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Speaker Topics (Area of Expertise):

Assistive Technology and/or Wheelchair

Low Vision

School-Based

Alternative Access, Universal Design for Learning

Speaker Bio:

Dr. Garza is an occupational therapist who has developed a specialty area in Assistive Technology. She holds her BS in Psychology from Virginia Commonwealth University and her MOT and PhD in Occupational Therapy from Texas Woman's University. She is certified as an Assistive Technology Professional and Seating and Mobility Specialist through the Rehabilitation Engineer Society of North America and is an active member of TOTA, serving through the past 40 years as a state board member and local board member and facilitating the organizations webinars and conferences for many years. At the national level Dr. Garza is a long time accreditator for the Accreditation Council for Occupational Therapy Education. She has also served as a member of the council and on the Commission on Practice. Dr. Garza loves to talk about school based practice and the way assistive technology can increase the participation and success of students with disabilities.

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