

**Northern Virginia Community College**

**And**

**VDOE Educational Interpreter Training Grant provided by Marla Pollack**

**Presents**

**“Power, Privilege & Oppression Within & Around Deaf Culture”**

**Trix Bruce**

**When:** Saturday November 23 2019

**Where:** Northern Virginia Community College

8333 Little River Turnpike

Annandale, VA 22003

**Location:** Building CN, room #227

**Time:** 9:00 AM-4:00 PM

**CEUs: 0**.6CEUs

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**Registration:**  **Follow this LINK to the VRID page to register by 11/23/19:** [**https://vrid.wildapricot.org/event-3607136**](https://vrid.wildapricot.org/event-3607136)

If you are a grant participant or NOVA student you will be asked to obtain a code from me to register at no cost: mspollack@fcps.edu

Registration due: November 18, 2019

**"VRID is an Approved RID CMP Sponsor for Continuing Education Activities.**

**This Professional Studies program is offered for 0.6 CEUs at the Little/None Content Knowledge Level."**

**"If you require a reasonable accommodation for this event, please contact Marla Pollack or Paula Debes Reece by November 18, 2019**

**“Power, Privilege & Oppression Within & Around Deaf Culture”**

Description: Take this opportunity to learn about Deaf culture in depth. Topics of power, privilege, and oppression are of interest to sign language interpreters. Let's explore these ideas in relation to Deaf Culture and interpreting communities. We'll discuss what we've learned from our real-world experiences. Each participant can share pros and cons about working in the interpreting field. (0.6 RID CEUs available, ***This workshop fulfills RID's PPO CEU requirement***

Participants will analyze topics related to Deaf culture.

 Participants will observe examples and true stories from the magazine, “Deaf Life”

Participants will discuss their life experiences in the interpreting field.

**Presenter: Trix Bruce**

Trix Bruce offers extraordinary ASL entertainment and education options. Her nationally-acclaimed presentation skills will inspire members of your organization and community. Trix will amaze and delight hearing, Deaf, and broad audiences with her popular and exciting shows, presentations and workshops.

BIO: Trix Bruce, from Seattle, Washington, is known nationwide as an American Sign Language (ASL) performer, presenter, and educator. Trix ‘s work has enhanced countless events. Wildly popular as an ASL storyteller, storytelling instructor, and sign language interpreting instructor, Trix also thrills audiences with her exciting shows, inspires people with keynote addresses, and educates through unique workshops. Trix has been profoundly deaf since the age of six months. She has been performing since 1980, and providing sign language and interpreter education over many years. Whether teaching or starring in her many exciting productions, Trix ‘s passion for the dramatic arts shines through.

**Day of the Workshop:**

* Coffee and Refreshments will be provided in morning;
* Certificates of attendance will be given at the conclusion
* Parking is open in LOT B & Parking garage