

WISCONSIN SCHOOL COUNSELOR ASSOCIATION

55th ANNUAL CONFERENCE

February 18-20, 2020

Our Final Year at Monona Terrace Convention Center • Madison, WI

80 sectionals offered! Huge variety to enhance your professional development, including hot topics: Equity, MTSS, ACP, SEL.

Early Bird sectionals will be offered again this year to maximize your conference experience!

KEYNOTE SPEAKERS

Opening Keynote Speaker

KEYNOTE SPEAKER – Opening Session

Wednesday, February 19, 2020 | 8:30 a.m.



Ross Greene

Ross W. Greene, Ph.D., is the *New York Times* bestselling author of the influential books *The Explosive Child, Lost at School, Lost and Found,* and *Raising Human Beings*.

He is the originator of the model of care described in those books, now called

Collaborative & Proactive Solutions (CPS). Dr. Greene was on the faculty at Harvard Medical School for over 20 years, and is now founding director of the nonprofit Lives in the Balance, which provides a vast array of free, web-based resources on the CPS model. He has appeared in a wide range of media, including *The Oprah Show, Good Morning America, The Morning Show, National Public Radio, Mother Jones* magazine, *The Atlantic, The Washington Post, The Chicago Tribune*, and the *Boston Globe*. Dr. Greene lectures and consults widely throughout the world and lives in Portland, Maine.

Closing Keynote Speaker

KEYNOTE SPEAKER – Brunch Speaker

Thursday, February 20, 2020 | 11:00 a.m.



Dr. Niraj Nijhawan

Dr. Raj's presentation takes a deep dive into stress in the modern world, survival biology, applied neuroscience, and social, behavioral, and cognitive psychology. All of which can be applied to your life in a new way to help you lead like never before.

Dr. Raj is a practicing physician. He was raised in Milwaukee, WI, graduated from the University of Wisconsin Medical School in 1992, and completed a medical residency in Anesthesiology/ Critical Care at the Medical College of Wisconsin. Dr. Raj received a National Institute of Health Scientist Training Grant where he acquired a master's degree in clinical research and was trained as a clinical scientist and designed and conducted medical research. He is also a healthcare leader who was recruited to run and build several medical departments in a variety of hospitals and healthcare systems. Dr Raj has spent nearly 30 years cataloging, practicing, teaching, and helping people integrate the latest knowledge from the realms of medical, social, and neuroscience into their lives.

PRECONFERENCE WORKSHOPS

Full-Day Session 9:30 a.m.– 4:30 p.m.	Working With Youth Who Self-Injure (6-PS) Dr. Jennifer Muehlenkamp						
AM Sessions 9:30 a.m.– 12:30 p.m.	Wake-Up Call Professional Development (K-PS)	Online Safety and Emotional Health for Digital Age Students (K-12)	ACP Conferencing: How to Do It All Without Doing It All! (6-12)	Negotiating the Legal and Ethical Complications of Working With Minors (K-5) Dr. Carolyn Stone	Equity, Racism, and Systemic Barriers in Rural Wisconsin (4K-12)	A School Counselor's SEL Smorgasbord (K-8)	Moving From Power and Control to Collaboration and Problem-Solving (6-12) Dr. Ross Greene
PM Sessions 1:30 p.m.– 4:30 p.m.	Renewing Your Sense of Why: Reinvigorating Your School Counselor Role (K-12)	Protecting Our Children: Internet Safety & Human Trafficking (K-12)	See Xello in Action: Become a Xello Expert (6-12)	Negotiating the Legal and Ethical Complications of Working With Minors (6-12) Dr. Carolyn Stone	Post Secondary Planning: Using a Trauma Informed Lens (6-PS)	Afternoon on the Hill (K-PS)	Moving From Power and Control to Collaboration and Problem-Solving (K-5) Dr. Ross Greene

GENERAL CONFERENCE INFORMATION



CONFERENCE TIMES

Tuesday, February 18, 2020

8:30 a.m.

Graduate Course

Preconference Workshop Registration Opens

9:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

Full-day Preconference Workshop

9:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

Half-day a.m. Preconference Workshops

1:30-4:30 p.m.

Half-day p.m. Preconference Workshops

Wednesday, February 19, 2020

7:00 a.m.

Graduate Course

Conference Registration Opens

7:15 a.m.

Exhibits Open

Early Bird Sessions Begin

8:30 a.m.

Opening Session Keynote Speaker:

Dr. Ross Greene

10:30 a.m.-5:00 p.m.

Sectionals Begin

5:00-6:15 p.m.

Afterglow Reception

Thursday, February 20, 2020

7:30 a.m.

Exhibits Open

Conference Registration Opens

7:45 a.m.

Intensive Sectionals Begin

8:30 a.m.

Sectionals Begin

11:00 a.m.

Brunch Keynote Speaker:

Dr. Niraj Nijhawan

Staying in Madison? Accommodations listed on wcsaweb.org Check out the list of rooms available at a discounted rate!

Parking: Leave your parking worries behind! FREE parking at Alliant Energy lot & FREE shuttle service direct to Monona Terrace.

FIND IT HERE!

For more detailed descriptions of the 2019–2020 conference opening keynote presentation, brunch speaker, and preconference workshops, please visit the WSCA website at **wscaweb.org** and click on Conference.

Highlights

- Lunch is included on Wednesday! All conference registrations include a boxed lunch that can be picked up on Wednesday during lunch time.
- FREE parking and shuttle to conference from the Alliant Energy Center on Wednesday and Thursday.
- <u>REGISTRATION LATE FEE</u>: Registrations must be postmarked by 1/13/20 to avoid a \$45 processing fee.
- Sectional information will be available on the WSCA website before January 1, 2020.
- · Accommodations Madison, Wisconsin

WSCA has secured beautiful and convenient Madison hotel rooms! To book your room reservation at the 20–35% discounted rate, you must make your reservation at the designated WSCA Conference hotels and request the WSCA Conference rate.

• Free Parking and Shuttle at Alliant Energy Center February 19 & 20

You spoke, WSCA listened! **Free Parking at Alliant Energy Center** with FREE shuttle service to the Monona Terrace for the conference!

• Calling all Rural School Counselors

Apply to become a WSCA Conference Ascendium Fellow!

WSCA has partnered with Ascendium Education Group (formerly Great Lakes Higher Education Corporation & Affiliates) to offer a conference fellow's program.

Fellow benefits include: 2019-2020 Conference Scholarship (worth up to \$850), Networking & Collaboration with other Fellows, and Recognition as a Fellow.

Additional information and application materials can be found on the WSCA website conference page. Applications must be submitted on or before December 2, 2019, at 5:00 pm.





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Online Registration is Open Early registration deadline is January 13, 2020.

1 & 2 Viterbo Graduate Credit available in conjunction with the February 2019-2020 conference. See the WSCA Conference webpage for additional details.

