

9TH INTERNATIONAL RESEARCH CONFERENCE ON
**FETAL ALCOHOL
SPECTRUM DISORDERS**



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OBJECTIVES:

- consider the implication and potential application of emerging evidence-based, and/or cutting edge research
- expand and challenge their knowledge and understanding of hard science
- explore different models of advanced practice from and across disciplines
- engage in knowledge exchange and focused dialogue through formal sessions, networking and onsite meetings
- develop connections and partnerships among global researchers, networks, governments, communities, service providers and families

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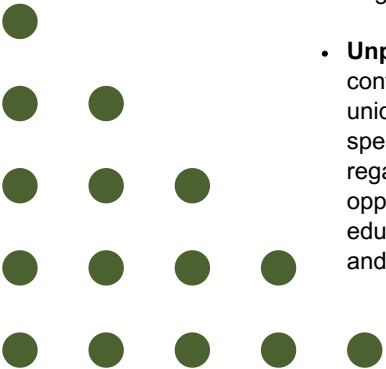
This advanced-level conference/meeting (previously held in Vancouver) continues to bring together global experts from multiple disciplines to share international research. From pure science, to prevention, diagnosis, and intervention across the lifespan, the conference will address the implications of this research and promote scientific/community collaboration. It provides an opportunity to enhance understanding of the relationships between knowledge and research and critical actions related to FASD. First held in 1987, the conference brings together people passionate about this work in a stimulating environment where they can learn and forge new partnerships.

WHY SPONSOR?

- **Connect with possibly over 800 delegates:** Learn more about those who attended the last conference in this series and the types of audience you can expect to encounter in 2025 (*next page for more information*). Although we have moved this conference to a new city, we expect continuing to attract delegates interested in an advanced understanding in the field of FASD including individuals with FASD and their families/caregivers, ensuring that Seattle 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.
- **Unparalleled Opportunity:** 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.

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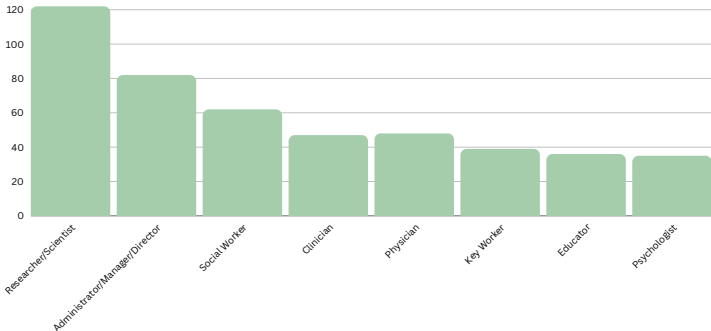
WHO WILL BE THERE?



Over 800

delegates from 29 US states and 19 countries, representing over 40 different professions* (at the last conference in this series)

*Top 8 Affiliations



Other professions included: Parent, Family Member, Community Support Worker, Advocate, Child and Youth Worker, Nurse, FASD Worker, Support, Specialist, Program Coordinator, Manager, Clinic Coordinator, Occupational Therapist, Speech-Language Pathologist, Government, Outreach Worker, Mental Health, Developmental Services, Facilitator, Individual with FASD, Counsellor, Therapist, Policy Maker, Women's Service Provider, Neuropsychologist, Lawyer, General Counsel, Judge, Justice, Prevention Worker, Wellness, Trainer, Alcohol & Drug Worker, Midwife

TESTIMONIALS FROM PREVIOUS ATTENDEES

- "I began attending the International Conference on FASD in 2015, and I would classify that experience as careerchanging. I met for the first time, a number of adults with FASD, clinicians, and importantly, caregivers. From these individuals, I learned about the daily challenges of living with FASD, or caring for someone with disabilities due to FASD. This experience dramatically changed my perceptions of my own research program. Until then, as a basic science researcher, I had always thought that alcohol was an interesting 'teratogen' and that understanding its effects was an academic challenge. However, at the meetings, I found it challenging to distill my basic science research into a message that a diverse audience would care about... I also came to realize that I needed to listen carefully to people with 'lived experience' to understand what they cared about. I needed to formulate and answer questions that would help the lives of those caring for, or living with FASD... I hope to be able to help children and adults with FASD lead better, more healthy lives, while continuing to learn from these capable teachers."

– **SENIOR RESEARCH SCIENTIST**

- "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)."

– **SOCIAL WORKER**

- "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."

– **RESEARCHER**

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

Silver Sponsorship includes:

- Great exhibit area

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Gold sponsorship will be recognized for the same benefits in "Silver" in addition to:

Gold sponsorship includes:

- Great exhibit area
- 1 free registration for the main conference (\$1600 in value)

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Platinum sponsorship includes:

- High traffic exhibit area*
- 2 free registrations for the main conference (\$1600 in value)

DIAMOND
\$20,000

Diamond sponsorship will be recognized on conference materials, and both the online and printed program.

Diamond sponsorship includes:

- Prime exhibit area*
- 2 free registrations for the main conference (\$1600 in value)
- First call to sponsor the next conference (2027)

If you would like to sponsor, please contact Jo Votolato, Conference Director, votolato@fasdunited.org with your desired level of sponsorship. If you have sponsorship ideas that are not listed here, please feel free to suggest them.

**Exhibit days: March 21 - 23 (main conference). Exhibit hours of operation will be emailed to you once we confirm your participation.*

EXHIBITOR ONLY

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Exhibit at the Conference

Don't miss the opportunity to showcase your organization's work and connect with a unique interprofessional audience at this premier event. Limited exhibit space is available for the main conference (March 21 - 23, 2025). Exhibiting includes:

- One table with two chairs
- Two representatives to be at your table*

To apply, please submit the required information (listed in the box below) to Jo Votolato, Conference Director, FASD United, at votolato@fasdunited.org. The committee will review and inform you of our decision shortly after receiving your application.

*Note: exhibiting does not allow you to attend the educational sessions. To attend the sessions, please register by clicking [here](#).

APPLICATION

- company name & category (e.g. non-profit)
- company website
- company bio
- names of the two representatives
- why you would like to exhibit at this specific conference

\$350 *non-profit*

\$600 *for-profit*

Be a part of this unique gathering of global leaders, researchers, and practitioners. Reserve your spot today—space is limited!