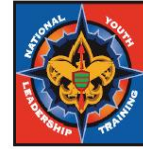


# The Trainer's EDGE



**Date:** Saturday • **August 18, 2018** • 9:00 am - 5:00 pm

**Location:** **Copeland Center @ Camp Patten**  
247 Burnt Church Road, Lakeland, GA 31635

**Uniform:** **Class A Field uniform**

**Registration:** Please register early by return registration below or contacting South Georgia Council Office at (229) 242-2331. **Deadline for registration is Thursday, August 16, 2018.**

Please provide your name, address, phone, email, unit, and current Scouting position(s).

**Fee:** **Ten dollars** (\$10) (includes training materials and lunch), payable at the door.

(Please let us know if you have any special food requirements or if you prefer to provide your own lunch.)

**Questions:** Contact Course Coordinator Britt Brinson at [brittbrinson@gmail.com](mailto:brittbrinson@gmail.com) or (229) 942-3294.

**What is Trainer's Edge?** **The Trainer's EDGE is the required train-the-trainer course for Wood Badge and NYLT staff.** District trainers, unit trainers, roundtable staff, and interested Scouters are also encouraged to attend. *The purpose of the Trainer's EDGE course is to provide and help develop the platform skills of a trainer. It is meant to supplement the practice offered through Wood Badge and NYLT staff development, with a focus on the participant, while raising the level of skill a trainer brings to the staff experience. Only practice can polish these skills, but this course is intended to "train the trainer" on behaviors and resources while offering hands-on experience in methods and media. It is based on **The Teaching EDGE™** used in Wood Badge and National Youth Leadership Training. The training includes:*

- **Module 1—Communicating.** Review the basics of verbal and nonverbal communication for a trainer, introduce the EDGE model, and give the participants an opportunity to use the model.
- **Module 2—Logistics, Media, and Methods.** Review media and methods a trainer uses to deliver a syllabus.
- **Module 3—Directing Traffic and Thoughts—**Review how to developing a course culture, facilitation, participant focus, and managing the group.
- **Module 4—Participant Session (2½ hours)—**Provide practice in delivering participants' prepared presentations and feedback.

## ***Pre-course Preparation***

**Please prepare a 10 minute presentation on a topic from any BSA material.** Your presentation should allow you to demonstrate the skills of a trainer. You will receive constructive feedback on your presentation from the other participants.

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## **Trainer's EDGE – August 18, 2018**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Unit Position \_\_\_\_\_ Unit # \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Enclosed please find my check in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_

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