9th International Research Conference on Adolescents and Adults with Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorders

Review, Respond, and Relate: Integrating Research, Policy, and Practice Around the World

SPONSOR & EXHIBITOR PROSPECTUS

April 11-14, 2024
Hyatt Regency, Seattle, WA
Despite thousands of published articles on FASD, limited research focuses specifically on adolescents and adults with FASD. As individuals diagnosed with FASD age, the “need to know” across a broad spectrum of areas continues to be critically important for identifying clinically relevant research questions and directions that will impact their day-to-day function and health outcomes.

Building on the work of eight previous conferences*, we aim to examine relevant global research, programs, and policies. What can we learn from practice-based evidence? What does existing or emerging research tell us? Are the results transferable from country to country and/or from laboratory and clinical studies to real life? Are there clinical implications of results from any of these areas of which we should be aware? What are the changes in our thinking, practice, and directions that will be required to improve outcomes? What are the implications for the future?

We hope you can join us at this interactive conference and be at the forefront of addressing these relevant global issues.

*This conference, previously held in Vancouver and hosted by University of British Columbia’s Interprofessional Continuing Education, has been moved to Seattle, the birthplace of the FASD diagnosis in North America. FASD United has taken on the task of putting on this unique global FASD conference in consultation with the International Adult Leadership Collaborative (ALC) of FASD Changemakers, a group of talented and dedicated individuals with FASD who are leaders in the community.

This multidisciplinary conference will be of interest to the audiences listed below, as well as anyone working towards an advanced understanding in the field of FASD.

- Addiction Specialists
- Administrators/Managers
- Child Welfare Professionals
- Clinicians
- Community Members
- Educators
- FASD Specialists
- Family Members/Caregivers
- Individuals with FASD
- Justice/Legal
- Physical and Mental Health
- Physicians/Nurse Practitioners
- Policy Makers
- Program/Support Services
- Researchers
- Scientists
- Students/Trainees

An immersive experience in comfortable surroundings. With some opportunities to network and an abundance of positivity to motivate during the conference, and beyond!

PREVIOUS ATTENDEE

FOR THE FULL CONFERENCE PROGRAM, PLEASE CLICK HERE.
WHY SPONSOR?

There are many wonderful conferences in the field of FASD. Yet, this conference is unique in that it’s the only forum in which the complete spectrum of science, health services, and policy regarding FASD is discussed alongside the unparalleled opportunity to interact with scientists, clinicians, educators, social workers, judges, families, caregivers, and individuals with FASD.

TARGETED AUDIENCE

Over 600 delegates interested in an advanced understanding in the field of FASD including individuals with FASD and their families/caregivers is expected to gather in Seattle, WA, ensuring that this city will truly be at the epicenter for addressing current and future developments in FASD research, policy, and practice. Being a sponsor allows you to have prime exhibit space and therefore, will help you engage directly with these targeted attendees.

SAFE & TRUSTED

Continuing the highly successful series originally organized by University of British Columbia’s Interprofessional Continuing Education in Vancouver, BC, Canada, the 9th International Conference will be the premier setting for discourse and learning in research, policy, and practice for FASD. Being a sponsor allows you to immerse yourself in this highly reputable conference.

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I loved hearing first-hand from individuals with FASD or their parents, mothers, grandmothers who were living with the real challenges of FASD.

I enjoyed hearing about emerging research, how far some countries still need to go regarding the diagnosis of FASD, and the joint team work between those with and without an FASD diagnosis. Highlights include what needs to change regarding prevention messages, and stigma.

I really loved the format of the pre-conference workshop again this year. I enjoyed the balance of engaging presentations and small group discussions that challenged my assumptions and beliefs. The workshop was extremely well run and managed. Having a designated table facilitator was also helpful. I find it most helpful when tables have adversity of participants (vs. people from same organization sitting together).
We invite your organization to sponsor the 9th International Research Conference on Adolescents and Adults with FASD: Review, Respond and Relate: Integrating Research, Policy and Practice Around the World through various levels of financial support opportunities. Sponsorship contributions through unrestricted educational grants for FASD United are available in the following levels listed here:
SPONSORSHIP LEVELS

DIAMOND
Diamond sponsorship will be recognized on conference materials and for one of the following:
- Conference bag
- Conference water bottle
- Program booklet

All diamond sponsorship includes:
- Prime exhibit area*
- 2 free registrations for the main conference ($1600 in value)
- First call to sponsor the next conference (2026)

$20,000

PLATINUM
Platinum sponsorship will be recognized on conference materials and for one of the following:
- Support for the travel and accommodation for the FASD leadership committee. International Adult Leadership Collaborative (ALC)**, FASD Changemakers
- Conference pen

All platinum sponsorship includes:
- High traffic exhibit area*
- 2 free registrations for the main conference ($1600 in value)

$10,000

GOLD
Gold sponsorship will be recognized for one of the following:
- Lunch (on either April 12 or April 14)
- Breaks

All gold sponsorship includes:
- Great exhibit area*
- 2 free registrations for the main conference ($1600 in value)

$7,500

SILVER
Silver sponsors will be acknowledged on conference materials and logo placements where applicable.

All gold sponsorship includes:
- Great exhibit area*

$5000

BRONZE
Bronze sponsors will be acknowledged on conference materials and logo placements where applicable.

$1,500

If you have sponsorship ideas that are not listed here, please feel free to suggest them to Jo Votolato, Conference Director, votolato@fasdunited.org.

*Exhibit days: April 12 - 14, 2024 (main conference). Exhibit hours of operation will be emailed to you once we confirm your participation.

**The International Adult Leadership Collaborative (ALC) FASD Changemakers is a group of individuals with FASD, who are self-advocates, mentors, and leaders in the FASD field from around the world. They plan, organize, and run the Teen and Adult stream that not only provides sessions on topics of importance to them, but also provides a safe place to meet others with FASD and experience what it is like to be heard, included, understood and accepted by peers who face similar challenges and issues on a day-to-day basis. They also speak at every plenary to provide their views on the topic at hand, and present their own research to the conference as a whole. It is not possible for them to attend the conference and carry out these activities) without financial support. To learn more about ALC, please visit here.
# Levels at-a-glance

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HOW TO SPONSOR

Limited sponsorship opportunity is available for the conference. If you wish to sponsor the conference, please submit the following information (listed in the box to the right) to Jo Votolato, Conference Director, FASD United, at votolato@fasdunited.org.

The committee will review all sponsor applications and inform you of our decision shortly after receiving your application.
Limited exhibit space is available for the main conference (April 12 - 14, 2024). Exhibit space includes:

- One table with two chairs
- Two representatives

If you wish to exhibit at the conference, please submit the following information (listed in the box to the right) to Jo Votolato, Conference Director, FASD United, at votolato@fasdunited.org. The committee will review all exhibit applications and inform you of our decision shortly after receiving your application. Exhibit rates are below:

- $250 non-profit
- $500 for-profit