

## **Austin Connects**

2<sup>nd</sup> Annual
Community Technology Symposium
March 1, 2011
AMD Lonestar Campus
7171 Southwest Parkway
8:00 am – 4:30 pm



- Austin Connects is a partnership between the City of Austin, Austin Free-Net and Skillpoint Alliance
- Purpose: to provide information and opportunities for local professionals in support of their programs that provide digital literacy and inclusion
- Activities: Annual symposium, workshops, CTMap, online resources





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- The 2010 symposium, graciously hosted by Microsoft, was a big hit with 100+ attendees from community tech nonprofit organizations, government, social services and education.
- This year expanded and feedback driven: more opportunities for networking and interactivity



Key Note Speaker **Kami Griffiths** will discuss a nationwide community technology resource sharing project, its goals, achievements and stumbling blocks and how your organization may benefit from the outcomes.





- •The opening plenary will be delivered by Laura Morrison, Austin City Council.
- •Alexander Cavalli PhD will close the symposium and provide his insights into the future of technology and digital inclusion.





- •Break-out topics include digital storytelling, engaging youth, public policy, community outreach and more.
- •GREAT doorprizes will be given throughout the day including a SXSWi badge (walk-up value \$750).





- •Pecha Kucha presentations will be given throughout the day.
- •Look for networking activities including an open mic speaking contest, round table discussions and open networking space.
- •We will end the day with a happy hour and Tweetup at Red's Porch with live QRANK.





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### Tickets are only \$35

include breakfast, box lunch and afternoon snack, door prize entry and happy hour

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