



2022 Annual Conference

Conference Call to Presenters

Returning to Play.

Saturday December 3rd

This year's conference will focus on play, **connecting the child within you to the children we serve**. This year our conference will be held in person at the University of Arizona College of Education. Our sessions have been carefully selected to provide resources and means for educators and families to feel supported. Topics include:

- **Building Connections** - using play to support family engagement, community, and cultural responsiveness
- **Fostering Wellness** - using play to support the emotional health and wellness of our children and our workforce
- **Nurturing the Whole Child** - including child development, classroom and behavioral management, trauma-informed care, and child-centered practice

Transformative adult learning focused on changing the way learners think about the world around them, and how they think about themselves. Our conference this year will focus on getting educators hands-on with materials, helping them center their own classroom practices in play, and honoring that all learners come into a learning space with their own set of unique skills to offer. All sessions should be hands-on and have materials that the participants can practice with children the next time they meet. We are looking for session offerings in Spanish/bilingual and for infant-toddler educators as well.

Submit your proposal at

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSeggCrNS__JebQb_SsXAf0CMTGIb7jbcyb6nZB_UO7jlvI5hQ/viewform

For all conference details, including registration visit our website at <https://www.sazaeyc.org/annual-conference.html>

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