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**AUTISM PARENTING SUMMIT SCHEDULE
SEPTEMBER 2022**

Day 1 Schedule - September 16, 2022				
Timing (EDT)	Timing Format	Speaker		Topic
		Name	Title	
9:00 AM - 9:30 AM	Opening Session			
9:30 AM - 10:30 AM	Presentation	Molly Johnson	Autism Consultant	Behavior De-escalation Strategies
10:30 AM - 11:30 AM	Interview	Maisie Soetantyo, MEd	Autistic Advocate & Inclusivity Trainer	Nurturing Special Interests as Career Foundations
11:30 AM - 12:30 PM	Presentation	Alyssa Salter and Sunny Cash	Autistic Advocate, Bened Life & Community Director, Bened Life	Sponsored: What's the Big I.D.E.A? Imagining a More Inclusive & Accessible Future for Neurodiversity
12:30 PM - 1:30 PM	Lunch Break			
1:30 PM - 2:30 PM	Interview	Dr. Tinita O. Kearney, PhD, CCC-SLP/L	Pediatric Speech-Language Pathologist	Simple Ways to Boost Your Child's Communication Skills at Home
2:30 PM - 3:30 PM	Presentation	Greer McGuinness, MS, RD, CDN, CLT	Biomedical Clinician	Diet and Autism: How Nutritional Deficiencies Impact Brain Function
3:30 PM - 4:00 PM	Break			
4:00 PM - 5:00 PM	Presentation	Tosha Rollins, MA, LPC	Licensed Professional Counselor	Social Steps to Reduce Parental Stress
5:00 PM - 6:00 PM	Presentation	Andrew Komarow, CFP® ChSNC® MSFS, AEP® CAP®	Certified Financial Planner™	Autism & Special Needs Financial Planning 101



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Day 2 Schedule - September 17, 2022				
Timing (EDT)	Timing Format	Speaker		Topic
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9:30 AM - 10:30 AM	Presentation	Cindy Coady, MA, RDT	Drama Therapist	The Importance of Play in Development
10:30 AM - 11:30 AM	Presentation	Michael Clark	Specialist Teacher	Help Your Child Make 3 New Friends in 3 Months
11:30 AM - 12:30 PM	Presentation	Cynthia Long and Chastity Armstrong	Representing ASL Teaching Resources	Tips for Using Sign Language with Autistic Children
12:30 PM - 1:30 PM	Lunch Break			
1:30 PM - 2:30 PM	Presentation	Jeremy Hamburgh, JD	Autism Dating & Friendship Coach	Autism and Dating: 5 Steps That Empower Your Young Adult to Find Love
2:30 PM - 3:30 PM	Interview	Prof Simon Baron-Cohen, PhD	Professor at University of Cambridge	The Pattern Seekers: How Autism Drives Human Invention
3:30 PM - 4:00 PM	Break			
4:00 PM - 5:00 PM	Presentation	Dr. Theoharis Theoharides, PhD, MD	Scientific Director at Algonot, LLC	Sponsored: How Environmental, Food & Stress Sensitivities Affect Children with Autism
5:00 PM - 6:00 PM	Presentation	Andrew Arboe, AS	Founder of Driving with Autism	Preparing the Road to Driving



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Day 3 Schedule - September 18, 2022				
Timing (EDT)	Timing Format	Speaker		Topic
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9:30 AM - 10:30 AM	Presentation	Dr. Belisa Saavedra-Kinnard, DPT	Physical Therapist	How Physical Therapy Helps Children with Autism
10:30 AM - 11:30 AM	Presentation	Mishka Sibert, BA	Founder of Happy Autism	Seeing Ability in Disability
11:30 AM - 12:30 PM	Interview	Hester Grainger and Kelly Grainger	Neurodivergent Advocates	Help Your Child Navigate the Workplace as a Young Autistic Adult
12:30 PM - 1:30 PM	Lunch Break			
1:30 PM - 2:30 PM	Presentation	Nicole Clark, MSN, BA, PMH-RN	Autism Mom & ABA Centers' Regional Director of Operations	Sponsored: Discover the Best Resources for Your Child After an Autism Diagnosis
2:30 PM - 3:30 PM	Presentation	Lois Letchford, MA	Educator	Literacy, Language Learning, & Autism
3:30 PM - 4:00 PM	Break			
4:00 PM - 5:00 PM	Presentation	Dr. Stephen Shore, EdD	Professor & Autistic Advocate	Choosing Higher Education... and Staying There
5:00 PM - 6:00 PM	Interview	Stephanie Bethany	Autistic YouTuber	What I Wish My Parents Had Known When I Was Growing Up



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Day 4 Schedule - September 19, 2022				
Timing (EDT)	Timing Format	Speaker		Topic
		Name	Title	
9:30 AM - 10:30 AM	Presentation	Cole Goldberg, OT	Occupational Therapist	Sensory Systems, Strategies and Spectrums
10:30 AM - 11:30 AM	Presentation	Dr. Jared Skowron, ND	Founder of Spectrum Awakening	Sponsored: Are You Ready for More Speech? Get Your Child Talking More!
11:30 AM - 12:30 PM	Presentation	Arlene Lechner, MEd & Melissa Hochberg, MEd	Co-Founders of EASE	Sex Education & Consent on the Spectrum
12:30 PM - 1:30 PM	Lunch Break			
1:30 PM - 2:30 PM	Presentation	Dr. Susan Crawford, PhD	Autism Consultant	Creating Movement Programs for Autistic Participants
2:30 PM - 3:30 PM	Interview	Onyx Turner	Special Needs Education Consultant	How to be Your Child's Most Powerful Special Education Advocate
3:30 PM - 4:00 PM	Break			
4:00 PM - 5:00 PM	Presentation	Dr. Sarai Pahla, MD, MBChB	Autistic Advocate	Life and Social Hacks for Growing Up Autistic
5:00 PM - 6:00 PM	Interview	Deborah French, MSc, CBT	CBT Therapist	Cognitive Behavioral Therapy (CBT) for Autism

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