



TAPIT CONFERENCE 2025

October 17-19, 2025

Monroe Carell Jr. Children's Hospital at Vanderbilt
2200 Children's Way, Nashville, TN 37232

VIRTUAL OPTION AVAILABLE -- CEUs PENDING APPROVAL

TUESDAY SEPTEMBER 16 - CONFERENCE PRELUDE	
VIRTUAL 7p-8p	CODES OF ETHICS FOR LEGAL AND MEDICAL INTERPRETERS: (1 h) CLEAR LIMITS, DIFFERENCES, DILEMMAS originally by Ardis Nelson, presented by Coral Getino
	CEAP 1 CE hr; TN AOC 1 G; 0.1 IMIA CEUs

FRIDAY OCTOBER 17 - PRECONFERENCE TRAINING	
1:00p-1:45p	Onsite Registration for Pre-Conference
IN-PERSON 2:00p-5:30p	Skills Building Workshop (3 h) UPGRADE YOUR SIGHT TRANSLATION TO IMPROVE YOUR CONSECUTIVE AND SIMULTANEOUS by Giovanna Carriero-Contreras
	CEAP 3 CE hrs; TN AOC 3 FL; 0.3 IMIA CEUs

SATURDAY OCTOBER 18 (MORNING)		
7:00am	Exhibit/Sponsor Tables Open	
8a to 8:45a	Registration in Front of Grand Ballroom East & Continental Breakfast inside Grand Ballroom East	
8:45a-9:00a	Welcome Address by the TAPIT President	
9:00a-10a	Keynote Address: BACK TO BASICS, FORWARD WITH INTENTION: RECLAIMING THE CORE SKILLS THAT SHAPE OUR FUTURE (1 h) by Giovanna Carriero-Contreras	
	CEAP 1 CE hr; TN AOC 1 G; 0.1 IMIA CEUs	
10a-10:15a	Networking Morning Break	
	TRACK A	TRACK B
10:15a-11:15a	BEYOND WORDS: SUPPORTING FAMILIES THROUGH LANGUAGE AND COMPASSION by Blanca Martinez	THE LINGUISTIC DEFENSE (2 h) by Janis Palma
	CEAP 1 CE hr; TN AOC 1 FL; 0.1 IMIA CEUs	
11:15a-12:15p	INFORMED CONSENT by Bruni Dopatka	TN AOC 2 FL
	CEAP 1 CE hr; TN AOC 1 G; 0.1 IMIA CEUs	
12:15-1:00p	Lunch Break and Networking	
1:00p-1:30 p	TAPIT BUSINESS MEETING	
1:30p-1:45p	Sponsor Highlights	

SATURDAY OCTOBER 18 (AFTERNOON)		
1:45p-2:45p	ON BECOMING AN EXPERT INTERPRETER: SKILL BUILDING FOR THE FUTURE (1 h) by Janis Palma	
	CEAP 1 CE hr; TN AOC 1 FL; 0.1 IMIA CEUs	
2:45p-3:00p	Networking Afternoon Break	
	TRACK A	TRACK B
3:00p-4:00p	THE ETHICAL EDGE: RECLAIMING WHAT MAKES US IRREPLACEABLE (1 h) by Giovanna Carriero-Contreras	FIREARMS AND BALLISTICS FOR COURT INTERPRETERS (1 h) by Jason Daniel
	CEAP 1 CE hr; TN AOC 1 G; 0.1 IMIA CEUs	TN AOC 1 FL
4:00p-4:15p	Networking Afternoon Break	
4:15p-5:15p	LANGUAGE ACCESS PANEL CEAP 1 CE hr; TN AOC 1 G; 0.1 IMIA CEUs	
5:15p-6:00p	Networking / Activities	
6:00-8:00p	Conference Dinner	

SUNDAY OCTOBER 19 (MORNING)		
8a to 8:45a	Registration in Front of Grand Ballroom East & Continental Breakfast inside Grand Ballroom East	
8:45a-9:00a	Welcome back by the TAPIT Board	
9:00a-10a	THINKING FAST, THINKING SLOW: WHAT SHOULD INTERPRETERS DO? (1 h) by Giovanna Carriero-Contreras	
	CEAP 1CE hr; TN AOC 1 FL; 0.1 IMIA CEUs	
10a-10:15a	Networking Morning Break	
	TRACK A	TRACK B
10:15a-11:15a	INTRODUCTION TO CAT TOOLS by John Mark Maust CEAP 1CE hr; TN AOC 1 FL; 0.1 IMIA CEUs	TAKING ACCURACY TO THE NEXT LEVEL (2 h) by Janis Palma
11:15a-12:15p	SPEAKING FOR OTHERS WHILE SILENCING OURSELVES: ADDRESSING VICARIOUS TRAUMA by Julie Glosson CEAP 1CE hr; TN AOC 1 G; 0.1 IMIA CEUs	
12:15-12:45	Final Remarks and Networking	