

“Lighting the Way to Guardianship and Other Decision-Making Alternatives”
 Self-Advocates and Families Workshop
 2011 Program Schedule

<u>Time</u>	<u>Topic</u>
8:15 AM – 8:30 AM	Registration Check-in
8:30 AM – 10:00 AM	<p>SECTION 1, FUNDAMENTAL CONCEPTS—Working Breakfast</p> <p>Welcome and Introductions Special Videotaped Message from Justice Lewis</p> <p><i>Presenter: Melinda Coulter, Overview of Civil Rights</i></p> <p><i>Presenter: (TBD), Perspective from a Self-Advocate</i></p> <p><i>Presenter: Phoebe Ball, J.D., Principles of Decision-Making</i></p> <p><i>Presenter: Susan Dunbar, Special Issues Facing Adolescents</i></p>
10:00 AM – 10:10 AM	Morning Break
10:10 AM – 12:30 PM	<p>SECTION 2, OPTIONS FOR DECISION-MAKING ASSISTANCE</p> <p><i>Presenter: Melinda Coulter, Range of Decision-Making Options</i></p> <p><i>Presenter: Travis Finchum, J.D., Special Needs Trusts</i></p>
12:30 PM – 3:30 PM	SECTION 3, GUARDIANSHIP AND GUARDIAN ADVOCACY
12:30 PM – 1:30 PM	Working Lunch: Case Scenarios for Lunch
1:30 PM – 2:45 PM	<p><i>Presenter: Melinda Coulter, Options Exercise (When would family ask for guardianship)</i></p> <p><i>Presenter: Karen Campbell, J.D., or Michelle Hollister, J.D., Guardianship Process</i></p> <p><i>Presenter: Melinda Coulter, Reporting Requirements</i></p>
2:45 PM – 3:00 PM	Afternoon Break
3:00 PM – 3:30 PM	<i>Presenter: Phoebe Ball, J.D., Guardian Advocacy</i>
3:30 PM – 4:00 PM	<p>SECTION 4, Legal Resources</p> <p><i>Presenter: Melinda Coulter, Legal Resources</i></p>
4:00 PM – 4:45 PM	Panel Question and Answer Session
4:45 PM – 5:00 PM	Program Evaluation