at 5:00pm – Be sure to submit your Certificate of Completion (white copy)									

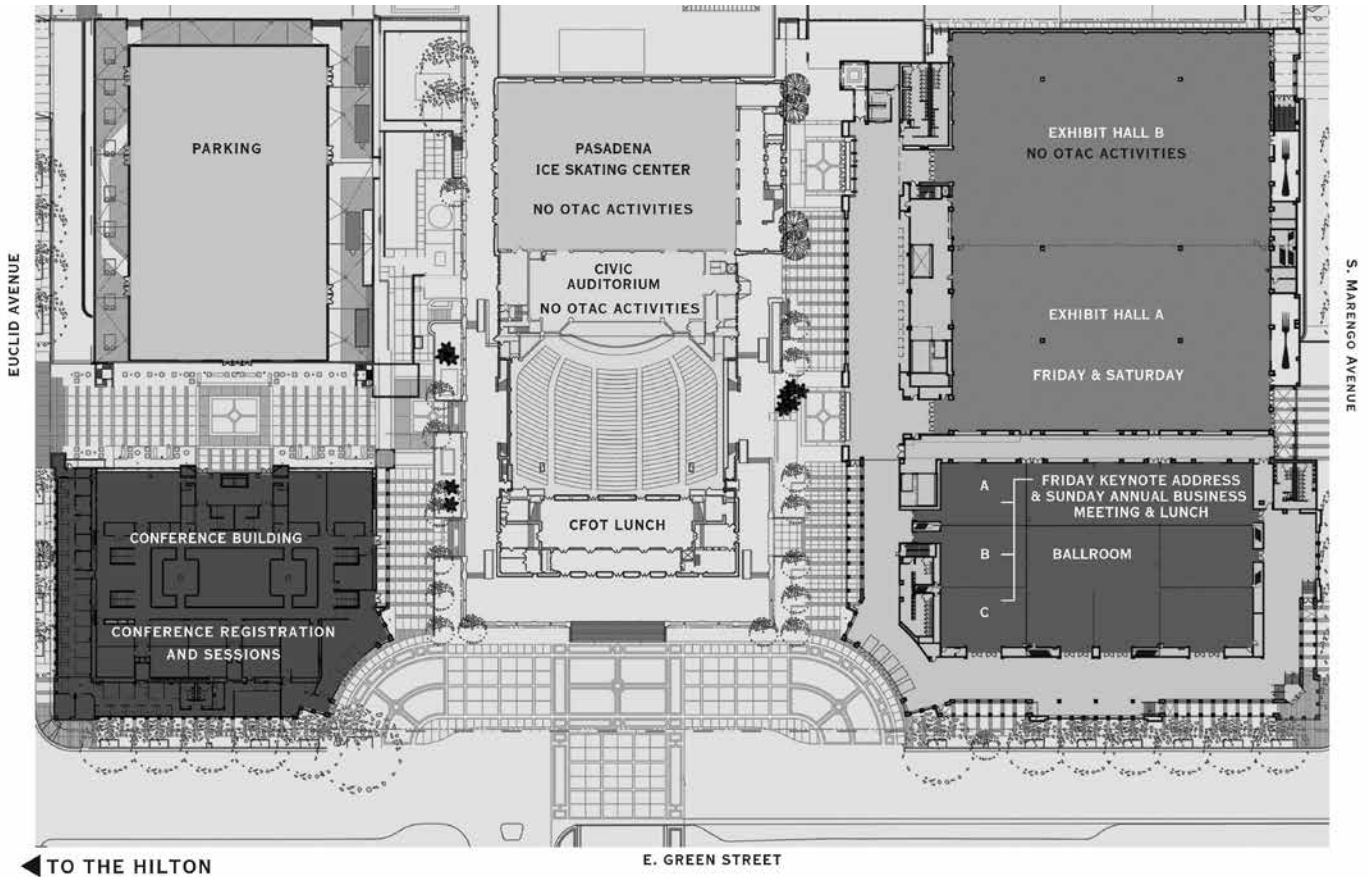
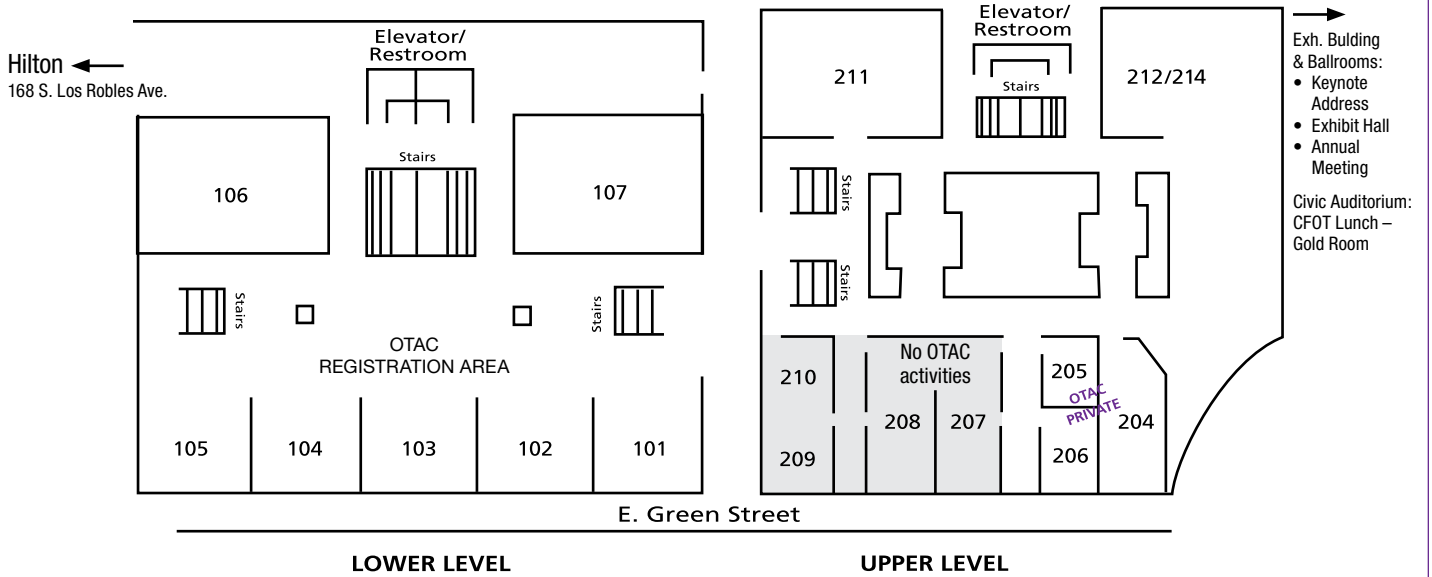


