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Central Valley's Region VII 5th Annual Literacy Conference

May 19, 2010

Radisson Hotel & Conference Center, Fresno, CA

Keynote Speakers & Conference Schedule

- **Dr. Kate Kinsella**
Faculty Member, Department of Secondary Education, San Francisco State University, Consultant on READ 180, ReadAbout, Author of *Reading in the Content Areas: Strategies for Reading Success*
- **Dr. Lesley Morrow**
Professor of Early Childhood Literacy & Literacy Education at Rutgers University and Past President of the International Reading Association, Primary Author of Houghton-Mifflin's Preschool Curriculum
- **Dr. Timothy Shanahan**
Professor of urban education at the University of Illinois at Chicago and director of the UIC Center for Literacy, Past President of the International Reading Association
- **Dr. Michael Smith**
Professor in Temple University's College of Education and Fellow of the National Conference on Research in Language and Literacy, Author of *Reading Don't Fix No Chevys*, Primary Author of National Geographic Hampton Brown's EDGE Program

- 7:30-8:15 Registration
- 8:15-8:30 Welcome
- 8:30-10:00 General Session # 1
(Dr. Kate Kinsella)
- 10:00-10:30 Break/ Visit Vendors
- 10:30-11:45 Split Session # 1
Intermediate/ Secondary
Literacy Keynote
(Dr. Michael Smith)
- Early Literacy Breakout Sessions
- 11:45-12:30 Lunch
- 12:30-1:45 General Session # 2
(Dr. Timothy Shanahan)
- 1:45-2:00 Break
- 2:00-3:15 Split Session # 2
Early Literacy Keynote
(Dr. Lesley Morrow)
- Intermediate/ Secondary Literacy
Breakout Sessions

Registration Fee: \$175

(Registration includes book, continental breakfast and lunch.)

Register online at <http://tulare.k12oms.org>.
EARLYBIRD registration by March 15, 2010
is only \$150!

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