

2008 Jobs for Life Leadership Conference - Raleigh NC

Thursday, June 5, 2008 Conference Kick-Off

6:30 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. **Registration**

6:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m. **Welcome Reception & Opening of Conference**

A Time of Celebration - Networking and Table Talk

Welcome and Opening Prayer

Looking Ahead - David Spickard, *CEO, Jobs for Life*

A Time of Praise and Worship - Special Guest, Mark Schultz

Closing Prayer

Friday, June 6, 2008 MORNING SESSION

8:15 – 9:00 a.m. **Registration/Continental Breakfast/ Networking**

9:00 – 10:30 a.m. **General Session 1 - Kerr Hall**

Welcome - Paula Bryan, Jobs for Life, Director of Customer Service

Opening Prayer

“First Things First” - David Spickard, CEO, Jobs for Life

Baptist **Keynote Speaker** - Frank Alexander, Senior Pastor, Oasis of Hope Church, Indianapolis, IN

10:30 – 11:00 a.m. BREAK / Open Networking

11:00 – 12:00 p.m. **Workshop - Track 1** (Located on 3rd Floor)

12:00 – 1:30 p.m. **Box Lunch / Open Networking** - Kerr Hall

12:30 - 1:15 p.m. Sneak Peak: 2008 Curriculum Upgrades (Optional breakout session.
See Workshop Overview for details)

Friday, June 6, 2008 AFTERNOON SESSION

1:30 – 2:30 p.m. **Workshop - Track 2** (Located on 3rd Floor)

2:30 – 3:00 p.m. BREAK / Open Networking

3:00 – 4:00 p.m. **Workshop - Track 3** (Located on 3rd Floor)

Friday, June 6, 2008 Evening Event

6:30 – 8:30 p.m. JfL Celebration Dinner - North Carolina BBQ

Awards Celebration

- 2008 Jobs for Life Samaritan Award
- 2008 Jobs for Life Site Award
- 2008 Jobs for Life Graduate Award

Keynote Speaker - Elliot Grudem, Senior Pastor Christ the King Presbyterian Church, Raleigh, NC

Saturday, June 7, 2008 Morning Session

8:00 - 9:00 a.m. Registration

8:00 - 9:00 a.m. Continental Breakfast / Networking

8:00 - 8:50 a.m. Oasis - Optional Time of Sharing and Prayer

9:00 - 12:00 p.m. General Session - Kerr Hall

General Announcements

Welcome / Opening Prayer - David Spickard, CEO, Jobs for Life

Business Panel - *Providing Quality Employees to Meet Today's Business Needs*

Facilitator: Beth Walkup, Tucson, AZ -Executive Director - Tucson Girls Chorus, JfL Board Member

Local business leaders will share common business needs and trends and offer insights for the ways Jobs for Life sites can connect to and serve companies in their respective communities. In addition, JfL leaders will gain an understanding of the value of their JfL training and the ways they can help Jobs for Life students find quality employment.

Panel Members: Helen Rentz, YMCA of the Triangle; Gary Greene, Greene Resources; Rick Royals, Royals Contracting; Chris Mangum, C.C. Mangum Company

10:30 - 10:45 a.m. Break / Jobs for Life Evaluations

10:45 - 12:00 p.m. Closing Session

Looking Back - David Spickard, CEO, Jobs for Life

Keynote Speaker - James White, Senior Vice President, YMCA of the Triangle, Raleigh, NC, Senior Pastor, Christ Our King Community Church