



4th Conference on Emerging Adulthood

October 29th & 30th, 2009

ATLANTA, GEORGIA

The Westin Buckhead Atlanta

We are excited to announce the *4th Conference on Emerging Adulthood* to be held October 29th and 30th, 2009 in Atlanta, GA. See www.ssea.org for detailed information on conference highlights, submitting proposals for presentations, and conference registration. **The deadline for submitting proposals is May 1, 2009.**

The primary focus of the conference remains consistent with the mission of the first three conferences: to provide a forum for presentation and discussion of theory, research, and policy relevant to the age period 18 to 29, *emerging adulthood*. We invite theoretical and empirical presentations, and encourage interdisciplinary and international themes.

Dr. Kathleen Harris of the University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill will deliver the keynote address. Dr. Harris is one of the directors of the National Longitudinal Study of Adolescent Health (known as “Add Health”), and her presentation is entitled, “*Add Health Grows Up: Health and Developmental Trajectories in Emerging Adulthood.*”

Thanks to the generous support of the Jacobs Foundation, travel stipends totaling \$15,000 will be awarded to international participants. See www.ssea.org for information on how to apply.

Please add send your name and email address to info@ssea.org if you would like to receive conference announcements.

Proceedings from the first conference on emerging adulthood are now available in the volume *Emerging Adults in America: Coming of Age in the 21st Century* (APA Books, 2006).

If you have any questions or comments, contact the Emerging Adulthood Special Interest Group at info@ssea.org. We look forward to seeing you in Atlanta!

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