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SAGE AND HAMMILL INSTITUTE ON DISABILITIES ENTER STRATEGIC RELATIONSHIP TO PUBLISH 14 JOURNALS IN SPECIAL EDUCATION

Los Angeles, London, New Delhi, and Singapore (July 16, 2007) – SAGE is pleased to announce beginning January 1, 2008 it will act as the Hammill Institute on Disabilities' representative regarding subscriptions, licensing, production, advertising, and online dissemination for their 14 journals in special education.

The Hammill Institute on Disabilities recently acquired the journals from previous publisher, PRO-ED, Inc. The Hammill Institute on Disabilities, a nonprofit corporation, will continue to own, publish, and manage the journals, including selection of editors and determining the overall editorial direction. This new strategic relationship between SAGE and the Hammill Institute on Disabilities significantly increases SAGE's presence in the field of special education and furthers the Hammill Institute on Disabilities' educational and scientific charitable purposes.

Many of the 14 journals are affiliated with or sponsored by professional associations. The journals and their respective sponsoring associations are:

1. ***Assessment for Effective Intervention***
Council for Educational Diagnostic Services
2. ***Career Development for Exceptional Individuals***
Division on Career Development and Transition
3. ***Communication Disorders Quarterly***
Division for Communicative Disabilities and Deafness
4. ***Focus on Autism and Other Developmental Disabilities***
Division on Developmental Disabilities of the Council for Exceptional Children
5. ***Intervention in School and Clinic***
Council for Learning Disabilities
6. ***Journal of Disability Policy Studies***
Wisconsin Council of Administrators of Special Services
7. ***Journal of Emotional and Behavioral Disorders***
8. ***Journal of Learning Disabilities***
9. ***Journal of Positive Behavior Interventions***
Association for Positive Behavior Support
10. ***Journal of Special Education***
Division for Research of the Council for Exceptional Children
11. ***Rehabilitation Counseling Bulletin***
American Rehabilitation Counseling Association
12. ***Remedial and Special Education***
13. ***Topics in Early Childhood Special Education***
14. ***Word of Mouth***

Subscriptions and Online Access

All of the journals have been added to SAGE's recently released 2008 journal price list. As of today, institutions can order directly from SAGE or via a subscription agent.

Currently available electronically on Ingenta, beginning in early 2008 all of the titles will be hosted on SAGE Journals Online (SJO), SAGE's online journal delivery platform. SAGE will also ensure backfile for each title is digitized and hosted in a timely manner. With this improved online availability, users will now be able to access the robust research published in the journals more easily using SJO's advanced features to search, browse, alert and link scholarly articles.

"Our missions and the educational research we publish make our strategic relationship with the Hammill Institute ideal," commented Alison Mudditt, SAGE Executive Vice President. "We look forward to working with the Institute to offer them superior services and support, as well as to increasing the journals' online accessibility and usage."

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