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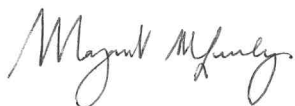
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Welcome to the 4th World Congress on Fluency Disorders and welcome to Canada. The broad-based work and social schedule promises to surpass the ambitions of the Planning Committee to present you with a quality program of events, where people can exchange views and experiences, discuss clinical and research application and interests, re-visit old ideas, be inspired about recent developments, and enjoy the company of old and new friends. All of this, and the wonderful multicultural city of Montreal to explore as well!

Each Congress of the IFA reflects its mission: to bring together people from all around the world who are interested in understanding stuttering and fluency; to work toward improving the quality of life of people with fluency problems; and to recognize the mutual contribution of the expertise of those who study fluency from a wide range of perspectives and of those who stutter. This Congress provides you with opportunities to engage in every aspect of the IFA's mission.

Hosting the 4th World Congress is the result of able and committed teamwork. The Planning Committee has been co-ordinated by Rosalee Shenker and Lisa Avery, Co-Presidents. The Program Committee Chairperson Ann Meltzer has been supported and assisted by a strong group of people from Canada and around the world. In addition, the experience of Herman Peters, representing the IFA Standing Committee on Meetings and Conferences, has been a constant source of encouragement and wisdom.

Be assured the quality of organization, matched with the warmth and friendliness of the IFA promises a memorable professional and social experience. I am looking forward to greeting you individually over the next four days. Enjoy the Congress and your time in Canada.



Margaret M. Leahy
President, International Fluency Association

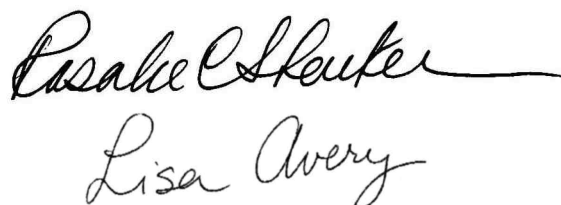
We are proud to welcome everyone to Montreal, site of the International Fluency Association 4th World Congress.

This is the first time that the World Fluency Congress has taken place in Canada and the scope of planning for this meeting has truly been a "cross country" effort with the organizing and programme committees comprised of people from British Columbia and Alberta in the west to Ontario, Quebec and New Brunswick in the east. The dedication of Canadian Fluency Specialists has inspired all aspects of the planning that has gone into making this Congress the success that we know it will be.

The Congress Program is a mélange of contributions from consumers, clinicians and researchers from around the world, as multicultural and multilingual as Montreal itself. We are certain that every participant will find many special elements to give this Congress its unique flavour as in past meetings in Munich, San Francisco and Denmark. Additionally, we have planned a social schedule that we feel certain will bring all participants together with many opportunities for personal growth and new friendships. Finally, the fully renovated 'Canadian Heritage' hotel with its accessibility to the core of the city will greatly enhance the experience of the Congress.

Finally the city itself! Montreal is a unique gem, a North American city with all the charm of the old world combined with modern amenities. We are sure that everyone will want to explore all the spirit and elegance, as well as the hidden treasures that this city has to offer.

We look forward to personally meeting each of you during this 4th World Congress.



Rosalee C. Shenker and Lisa Avery
Co-Presidents
IFA 4th World Congress

4th World Congress on Fluency Disorders

Official language

The official language of the Congress is English. There will be simultaneous translation from English to French and French to English of all presentations in the Marquette Room Thursday 14 August.

Proceedings

The Proceedings of the IFA 4th World Congress will be published in the spring of 2004.

A copy of the Proceedings will be mailed to participants who paid the full registration fee. Others may purchase a copy of the Proceedings for the cost price. Order forms will be available at the Congress information desk.

| | Monday, August 11 | Tuesday, August 12 | Wednesday, August 13 | Thursday, August 14 | Friday, August 15 |
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| Registration | 11:00–18:00 Mezzanine Level (Level 1) | 07:30–09:00 Convention Level (Level 2) | 08:00–09:00 Convention Level (Level 2) | 07:30–09:00 Convention Level (Level 2) | 07:30–09:00 Convention Level (Level 2) |
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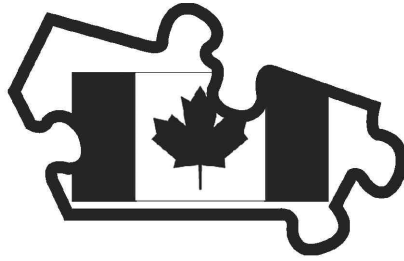
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Excursions

