

The Humanware logo features the word "Humanware" in a white, sans-serif font. Above the letter "a" is a stylized white icon of a person with arms raised in a celebratory gesture.The slogan "The power is in your hands" is written in a white, sans-serif font. It is positioned to the right of the Humanware logo and above a photograph of people with their arms raised against a bright sun.

Transitioning to Postsecondary

Learn how disability-related legislation impacts your rights and the responsibilities of post-secondary institutions. Plus, what colleges can do to ensure a smooth transition.

(a large print text only version is available at: <http://www.humanware.ca/web/en/newsletter/53-t.htm>)

Guest speaker: Nina Ghiselli, PsyD

Discussion will include information on legislation and services that are provided by the Disability Resource Office. Take a closer look at how to access textbooks and resources in an accessible format. Answering questions regarding what colleges can do to help ensure smooth transition?



Thursday August 20, 2009

19:00 (UTC) Coordinated Universal Time
12 p.m. to 1 p.m. Pacific Daylight Saving Time
1 p.m. to 2 p.m. Mountain Daylight Saving Time
2 p.m. to 3 p.m. Central Daylight Saving Time
3 p.m. to 4 p.m. Eastern Daylight Saving Time

Location: Webinar through the HumanWare weblink.

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Nina Ghiselli, PsyD. is the system-wide director of disability services and adjunct faculty at Alliant International University and a psychologist in private practice. She also teaches courses at U.C. Berkeley Extension and Argosy University and consults with schools and agencies on how to make their programs more accessible to people with disabilities.

Dr. Ghiselli, who has a language-based learning disability, teaches courses on disability law, application to the clinical population, effective teaching, and diversity. Her clinical work focuses on adults with disabilities.

Future webinars session:

Please save the date and register for this upcoming webinar as we continue this educational series.

Recording for the Blind and Dyslexic - Preparing for Fall 2009

Guest speaker: **Stephanie Turner**

August 27, 2009

19:00 (UTC) Coordinated Universal Time
12 p.m. to 1 p.m. Pacific Daylight Saving Time
1 p.m. to 2 p.m. Mountain Daylight Saving Time
2 p.m. to 3 p.m. Central Daylight Saving Time
3 p.m. to 4 p.m. Eastern Daylight Saving Time

Webinar Presentation

Stephanie Turner will be speaking about the services that are offered by Recording for the Blind and Dyslexic. During this hands-on workshop you will learn about player authorization, "fee or free" services, how to download books, and find out about what is coming up for RFBID. We will conclude with a questions and answers session.

If you have any questions regarding Recording for the Blind and Dyslexic, please forward them to Brenda.mcbride@humanware.com or sturner@rfbid.org before August 25, 2009.

ClassMate Reader 101: how to download the free Save as DAISY Add-in for WORD. Walkthrough describing the basics steps to creating accessible files using WORD and the Save as DAISY add-in. (Full Text/ Full Audio)

Speaker: **Brenda McBride**

Tuesday, September 1 , 2009

21:00 (UTC) Coordinated Universal Time
2 p.m. to 3 p.m. Pacific Daylight Saving Time
3 p.m. to 4 p.m. Mountain Daylight Saving Time
4 p.m. to 5 p.m. Central Daylight Saving Time
5 p.m. to 6 p.m. Eastern Daylight Saving Time

Webinar Hands-on Presentation

Discussion will include information on how to download the Save as DAISY WORD add-in and use it to create a DAISY file which can then be copied on the ClassMate Reader.

If you have any questions, please forward them to Brenda.mcbride@humanware.com before August 28, 2009.

Dyslexic Brain - Learn the latest

Guest speaker: **Rene King**

Tuesday September 15th, 2009

23:30 (UTC) Coordinated Universal Time
4:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. Pacific Daylight Saving Time
5:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. Mountain Daylight Saving Time
6:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. Central Daylight Saving Time
7:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. Eastern Daylight Saving Time

Webinar Presentation

How is the dyslexic brain different from another brain? What kind of gifts do the dyslexics have? How does technology best work for persons who have dyslexia? What is the latest research and information about dyslexia?

If you have any questions, please forward them to Brenda.mcbride@humanware.com before September 10, 2009.

Parenting: how to work with "the system" to best provide services for your child.

Guest speaker: **Marion McBride**

Thursday, October 8th, 2009

21:00 (UTC) Coordinated Universal Time
2 p.m. to 3 p.m. Pacific Daylight Saving Time
3 p.m. to 4 p.m. Mountain Daylight Saving Time
4 p.m. to 5 p.m. Central Daylight Saving Time
5 p.m. to 6 p.m. Eastern Daylight Saving Time

Webinar Presentation

Discussion will include information on unfamiliar terminology, ways to work with the school system before the first report card comes out, resources from the web and videos that will help you understand your child and what it is like to have a learning disability in addition to ways to connect with the local support groups in your state or province.

If you have any questions, please forward them to Brenda.mcbride@humanware.com before October 6th, 2009.

About HumanWare

HumanWare is the global leader in assistive technologies for the print disabled. HumanWare provides products to people who are blind or have low vision, and individuals with learning disabilities. HumanWare offers a collection of innovative products, including BrailleNote, the leading productivity device for the blind in education, business, and for personal use; the Victor Reader product line, the world's leading digital audiobook players; myReader2, HumanWare's unique "auto-reader" for people with low vision; and the ClassMate Reader, the only portable book player to offer synchronized text and audio for individuals.

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