

MALAYSIA INTERPRETER EDUCATION SEMINAR

Sat 22nd Aug – Tue 25th Aug, 2009



Presenter : Dr Debra Russell

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Debra Russell (background)

Dr Debra Russell is a Canadian nationally certified interpreter, maintaining an active interpreting and consulting practice. Debra participates in several interpreting organizations at the provincial, national and international levels and has served as the President of AVLIC. As an interpreter educator, she has taught across Canada, and has presented workshops and papers throughout the United States, Europe and Southeast Asia. She holds the David Peikoff Chair of Deafness Studies at the University of Alberta, and has also played a key role in the development of several interpreter assessment tools

Who should attend?

Malaysian Sign Language Interpreters (hearing/Deaf) who:

1. are actively interpreting in various settings (corporate, religious, freelancing, educational, etc)
2. feel their deliveries are losing impact
3. have formal, little or no formal education/training in interpreting
4. are prepared to "re learn and un-learn"
5. wish to enhance their skills and upgrade their knowledge
6. are also in the teaching profession
7. are seeking ongoing skill development through peer mentorship activities

Learn more about

1. Understanding Discourse analysis skills
2. Cohesion features in Interpreting
3. Focusing on Malaysian Sign Language (BIM) and English
4. Perspective taking in Signed and Spoken languages

Also open to non-Malaysian Sign Language Interpreters

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