



# NO TIME TO LOSE: A Professional Conference to Activate Change for LGBTQ Youth



**Monday, June 3<sup>rd</sup> 2013  
8am-5pm  
SCUSD Serna Center**

Time	Topic	Presenter
8:00	Breakfast and Registration	
8:30	Welcome	Lawrence Shweky Coordinator, SCUSD Support Services
8:40	Opening Remarks	Ramona Sovereign 11 <sup>th</sup> Grade Student, JFK High School President, JFK Queer-Straight Alliance
8:50	<b>Keynote Address</b> Setting the Tone: Creating Conditions for Inclusive Schools	Joel Baum Director of Education and Training Gender Spectrum
10:15	Break	
10:30	<b>New Visions</b> The FAIR Education Act: How Teaching LGBT History is Good for All Students	Honorable Mark Leno California State Senate  Carolyn Laub Executive Director, GSA Network
11:30	Lunch	
12:15	Workshops – Session A	See Next Page
1:45	Break	
2:00	Workshops – Session B	See Next Page
3:30	Break	
3:45	LGBTQ Youth Panel: Middle and High School Youth Speak About Their Experiences	Emily Herr LGBTQ Youth Advocate, SCUSD  Emily Bender, Community Organizer Mutual Housing California
4:30	Awards and Evaluations	Lawrence Shweky Coordinator, SCUSD Support Services
5:00	Adjourn	

## WORKSHOP DETAIL

<b>A</b>	<b>SESSION A</b>	<b>PRESENTER(S)</b>
<b>1</b>	Panel Presentation: Preventing Bullying in Our Schools	Lisa Ford-Berry, Executive Director, BRAVE Society Todd Migliaccio, Assistant Professor, CSUS Department of Sociology Stephanie Papas, School Health Education Consultant, California Department of Education Julie Snider, Teacher and GSA Advisor, Rosemont High School John Paukstadt, 10th Grade Student, The Met High School Facilitated by Jessica Wharton, Bullying Prevention Specialist, SCUSD
<b>2</b>	Supporting Gender Diverse Children and Families	Joel Baum Director of Education & Training Gender Spectrum
<b>3</b>	Double Jeopardy: LGBTQ Youth in Foster Care	Sacramento LGBTQ Foster Youth Task Force, including representatives from Child Protective Services, WIND Youth Services, Gender Health Center and Children's Law Center.
<b>4</b>	Preventing STIs Among LGBTQ Youth	Jim Austin, NP Nurse Practitioner CARES
<b>5</b>	Developing Strong Gay-Straight Alliances in Middle and High Schools	Courtney Mummert Program Coordinator GSA Network

<b>B</b>	<b>SESSION B</b>	<b>PRESENTER(S)</b>
<b>6</b>	Panel Presentation: LGBTQ Youth & Faith Communities	Reverend Wendy Bartel, Co-Minister of the Sierra Foothills Unitarian Universalists, Auburn Reverend Doretha Williams-Flournoy, Senior Pastor, A Church for All, Sacramento Reverend Matt Smith, Co-Pastor of The Table at Central United Methodist Church, Sacramento Facilitated by Mary-Helen Doherty, SCUSD LGBTQ Task Force
<b>7</b>	Parents Speak: An Intimate Conversation with Parents of LGBTQ Students	Parents and community partners from Sacramento PFLAG and Sacramento TransFamilies. Facilitated by Rachael Hudson, Gender Health Center.
<b>8</b>	How to Talk to Queer Kids	Julie Weckstein, LCSW Department of Clinical Social Services UC Davis Health System
<b>9</b>	Creating Social and Emotional Support Systems for LGBTQ Youth	Emily Bender, Community Organizer, Mutual Housing California Emily Herr, LGBTQ Youth Advocate, SCUSD
<b>10</b>	First Do No Harm: Reducing Disparities for LGBTQ Youth	Poshi Mikalson, MSW LGBTQ Reducing Disparities Project Director Mental Health America of Northern CA