Monday, August 11

13:30–16:30 Motor coach tour: *Montréal, C'est Magnifique*

Tuesday, August 12

Accompanying Persons

07:30–17:30 Quebec City Day Trip (lunch included)

or

09:00–13:30 Montreal Botanical Garden and Montreal Biodome

Wednesday, August 13

13:00–16:00 Jet Boating - Ride the Lachine Rapids
(gourmet box lunch provided on the bus)

or

14:00–17:30 Walking Tour of Old Montreal

Thursday, August 14

Accompanying Persons

08:30–16:30 Laurentian Mountains Excursion (lunch on your own)

Tour departures: Please present yourself to the tour guide at the Mansfield entrance of the Fairmont Queen Elizabeth Hotel ten minutes before scheduled departure time. Tickets for tours where seats are still available can be purchased at the Information desk.

Social events

Monday, August 11

18:30–19:30 Opening Ceremony

ROOM

Marquette/
Jolliet

19:30–22:30 Reception (light refreshments)

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Tuesday, August 12

19:00 Dine-Around (Meet in the Registration area Mezzanine - Level 1)

Wednesday, August 13

18:30 "*Cabane à Sucre*"- Québec folk evening with dinner at an authentic maple bush camp (Please present yourself to the tour guide at the Mansfield entrance of the Fairmont Queen Elizabeth Hotel ten minutes before scheduled departure time).

Thursday, August 14

19:45 Banquet and Awards Ceremony (music and dancing)

Grand Salon

Meetings

Wednesday 13, August

07:30–08:45 IFA Board Meeting (continental breakfast)

St Charles

Thursday 14, August

17:30–19:00 IFA General Members Meeting

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One of the items on the agenda will be the venue for the next Congress. Are you or your colleagues interested in making a bid?

Friday 15, August

07:15–08:15 Proceedings: Editors Meeting (continental breakfast)

St Charles

National Stuttering Association

Meeting the needs of children who stutter and their families.

Visit our booth and pick up a **FREE** stuttering resource file filled with:

- *Resources for preschool, school age and teens who stutter.*
- *Continuing Education Seminars.*
- *National conference, Family days, Adult Workshops.*
- *Informational books, Pamphlets, Newsletters covering all aspects of stuttering for the SLP, educator and medical professional.*

The NSA has resources to help you treat children who stutter.

Practical, Hands-on materials are wonderful tools to help you help the child who stutters. Here are just a few:

Preschool Children Who Stutter: Five steps to help the child who stutters.

A Classroom Presentation Guide: Help your student decrease teasing and overcome the fear of speaking in class by educating peers on the disorder of stuttering.

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Top 10 lists for parents of preschool, school age and transitional teen. These valuable resources immediately address the fears, concerns and emotions associated with being a parent of a child who stutters.

Educator brochure: Provides the classroom teacher with ideas for handling situations that arise in the everyday classroom environment.

Notes to Listeners: This brochure supplies the listener with basic information on stuttering as well as provides a greater understanding of this complex disorder.

How to Be More Successful in Interpersonal Relationships guide: This will help develop the confidence needed to communicate more freely. Specific topics include: Friends and acquaintances - The social side of business - Marriage and family - Community activities - Romance and social interaction.

Employment support material: Finding a job can be difficult for the person who stutters. Our employment support materials discuss topics related to the job search, talking about stuttering with the employer, and job advancement.

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Speaker Preparation

Following registration please report to the Speaker Preparation Room — Saguenay — and check in with the Speaker Room attendant. The room will be available for presenters to review audiovisual material.

Presenter Information

Speakers are requested to go to their conference room at least 20 minutes before the scheduled presentation in order to meet the chairperson.

Please pay close attention to the time limits of presentations. Leave 3 minutes of a 15 minute time allocation, 5 minutes of a 30 to 90 minute allocation and 10 minutes of a Double Seminar for a question and answer period. Presenters must keep their presentations within their time frames.

Session Chairs

Chairpersons have been assigned to all the Sessions. They will introduce speakers, facilitate question periods and keep sessions on time.

Mobile Phones

We kindly ask you to have your mobile phone turned off while in the lecture rooms.

Smoking

Smoking is not permitted in any of the Congress rooms during Sessions, or at social events or on the tour buses.

Continuing Education Credits

New Hampshire Speech, Language and Hearing Association (NHSLHA) is approved by the Continuing Education Board of the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association (ASHA) to provide continuing education activities in speech-language pathology and audiology. This program is offered for 1.7 CEU's, intermediate level, professional area. ASHA CE Provider approval does not imply endorsement of course content, specific products, or clinical procedures.