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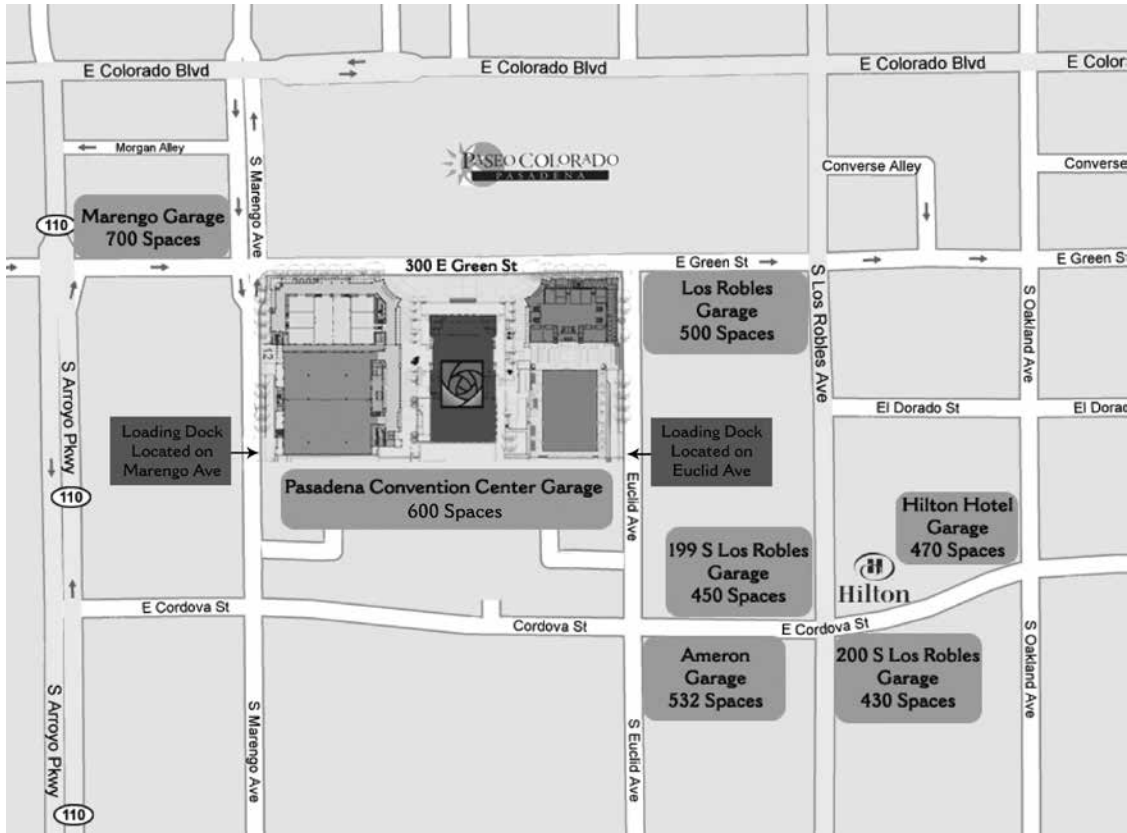
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