



2018 Dakotas AER Conference Agenda

Building a Vision for the Future

April 18 - 20, 2018

**Aberdeen, South Dakota
Location: Best Western Ramkota**



Wednesday, April 18

Time	PRESENTATION
11:00 -12:15 p.m.	AER Board Meeting Lunch on Your Own
12:00 – 12:45 p.m.	Registration
12:45 – 1:00 p.m.	Welcome & Announcements
1:00 – 2:30 p.m.	Stacy Breidenbach DEXCOM – Glucose monitoring system
2:30 – 2:45 p.m.	Break / Visit Vendors
2:45 – 3:45 p.m.	Jo Marie Laughlin Using the iPhone/iPad with VoiceOver and Useful Apps Introduction to the OrCam
3:45 – 4:45 p.m.	Vendor Presentations
5:00 – 5:45 p.m.	AER General Meeting
6:15	Suggested Dinner gathering at Wings and Rings

Thursday, April 19

TIME	PRESENTATION
8:30 – 10:00 a.m.	Lorri Peterson Early Connections for Building Success Mike Webb / Nancy Kelsey Panel on Building Futures
10:00 – 10:15 a.m.	Break / Visit Vendors
10:15 – 11:45 a.m.	Laura Benge Helen Keller National Center's programs and services
11:45 – 1:00 p.m.	Luncheon / Keynote Friend of Vision / Scholarship Award
1:00 - 2:30 p.m.	Linda Kraft, Lanna Slaby, and Mary Verlinde CVI: What we Know Now
2:30 - 3:00 p.m.	Break / Visit Vendors
3:00 – 4:00 p.m.	Michael D. Goehring Guide Dogs: The role of the Orientation and Mobility Instructor
4:00 - 5:00 p.m.	Mike Bina Leadership Lessons Learned for Education and Rehabilitation Professionals at the 2016 Rio Paralympics
5:15 – 6:00 p.m.	O&M Meeting
6:15 - ??	O&M Dinner—Location TBA

Friday, April 20

Time	PRESENTATION
8:30 – 10:00 a.m.	Sandy Kenrick Supporting a Love of Literacy: Making Literacy Accessible for Young Children With Vision Impairments Part I
10:00 – 10:15 a.m.	Break / Visit Vendors
10:15 – 11:15 p.m.	Sandy Kenrick Supporting a Love for Literacy Part II
11:15 – 12:15 p.m.	Marje Kaiser Building a Future for SDSBVI Close Auction (12:55 p.m.)
12:15 – 1:15 p.m.	Lunch Riki Nitz Worker of the Year Award Membership Awards
1:30 – 3:00 p.m.	Mike Bina and Marje Kaiser Declaring War on Student and Client Dependency: The Leader's Essential Role
<u>2018 Conference Evaluation</u>	
<u>2018 Session Evaluation</u>	