

# Supporting Deaf People - Online Conference 2009

It's an international event, and usually about 50% of participants are from the US. We offer 2.0 CEUs for attending and the themes are ethics and professionalism in interpreting and deaf education, so it is aimed directly at the interpreting profession. Most of the workshops are lead by interpreters or interpreter trainers.

The sixth SDP conference takes place from the 28th - 31st January 2009. Themes are:

- 1) Deaf Education
- 2) Ethics and Professionalism in Interpreting**

Please see <http://www.online-conference.net/sdp2009/introduction.htm> for programme and booking information.

**Up to 2.0 CEUs are available for this conference.**

The Supporting Deaf People online conferences are international conferences with a difference - all the information, buzz and personal development, but all from the comfort of your own home/place of work. You can access the SDP conference from any internet connected computer, but will be interacting with participants from 20 countries over 5 continents.

What previous delegates said about the SDP "experience":

"Excellent in terms of cost, excellent in terms of flexibility and access. I would have real problems attending a 'normal' conference due to childcare issues, so this was a real bonus for me. It also enabled people from much further away to participate... So I think we had a more international mix than would have been possible otherwise. I thought the idea was great and it worked really well for me. It never really occurred to me that this type of thing might be possible, but I think it was really effective."

"I would do this again in a heartbeat. The level of the discussion and supportive, respectful tone of the comments set it way above many live forums (or online, too) that I have been in."

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