Registrants requiring ASHA CEU's will be able to accrue a total of 1.7 CEU's if they attend the entire 4 ½ day congress. At the beginning of each day you must **sign in** at the CEU table and then **sign out** at the end of the day. On the last day, attendees will fill out a learner outcome form, a program evaluation form, and the formal CEU record sheet near the Information Desk.

Exhibits

During the Congress (Tuesday to Thursday), the following organizations will exhibit their products and materials:

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National Stuttering Association (NSA)

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Book display/sales table

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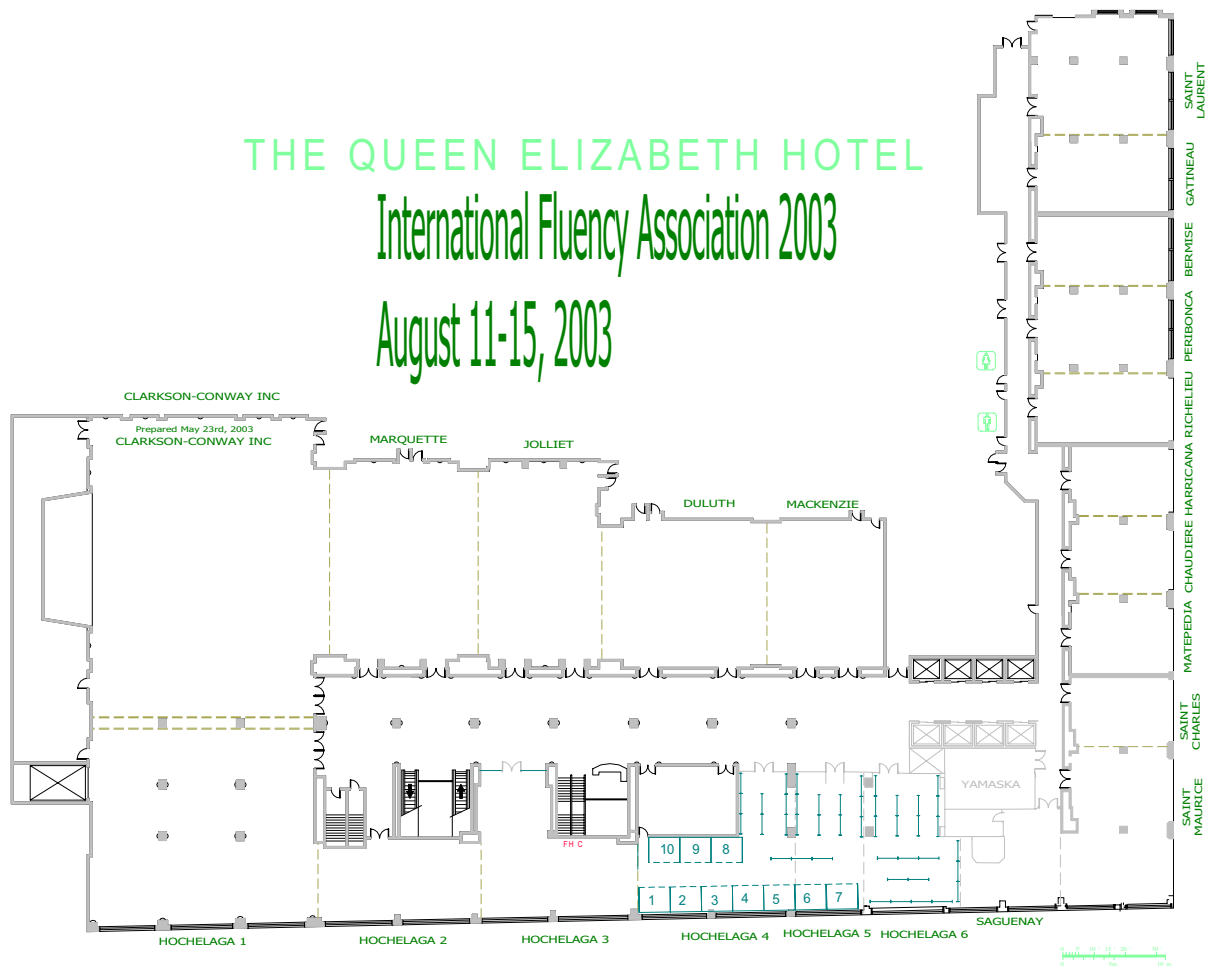
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