



**Peter Leidy** has been learning from people with disabilities since 1983. Peter is a consultant, facilitator, listener, learner, improviser, and speaker who focuses on personalized supports and community membership for people with disabilities. He also writes and sings songs about human “serviceland” and those who find themselves connected to it.

Peter conducts workshops, develops training materials, writes songs, speaks and sings at conferences, and works with organizations, government agencies, families, and paid supporters to promote positive support, inclusion, building healthy relationships, and thinking differently about people who are called “challenging.” (Peter himself is known to be non-compliant at times and can often be found exhibiting attention-seeking behavior.)

For almost 20 years he worked for Options in Community Living, a supported living agency in Madison, Wisconsin. His roles included direct support, service coordination, recruiting and supporting direct service staff, community building, and administrative responsibilities.

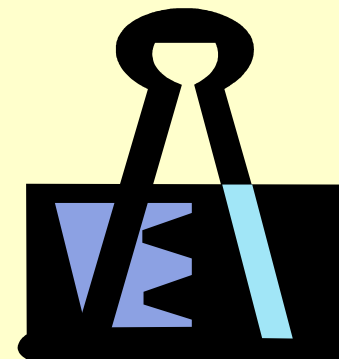
For reviews and information, visit:  
<https://peterleidy.com>

### About the Training Coalition

The Central New York Training Coalition is a group of representatives from central New York agencies that work with individuals with developmental disabilities. The coalition strives to offer high quality, low cost training to individuals interested in learning and enhancing their skills. For more information, please contact **Noella Simone 315-478-6210 ext. 124**

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## Central New York Training Coalition

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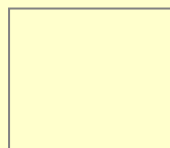
“Supporting Each Other to  
Discover our Best Work”

By

Peter Leidy

April 20<sup>th</sup>, 2017  
9:00am-3:30pm  
8:30am Registration

Justin’s Tuscan Grill  
6400 Yorktown Circle  
E. Syracuse, NY 13057



# Agenda

8:30am-9:00am Registration

Program begins at 9am and runs until 3:30pm with lunch and breaks scheduled within

Catered by Pascal's

## Directions to Justin's Tuscan Grill

**6400 Yorktown Circle**

**East Syracuse, NY 13057**

### From the Thruway

- Exit Thruway Exit 35 (Carrier Circle)
- Follow Circle & Signs for 298 East
- Take your first left onto Old Collamer Road
- After the stop sign, Justin's is on the left hand side after the East Syracuse Inn

### From 81 North & 81 South

- Follow 690 East; Take the Thompson Road North exit
- Follow Thompson Road North
- Just before Carrier Circle, follow 298 East
- Just as your are merging onto 298 East, take your first left onto Old Collamer Road
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### From 481 South, 481 North & 690 East

- Follow 690 West;
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# Supporting each Other to Discover our Best Work

Peter Leidy describes his presentation as follows:

"In my 30+years of getting to know, work with, and learn from people with disabilities, I have seen again and again how important it is to have well-supported supporters. (Say that 3 times fast!) The right match, matters. *People in direct support roles and those who supervise them need to be heard and respected in their work environment-or else the quality of support declines.*

Good teams lead to good support. This is a conversation about staying person-centered while recognizing the gifts that paid supporters bring to their work, and how everyone benefits when we listen, collaborate, and celebrate with each other. Oh yeah, there is also humor and music!"

*~We at CNYTC believe this training can be both educational and motivational. Come and enjoy a day of fun with people who work hard every day to support others. Leave with a fresh outlook! Direct Support Professionals, Frontline Supervisors and their supervisors should not miss this one! ~*

### CNYTC Members:

- Richard Prue, Chairperson
- Linda Fennell, Community Options
- Anne Winschel, Exceptional Family Resources
- Crystal Baker, Access CNY
- Noella Simone, Spaulding Support Services
- Chris Drozd, ARC of Onondaga

# Registration

## Change in Registration Process!

To ensure a seat in this presentation, please contact:

Noella Simone @ 315-478-6210 ext. 124 or [nsimone@spauldingsupport.org](mailto:nsimone@spauldingsupport.org) by April 14<sup>th</sup>, 2017

Once you have made contact and reserved your spot in this presentation, you can mail your check made payable to:

CENTRAL NEW YORK TRAINING COALITION

Mailed to:

Spaulding Support Services  
Attention: Noella Simone  
6520 Basile Rowe  
East Syracuse, NY 13057

*Registration is limited and will be handled on a first come, first served basis.*

**Registration Fee: \$75 per person** which includes morning coffee bar and lunch buffet.

April 20<sup>th</sup>, 2017

9:00am to 3:30pm

8:30 Breakfast & Registration

Names of people registering:

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Contact person including phone #

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