



**Omaha/LaVista Hotel/Conference Center
February 19-20, 2009**

**Embassy Suites Omaha-La Vista/Hotel &
Conference Center**

12520 Westport Parkway
La Vista, Nebraska 68128

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**Conference Registration (includes lunch and
\$25 membership fee)**

Regular Registration Postmarked by Dec. 15, 2008

Both days \$170

Thursday only \$85

Friday only \$85

Late Registration Postmarked after Dec. 16, 2008

Both days \$200

Thursday only \$100

Friday only \$100

**On Site Registration: You may register in person. There
will be a \$20 surcharge.**

**Cancellation Policy: Cancellations must be received in
writing by January 19, 2009 and are subject to a \$20
processing fee. Refunds will be issued after March 1,
2009. No refund will be given for cancellations after
January 19, 2009.**

Go to the Nebraska Association for the
Gifted website for the registration form.

<http://www.negifted.org>

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iGifted: The Next Generation

iGlimpse: Programming

- *Differentiation and Technology in a “One-to-One” Setting”
- *Interactive GPS and GIS: Learning Activities and Challenges
- *Lego NXT Robotics: Tools, Activities and Challenges for Learning.
- *Podcasting, phones and webcams: using your students’ technology
- *Products: How to WOW 'Em
- *UNL Advanced Scholars
- *UNL Independent Study High School
- *Gifted Beyond High School: What Next?
- *What Makes a Good Academic Acceleration Policy
- *Growing with the GEP: Through the Eyes of a Gifted Child
- *What do you do with Juanita when she finishes everything?
- *Creativity – Teamwork – Problem Solving: Destination Imagination
- *The Other Half of Giftedness: Affective
- *Data Analysis, Statistics, and Probability, Oh My!
- *Regular Classroom Meets Exceptional Young Child
- *Middle School Differentiation: A Seminar Approach
- *G/T 101
- *Murder Most Foul
- *Birds Across the Curriculum
- *The State of Gifted Education in Nebraska
- *Destination Discovery: An Extracurricular Program for Gifted Students
- *Rock your Math, Science or Social Studies Class with NROC!!!

- *It’s the Question, Not the Answer
- *What Can I Do Tomorrow?
- *A Roundtable Discussion-State Issues
- *Literature Circles in the 21st Century
- *Storytelling Pizzaz
- *Using Arts Integration to Engage Gifted Students
- *Using the Engineering Design Process to Solve Technological Problems
- *Advocate for Gifted Students: Principals Are Key
 - *Using the Free Open Source Tux Paint Application
- *Digital Photography with Hand Crafted Books and Prints
- *Socratic Seminars
- *Using Differential Diagnosis to Understand Student Behaviors
- *Writing in Differentiated Science Classes
- *Strategies for Differentiating Science Instruction
- *Supplementing the Visual Arts Program with Community Resources
- *Using Creative Problem Solving Techniques to Solve Literature-Bases Dilemmas
- *Grading, Learning, and Testing: Assessment as a Teaching Tool with Gifted Students
- *Cultivating Healthy Gifted Programs and Services
- *Increasing the Rigor in Primary Math Classes
- *Seeing is Believing: Developing and Affirming Visual Spatial Talents Through Math Activities
- *New Ways to Use Power Point to Share Research
- *The Value of Early Screening: The Impact of Testing on Identification and Program Services



Julia Roberts

Thursday Keynote -
“Meeting the Needs of Gifted Students While Dealing with NCLB”
Parent night - Advocating for the Gifted Child

Dr. Roberts was named one of the 50 most influential people in the history of gifted education in Profiles of Influence in Gifted Education (Prufrock, 2004). She was the first recipient of the David W. Belin Advocacy Award from the National Association for Gifted Children (NAGC) in 2001. In 1998, she was one of two Western Kentucky University Distinguished Professors.

Bertie Kingore



Thursday half day session -
“Differentiation in Mixed-Ability Classrooms --K-8”

Friday half day session -
“Integrating High-Order Thinking

Dr. Bertie Kingore is an International Consultant who has worked with students, teachers, and their parents for over 30 years. She provides energetic sessions that promote the best differentiation approaches and practices for gifted students. Teachers gain realistic and practical instructional strategies.