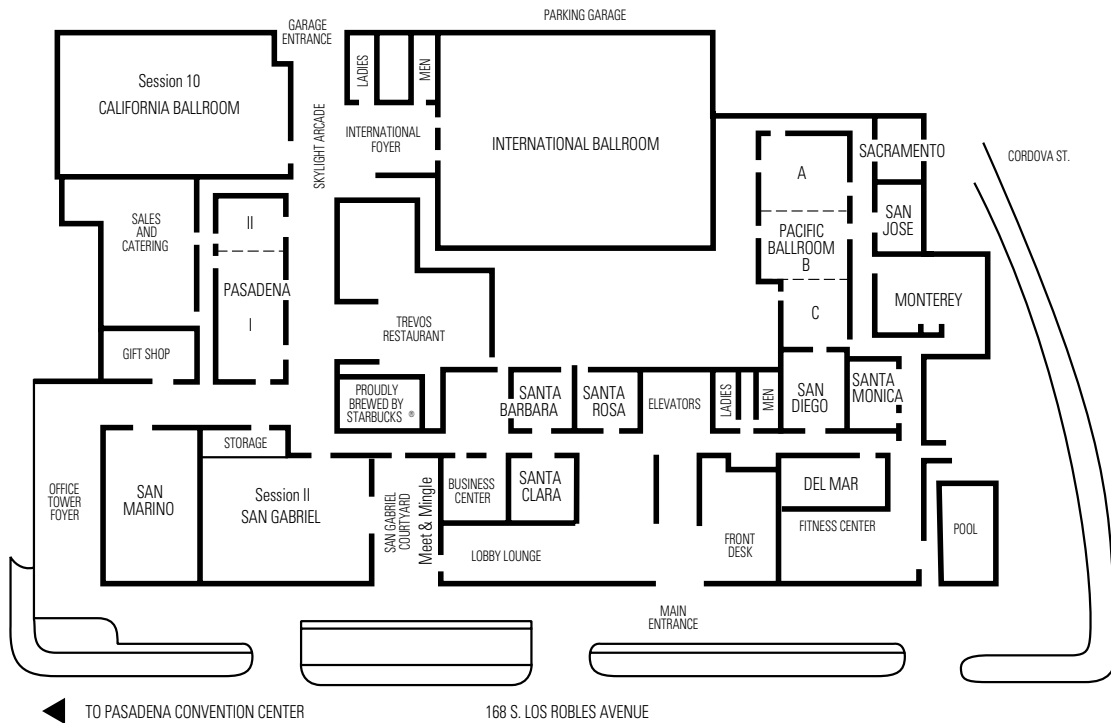
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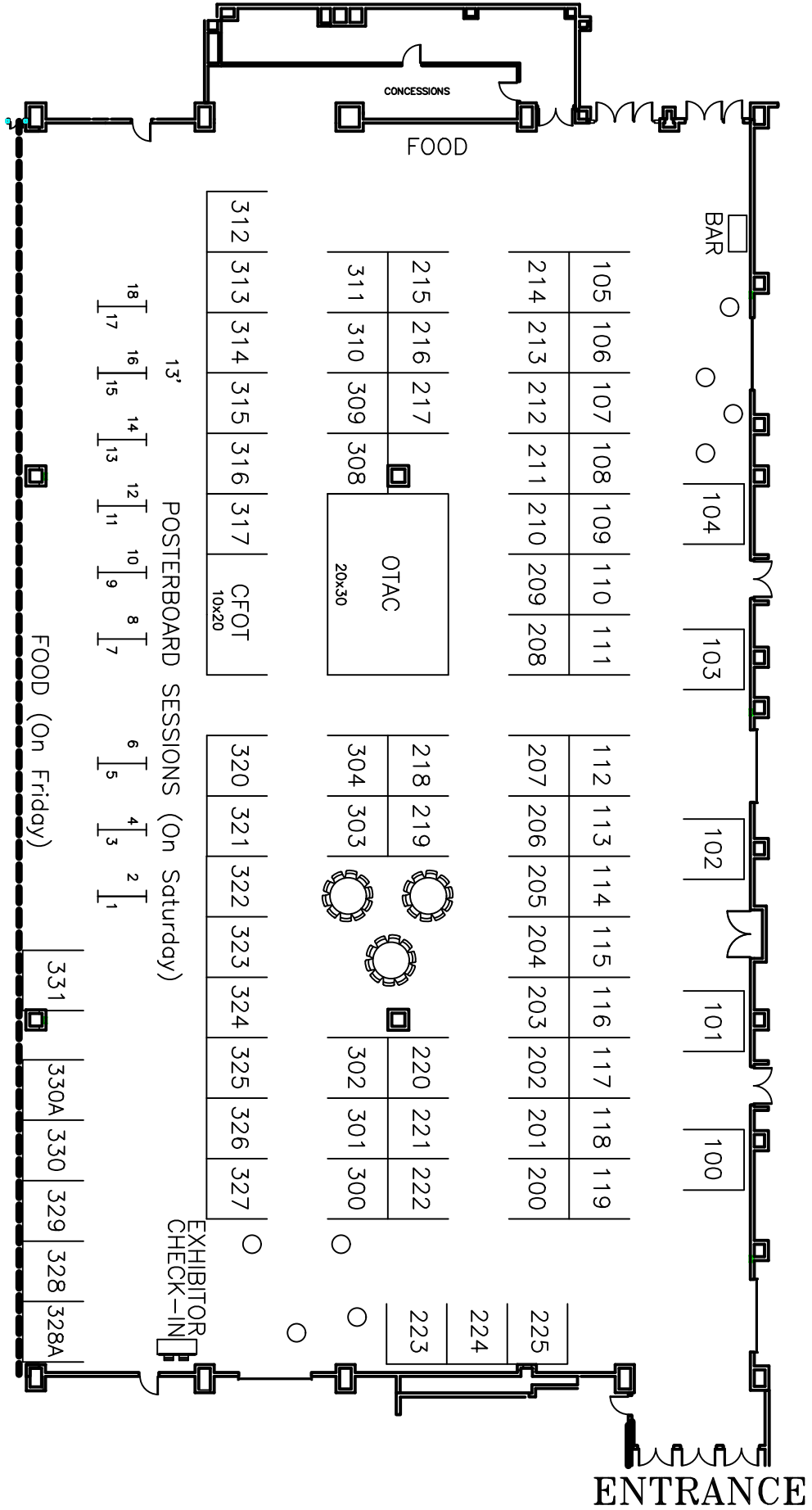
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# EXHIBIT HALL A



# EXHIBITORS

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