



PROGRAM & SCHEDULE

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 18, 2015
PLAINFIELD PUBLIC LIBRARY

9:00 – 9:30	REGISTRATION BREAKFAST
9:30 – 9:45	WELCOME Mary Chute, NJ State Librarian Joseph Da Rold, Executive Director, Retired, Plainfield Public Library Mary Ellen Rogan, Director, Plainfield Public Library
9:45 – 10:00	ORIENTATION INTRODUCTION
10:00 – 12:00	KEYNOTE ADDRESS ADULT LITERACY IN NEW JERSEY- PAST, CURRENT AND FUTURE <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dr. Erik Jacobson, Associate Professor Early Childhood, Elementary, and Literacy Education Montclair State University • Dr. Hal Beder, Professor Emeritus Educational Theory, Policy, and Administration Rutgers University Acting Chair- State Council for Adult Literacy Education Services • Barry Semple, Consultant Semple and Associates
12:00 – 12:30	BEST PRACTICES IN ADULT LITERACY PLAINFIELD PUBLIC LIBRARY Joe Da Rold, former Executive Director, Plainfield Public Library
12:30 – 1:30	LUNCH Please use this time to meet up with other participants you don't know.
1:30 – 3:15	HANDS-ON LEARNING 1) OVERVIEW, 2) SURVEY THE LANDSCAPE Scott Kuchinsky, Coordinator of Literacy Services, Plainfield Public Library
3:15 – 3:30	WRAP-UP