



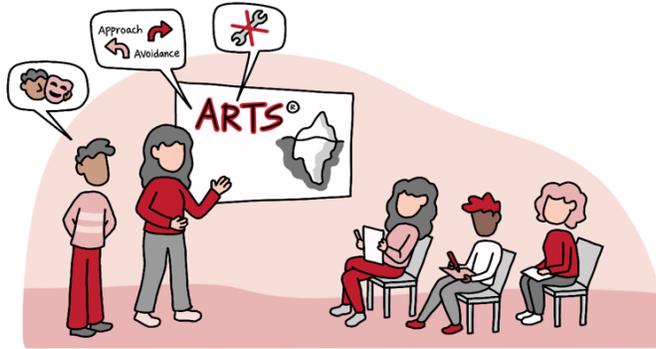
Avoidance Reduction Therapy for Stuttering (ARTS®)



Virtual 3-Day Workshop
April 24-26, 2026

Friday & Saturday 11:00 AM - 5:30 PM and Sunday 11:00 AM - 5:00 PM
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A collaborative continuing education offering:
University of Maryland & Sisskin Stuttering Center, PLLC



Designs by Willemijn

Content: An in-depth training workshop in Avoidance Reduction Therapy for Stuttering (ARTS®) for speech-language therapists with established knowledge and skills in stuttering and stuttering therapy.

Format: This workshop will focus solely on one treatment approach. Participants will engage in both small group and large group interaction. Mentors from the ARTS® community contribute to training and offer perspectives from the stutterer's experience of therapy

Instructor:

Vivian Sisskin, M.S., CCC-SLP, BCS-SCF: Clinical Professor Emerita, UMD; Director, SSC

Facilitators:

Samantha Wasilus, MA, CCC-SLP, BCS-SCF: SSC, PGCPs

Jessica Wertz, MA, CCC-SLP: UMD; SSC

Ben Goldstein, MA, CCC-SLP: PGCPs; SSC

Nic Brow, MA., CCC-SLP: SSC, FRIENDS

Matt Phillips, MA, CCC-SLP: SSC; MSU

Chaya Goldstein-Schuff, MA, CCC-SLP: SSC

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*UMD: University of Maryland. SSC: Sisskin Stuttering Center. PGCPs: Prince Georges County Public Schools. FRIENDS: FRIENDS Who Stutter. MSU: Michigan State University.

Cost: \$350

Registration: Complete this form to receive registration details: [Pre-Registration](#)



CEUs: Application has been made to offer this activity for 1.6 ASHA CE (professional area, advanced level). To complete the course and earn ASHA continuing education units (CEUs), attendees must meet the following satisfactory completion requirements: attend the course in full, complete a self-assessment, and submit a course evaluation.