



# Preparing for the BEI Basic Evaluation

Presented by Lauri Metcalf  
Saturday, October 9, 2021  
11:00am-4:30pm EST  
0.5 PS CEUs (BEI)

Early Bird CEUs \$60  
(ends 9/19)  
Regular \$75  
No CEUs \$50



## ABOUT THE WORKSHOP

For many people, taking a certification test can be a scary and intimidating experience, but with the right tools these fears can be greatly reduced. Come learn from someone who has worked closely with the BEI exam for over 20 years.

This unique workshop will provide participants the opportunity to take a mock evaluation, become familiar with the BEI rating system, and then analyze their experience with Lauri's guidance. This workshop will also review the format of the test, the four parts, expectations and possible test topics.

## OBJECTIVES

- Participants will be able to identify the four sections of the BEI Basic test.
- Participants will engage in a mock BEI Basic Evaluation, allowing them to become familiar with the test format including; Introduction, Warm-up, 1-minute Prep, and length of each section.
- Participants will be able to discuss BEI Basic Evaluation expectations and three possible topics that could appear on the test.
- Participants will demonstrate an understanding of the BEI Rating system including scoring determinants and objective and subjective scoring.

## POLICIES

- Email Cindy at [cwoodpd@gmail.com](mailto:cwoodpd@gmail.com) 14 days in advance to request a credit for future event hosted by CWood PD.
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- CWood Professional Development promotes a learning environment free from discrimination and bias, and encourages mutual respect for all participants.



## ABOUT THE PRESENTER

Lauri Metcalf retired as the chair of the American Sign Language, Interpreting, World Languages, ESL and International Studies Department at San Antonio College in September of 2018. Lauri established the ASL and Interpreting program in 1994 and under her leadership; the program has received much recognition including Exemplary Program, Collegiate Commission on Interpreter Education Accreditation and Sorenson Communication Award for Excellence in Interpreter Education.



Before coming to San Antonio, In addition to San Antonio College she taught Interpreting and Deaf Education courses at the Post Secondary Level. She was a member of the Texas Board for Evaluation of Interpreters from 1995 to 2007 and served as Chairperson for 11 years.

Since 2009, Lauri has worked as a consultant with the National Center on Interpretation at the University of Arizona in the test development and the certification of interpreters. Lauri has served as the Coordinator and Lead Instructor for Rater Training as well as numerous BEI Summer Institutes. She continues to travel presenting workshops and training for Interpreters.

## DETAILS

- **Workshop approved for 0.5 PS CEUs.**
- IRID is an Approved RID CMP Sponsor for continuing education activities. This Professional Studies program is offered for 0.5 CEUs at the Some Content Knowledge Level.
- Target audience: Interpreting students and interpreters planning to take the Basic BEI Evaluation.

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