

**SAVE THE DATE!**



**FEBRUARY 23, 2019**

**HBIDA 23<sup>rd</sup> ANNUAL CONFERENCE**

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**Dr. Guinevere Eden - Keynote Speaker**

***Decoding the Brain: Imaging Studies of Dyslexia***

Guinevere Eden, Ph.D., is a professor in the department of pediatrics and director of the Center for the Study of Learning (CSL) at Georgetown University. She teaches graduate students in Georgetown's Interdisciplinary Program for Neuroscience, and her CSL research focuses on using brain-imaging techniques to understand the neural basis of dyslexia.

### **Break-Out Sessions**

**Renee Attaway, MS, CCC-SLP – Social Thinking®**

Renee speaks nationally for the Social Thinking® Training & Speakers Collaborative. She is the founder and former director of Social Learning at the Parish School.

**Jessica Brock, M.Ed. & Heather Hillery, MEd, CCC-SLP – *Closing the Gap: Implementing Inquiry Based Learning in a LD Classroom***

From the Parish School, Jessica is a teacher with a M.Ed. in Special Education and Behavior Analysis from Texas A&M University, and Heather is a speech language pathologist with over twenty years of experience.

**Antonio Fierro, Ed.D. – *From Traditional Word Walls to Sound/Spelling Walls***

Dr. Fierro is a Texas State Teacher of the Year and currently a member of the national cohort of LETRS instructors, led by Dr. Louisa Moats, with twenty-five years in the field of education.

**Shonda Guthrie, M.Ed., LDT, CALT – *From Syllables to Success: Strategies for Reading Words Beyond "Sounding It Out"***

Shonda, a reading specialist with twenty-one years in education, will be sharing how parents can help their child find reading success by understanding and using six syllable types.

**Evan Weinberger – Executive Functioning**

Evan is the President and Founder of Staying Ahead of the Game! LLC - an academic coaching company that helps children and young adults to succeed in academia and beyond.

**Chris Woodin, M.Ed. – Part 1: *Best Graphic Organizers to Teach Math Facts and Procedures* and Part 2: *Characteristics of Language Based Instruction within Math Classes***

Chris, a specialist in the fields of mathematics and learning disabilities, graduated from Harvard Graduate School of Education and currently is the Chair of Mathematics at Landmark School.