

# PRESENTERS

## DR. KATHLEEN BUTLER

Dr. Kathleen Butler is Assistant Professor for Middle and Secondary Education at St. Joseph's College. She is the President of "The Learner's Dimension," a staff development firm that has provided training and publications to educators throughout the world since 1982.

## DR. RICHARD CARMELICH

Dr. Richard Carmelich is the former Superintendent of Schools in Regional School District No. 12, and an instructor in the administrator preparation program at Sacred Heart University.

## DR. JOSEPH W. HOFF

Dr. Joseph Hoff is the president of Encounters in Excellence, Inc. He is the author of the best selling *The Dynamics of the Empowered School: Getting to the Core*. Joe's current book, *In The SOUP*, is devoted to leadership techniques for school leaders.

## DR. MARK MCQUILLAN

Dr. Mark McQuillan is Commissioner of Education for the state of Connecticut.

## PEG MONGIELLO

Peg Mongiello is Vice-President of Teachers 21. An educator with over 35 years of experience in classroom teaching and administration, Peg has served as a principal for the last 13 years and recently received the A+ Administrator Award from the New England League of Middle Schools.

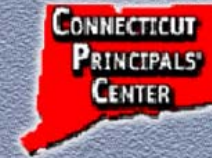
## DR. ANTHONY RIGAZIO-DIGILIO

Dr. Anthony Rigazio-Digilio is Professor and Chair of Educational Leadership at Central Connecticut State University in New Britain, Connecticut.

## RICHARD A. SIMON

Richard Simon is currently the Principal of The Wheatley School, an eighth through twelfth grade public high school in Nassau County, Long Island. Mr. Simon is the coauthor of *The High School Principal's Calendar* (Corwin Press, 2000) and *Making Time to Lead* (Corwin Press, 2004).

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## "GETTING READY TO BE READY"

THE SEVENTH ANNUAL ASPIRING ADMINISTRATORS CONFERENCE  
A TWO DAY RESIDENTIAL PROGRAM FOR  
EDUCATORS CONSIDERING ADMINISTRATION



THURSDAY OCT. 18, 2007

FRIDAY OCT. 19, 2007

DOLCE HERITAGE CONFERENCE CENTER  
SOUTHURY, CT

## October 18, 2007

- 7:45-8:30 Registration and Reflection:  
"Why am I here?" (Journal Entry)
- 8:30-8:45 Welcome ~  
Gene Horrigan & Mike Buckley
- 8:45-9:45 Administrators Panel  
"It's the best job in the world!"
- 9:45-10:00 BREAK
- 10:00-12:00 "Making Time to Lead" ~  
Rick Simon
- 12:00-1:00 LUNCH
- 1:00-3:00 "Style, Leadership, and Inventory" ~  
Kathy Butler
- 3:00-3:45 Home Base Group - "If I were principal,  
what could I do on Monday morning to  
improve my school community?"
- 3:45-6:00 Enjoy the facilities of the Dolce Heritage!
- 6:00-7:00 DINNER
- 7:00-8:30 "Wilderness Survival" ~ Joe Hoff



## October 19, 2007

- 7:45-8:00 Welcome ~ Brian Levesque &  
Mike Buckley
- 8:00-10:00 "Building a Successful School  
Community" (Part I) ~ Peg Mongiello
- 10:00-10:15 BREAK
- 10:15-11:15 "Building a Successful School  
Community" (Part II) ~ Peg Mongiello
- 11:15--12:00 Home Base Group - "What am I drawing  
from the conference that is encouraging to  
me as I consider becoming an  
administrator?"
- 12:00-1:00 LUNCH
- 1:00-2:00 Session I (for non-certified participants)  
Administrative Certification Programs  
and Certification ~ Tony Rigazio-Digilio
- Session II (for certified participants)  
The Interview Process and Resumes ~  
Rich Carmelich
- 2:00-2:30 "Press Conference" with  
First Year Principal
- 2:30-3:00 Q & A with Dr. Mark McQuillan,  
Commissioner of Education



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1.4 CEU's awarded upon completion of the  
two day conference.