Southern Maryland Professional Development
Saturday, November, 5, 2016

8:30 am – 3:00 pm • BI Building • Park in Lot 6
College of Southern Maryland • 8730 Mitchell Road • LaPlata, MD 20646

Featuring Keynote Speaker
Dr. Geetha Ramani

Dr. Ramani is an Associate Professor in the Department of Human Development and Quantitative Methodology at the University of Maryland, College Park. Before coming to UMCP in 2008, Dr. Ramani received her Ph.D. in Developmental Psychology from the University of Pittsburgh and worked as a Postdoctoral Research Associate at Carnegie Mellon University. Her research is focused on how social interactions and activities can influence young children's cognitive development, specifically in mathematics and problem solving. Her program of research makes a significant contribution to the literature by providing insight into the benefits and unique processes of learning mathematics through joint play and activities with peers and adults. This research provides insight into constructing effective mathematical educational practices for young children.

- Highlighting the theory and evidence that demonstrates the critical role of early mathematics for children's long-term mathematics achievement and beyond.
- A discussion about mathematics lessons, games, and activities that can be incorporated into early childhood classrooms.

Professional Development Schedule

8:30 AM	Registration and Continental Breakfast
9:00 AM	Welcoming Remarks
9:15 AM	**The Importance of Mathematics in Early Childhood**
	Dr. Geetha Ramani
	Q &A
10:00 AM	Break
10:15 AM	Training Session 1
12:15 PM	Lunch
1:00 PM	Training Session 2
3:00 PM	Adjournment

Sessions

Session 1
Developmentally Appropriate Math for Early Childhood
Instructor: Sarah Sutherland, Program Director, The Promise Resource Center
- Learn about Maryland's Mathematics Early Learning Standards for preschoolers and toddlers.
- Discover strategies to implement early learning math standards into your program.

Session 2
Supporting Early Math for Young Children
Instructor: Laura Suguiyama, Early Childhood Educational Consultant and Professional Development Facilitator
- Learn about the importance of supporting early math and engaging in mathematical thinking activities for young children.
- Learn strategies and techniques for how to support early math through hands-on activities.

Participants must attend both sessions to receive 4 clock hours.

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Registration Form

Name/Title:

Organization:

Address:

City/State/Zip:

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Registration Fee (nonrefundable): **$20** (includes continental breakfast, lunch, and training session materials).

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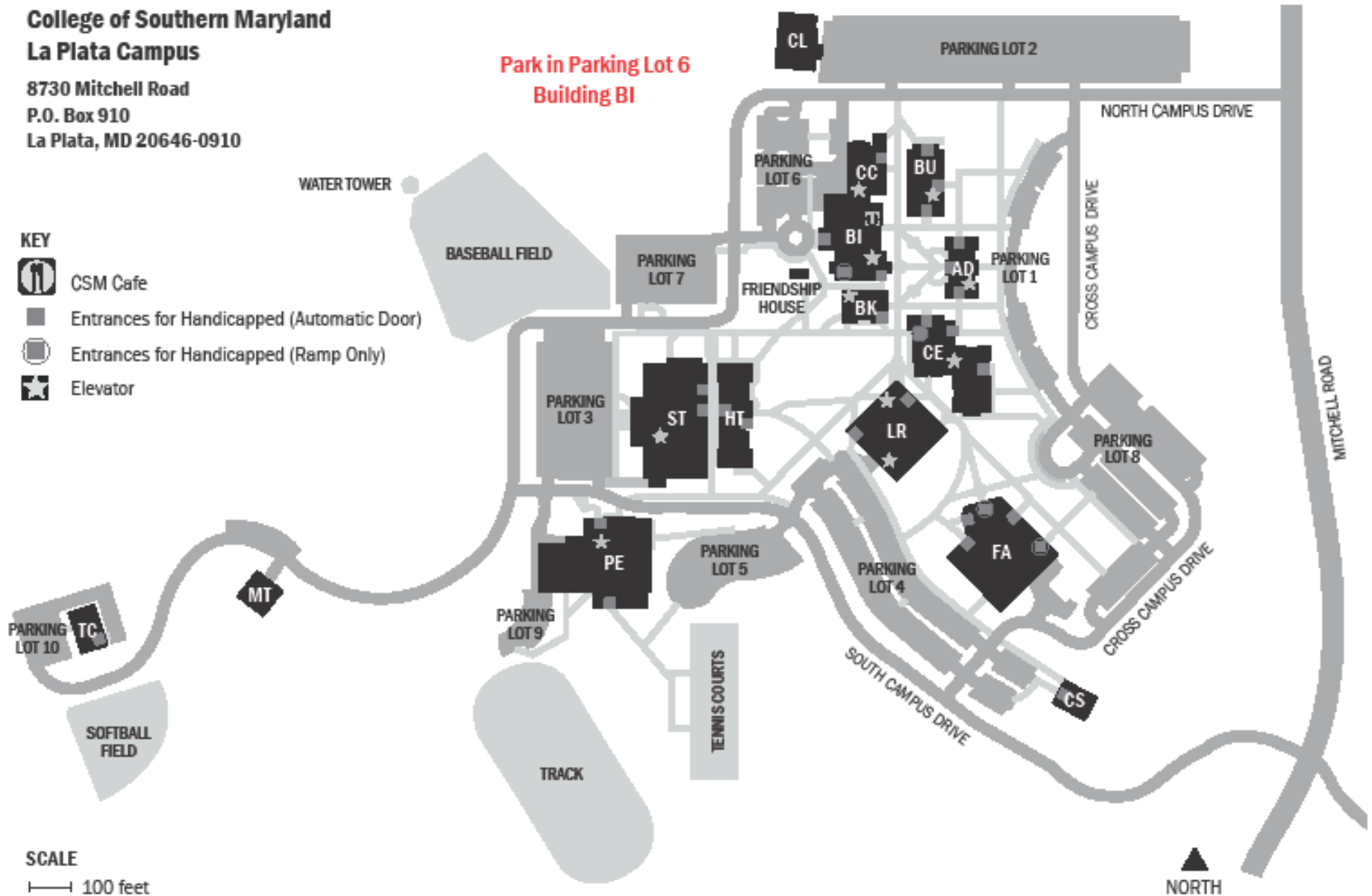SOUTH CAMPUS DRIVE

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