

# 2010 WABE Conference ~ Yakima Convention Center, Yakima, WA

## Featuring Keynote Speakers Dr. Jim Cummins and Dr. Kathy Escamilla



- \* Vendor Displays
- \* Educational Feast
- \* Entertainment
- \* Networking and Socializing Opportunities

### \* Classroom Visitations – Thur. May 6, 2010

If interested, please indicate your choice of Dual Language/Language Art Classrooms:

- Grandview School District K-8  
 Pasco School District K-5

Transportation will be provided. Schedule TBD.  
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Dr. Cummins is a professor at the Ontario Institute for Studies in Education where he works on language development and literacy development of ELLs as an additional language. Cummins coined the acronyms BICS and CALP, processes to help a teacher qualify a student's language ability. His research has focused on the nature of language proficiency and second language acquisition with emphasis on the social and educational barriers that limit academic success for culturally diverse students.

Dr. Escamilla is a professor of Education at the University of Colorado at Boulder. Her work centers on educational issues related to Spanish-speaking language minority students in U.S. schools. She is specifically interested in issues related to the development of bilingualism and biliteracy in early elementary grades for this population. Her recent research has also examined assessment practices and the impact of high stakes testing.

## REGISTRATION FORM ~ May 7 & 8, 2010

*Registrant's Information (Please PRINT and complete a separate form for each individual registrant.)*

Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ M.I.: \_\_\_\_\_

Preferred Name or Nickname for Name Badge: \_\_\_\_\_

Please check one:  Teacher  Administrator  Paraprofessional  Parent  Student  Higher Ed

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Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

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✓	<b>WABE Conference Fees – Registration includes one-year WABE membership fee.</b>	
	Early Bird Fee – Before April 12, 2010	\$ 195
	Regular Registration – After April 12, 2010	\$ 220
	One-site Registration	\$ 245
	Full-time University Student	\$ 75
	WABE membership only	\$ 25
	Free Registration for One Presenter per session, if proposal is accepted.	\$ 0
<b>Total Amount Due:</b>		<b>\$</b>

Continental Breakfast and Lunch are included both days. Need a special diet or assistance?  Please provide details.

I can volunteer during the conference. Please contact me.

MAIL or FAX REGISTRATION FORM and CHECK/MONEY ORDER/or PURCHASE ORDER to: Thomas Romero, WABE President-Elect, 33 S. Second Ave, Yakima, WA 98902 (Fax: 509-454-7879)

Conference Lodging Rate: \$70 until block of rooms are taken at these hotels:  
**Red Lion Hotel**, 607 East Yakima Ave, Yakima, WA 98901; T: 509-248-5900  
 (Block of rooms – 130) Reserve early!

**Holiday Inn**, 802 E Yakima Ave, Yakima, WA 98901; T: 888-465-4329 or 509-454-1400 (Block of Rooms – 50) Reserve early!

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