

# Adventure in Laughter

## Improvisation Workshop



**Find Your Balance**

For Deaf, Actors,  
CDI, Interpreters,  
and Instructors

### REGISTRATION:

**Early Bird Before March 15, 2019**

One person: \$60, Two Persons: \$110

**After March 16th will be:**

One Person: \$65, Two Persons: \$120

Payment can be made through PayPal

<https://bit.ly/2Sgq6Oe> - one person

<https://bit.ly/2SOzjCQ> - two persons

### WHEN and WHERE:



Saturday, April 6, 2019

9am - 4pm

Marcella M. Meyer  
Auditorium

Greater Los Angeles  
Agency on Deafness

2222 Laverna Avenue  
Los Angeles, CA 90041



Vikee Waltrip



Improvisation Master  
& Deaf Actor

Coffee, Tea  
& Lunch Provided

Limited Participants

Bonnie Faye  
Gibson-Brydon



Promoter  
& Master Mentor

### FOR MORE INFORMATION:

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0.6 CEU'S



*Integrity in Interpreting*  
Since 1997

Dreaming and seeing our profession grow, there is a requirement for a different approach to improving linguistic skills. Today we will break out into teams and in silence (no voice/ NO ASL) will develop awareness in the innuendos and culture within ASL. This workshop provides the Deaf Community, ASL Interpreters and CDIs the opportunity to collaborate outside the “hot-seat.” In breakout groups, we will create through IMPROV, new ideas in getting the message across.

## Vikee Waltrip

**Vikee Waltrip** is an Actor, Artist, and Adventurer, with over 30 years worth developing creativity and humor. Her journey began when she first attended The National Theatre of the Deaf and Cleveland SignStage in Ohio. Between these two, she has travelled the USA and several countries around the world. She has also been doing Stand-up comedy for 19 years before her retirement. She also worked at over 15 different Deaf schools as Artist-In-Resident. Recently, she came out of retirement and has decided to do her comedy shows again on a limited basis as well as revisiting her life-long desire to teach Improvisation and acting. She recently discovered a new talent as a Dramaturg, creating a new field within the Deaf theatre community. Currently, she lives at home with her three mischievous cats.



## Bonnie Faye Gibson-Brydon

**Bonnie Faye** has been interpreting for 45 years, presenting for 35 years. Her agency, Pula Legal Interpreting [1997], specializes in court and tri-lingual assignments in Mental Health environments (which opens new perspectives on presenting ethics). Bonnie is a Licensed Practitioner / Chaplin - (2007). Starting in educational interpreting (ECC - 1975), as a freelance interpreter (1982), in the courts (1999) and VRS (2004), presently the Trial team interpreter with Deaf Prosecutor (2010). *Bonnie brings* laughter and activities to her workshops. Get ready to open up, laugh and appreciate new ways of learning interpreting skills!

### IMPROV starring Vikee Waltrip

In the case that this event is cancelled, refunds or transfers to future GROW PROFESSIONALLY events are possible. Pre-registrants will be notified immediately upon cancellation. With two-week notification, refunds for individual registration cancellations may be requested “in writing” – no text or phone calls (email-timestamp of said cancellation 2 weeks prior to the event (unless you can find someone to fill your seat – attendance transference is permitted). Registrations are non-refundable for late cancellations after March 27<sup>th</sup>, these funds cover food, venue rental and CEU fees. Email [Bonnie@legalinterpreting.org](mailto:Bonnie@legalinterpreting.org) to request refunds stating the event name, event date and request for refund due to cancellation.

\*\*\*Accommodators needed: THIS EVENT WILL BE IN SIGN ONLY – NO VOICE TRANSLATION BY ANYONE ALLOWED\*\*\*

\* EVENT WILL BE HELD AT GREATER LOS ANGELES AGENCY ON DEAFNESS \*

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More Information needed: email Vikee, [vwaltrip@gmail.com](mailto:vwaltrip@gmail.com)

Angela Funke is an approved RID CMP sponsor.

This each activity has been awarded (0.6) CEUs in the area of Professional Studies by The Registry Interpreters for the Deaf at the “Extensive” Content Knowledge Level for CMP and ACET participants.

Partial CEUs will not be awarded.