We're familiar with the term 'Deaf community', but what is the 'ASL community'? More importantly, where in it do you fit?

Participating in this workshop, you'll explore the unstoppable power behind signed languages, the unique global community they have created, and your own personal place in the ASL community - your past, your present, your future.

Explore all of these things alongside your fellow community members, culminating in the most essential question of all: Why does any of this 'ASL community' stuff matter? Don’t miss your chance to be a part of the answer!

All are welcome; bring your Deaf friends, adults and youths, Hard-of-Hearing, Codas, educators, students, parents of deaf children, interpreters; anyone who uses ASL!

Entirely in ASL; no English interpretation provided.

This Professional Studies program is offered for 0.3 CEUs at the Intermediate content knowledge level.

No partial CEUs; full attendance for full CEUs only.

If you’re an ASL professional - whether Deaf, hard-of-hearing, or hearing - this workshop is for you!

How would you define "personification"? Admittedly, most of us would struggle to define it; ironically, though, each of us sees personification on a daily basis!

From infancy, personification has made routine appearances in every aspect of our lives: Children’s stories, conversations, television shows, news media, medical appointments, educational environments, mental health settings and religious functions. But is personification present in our ASL work?

With live presenter demonstrations, plenty of time for questions, and uniquely tailored takeaway materials (‘the handouts you won’t toss’), you’ll be on your way to identifying personification, understanding its effects and even knowing when not to use it in your ASL work.

Entirely in ASL; no English interpretation provided.

This Professional Studies program is offered for 0.6 CEUs at the Intermediate content knowledge level.

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