



***Save the Date!***



***Iowa AEYC  
Spring Leadership Institute  
May 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2010  
9:00—4:00***

***“Leadership in Times of Change: Helping Others Implement Best Practices in Early Childhood Care and Education”***

*Trainer: Gaye Gronlund*

*Location: Holiday Inn Hotel and Suites  
4800 Merle Hay Road, Des Moines*

With the publication of the 3<sup>rd</sup> edition of Developmentally Appropriate Practice and the on-going emphasis on early learning standards, leaders in the field of early care and education are being asked to continually raise the bar and help teachers and care providers be intentional in providing quality services to young children and their families.

This full day workshop will provide participants with specific professional development activities, mentoring and coaching techniques, along with strategies for integrating early learning standards and best practices into curriculum and authentic assessment materials. Learn to embrace the changes that are going on in early education and redefine them in such a way as to highlight the positive elements. This interactive session will allow you to engage in deep discussions with others facing similar challenges and benefit from many new ideas to help you truly be a Change Champion!

Gaye Gronlund, M.A., is an early childhood education consultant who works with programs across the country helping them implement best practices in curriculum and authentic assessment for young children and their families.

**Who should attend?**

Program Administrators, Lead Teachers, Trainers & Consultants, Early Childhood Faculty,  
Elementary School Principals, Policymakers & Advocates

**Registration materials will be available soon!**

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