

JAMES MADISON UNIVERSITY
School Psychology Program Presents
"Nondiscriminatory Assessment of Culturally and
Linguistically Diverse Students"

A 2-day workshop by Samuel Ortiz Ph.D.
St. John's University

May 30 & May 31, 2024

9:00am-4:00pm

THURSDAY SESSION

May 30

9:30am- 4:00pm

FRIDAY SESSION

May 31

9:30am - 4:00pm

This session will focus on the increasing diversity of U.S. public schools, educational services for dual-language learners, understanding first and second language acquisition, generational effects in language development, history of immigrant achievement, parallel processes in development, and language development, legal compliance in assessment of diverse children and a framework for comprehensive nondiscriminatory assessment. Dr. Ortiz will also be here to provide an introduction and answer questions about the ORTIZ Picture Vocabulary Acquisition Test (PVAT). This is a fully digital test that provides fair and accurate assessment of receptive vocabulary ability for English speakers and English learners."

Session will cover bilingual assessment vs. assessment of bilinguals, use of interpreters in assessment, current research in support of the Culture-Language Test Classifications (C-LTC) and Interpretive Matrix (C-LIM), examples of test- specific classification matrices, and case study illustrations of nondiscriminatory interpretation with the C-LIM.

WiFi will
be available

- All participants will receive electronic copies of PowerPoint slides to follow along on during presentation
- Certificates of attendance will be provided for continuing education credits issued through NASP.

The workshop will be held in
HBS Building, room 5040

On-site parking will be available in the
Mason Street Parking Deck, levels 3-5

Cost:
Professional: 2 day-\$125; 1 day -\$75
Student: 2 day \$25; 1 day \$15

[Register online at](https://jmu.irisregistration.com/Form/NACLDS2024)
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registration contact
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Please note: Any registrations after May 28th may not receive email containing conference information and handouts.
Please bring confirmation of registration to workshop and check website for workshop information. Certificates will be mailed after workshop.
We apologize for any inconvenience and encourage registration by May 28th