

**Washington State Coalition for Language Access
2014 Language Access Summit**

Summit IX

**“GOT LANGUAGE ACCESS?”
CULTURE, COLLABORATION, AND SOLUTIONS**

October 24-25, 2014

Hilton Seattle Airport and Conference Center

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We invite you join us for two days of sharing information, ideas and networking regarding language services in Washington State. At this year’s Summit we will commemorate a milestone: 50 years since the passage of the Civil Rights Act of 1964. We will reflect on the progress we’ve made and discuss solutions to the barriers that still exist.

WASCLA is an all-volunteer, education and advocacy organization whose mission is to eliminate language barriers that prevent Washington residents from accessing essential services. We work to ensure effective language assistances services, through collaborative efforts among policy makers, advocates, interpreters, translators, service providers and community members.

We strive to make our statewide Summits affordable to all who make language access possible and we cannot do so without the support of organizations, businesses and individuals who value our mission. Our work is needed now more than ever, as Washington’s population with limited English proficiency has increased 210% in the past decade. By conservative estimates, LEP residents now represent at least 8% of the state’s population with over 200 different languages spoken here, resulting in greater cultural as well as linguistic diversity. We are asking for your help in keeping the Summit affordable through your sponsorship support.

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At the Alpine Larch sponsorship level, participants at the Summit are encouraged to bring resource materials to share in the Resource area. Space is limited. We thank you for your contribution!

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