

## **John D Halloran M.S.CCC-SLP**



John Halloran, a speech-language pathologist, has been a consultant with the Prentke Romich Company since 1994. He recently accepted the position of Senior Clinical Associate in the Autism/LAMP (Language Acquisition through Motor Planning) program.

John is a frequent presenter on topics such as increasing spontaneous communication in children who are non-verbal. He has a special interest in children who are challenged by severe physical or cognitive disabilities. He also finds much reward in exploring ways to best implement assistive technology with children who have autism. John continues to work to develop a training program for children with autism and their families.

John Halloran graduated from the University of Arkansas at Little Rock in 1990 with a bachelor's degree in Communication Disorders. He received his masters in Communicative Disorders from the University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences in 1992. After graduation, he worked at Arkansas Easter Seals Rehabilitation Center, specializing in assistive technology. He has also owned a pediatric therapy clinic and after-school care for children with disabilities. In addition to his work with PRC, he teaches augmentative communication at the University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences.

John maintains membership in several professional organizations, including the American-Speech-Language-Hearing Association and the Arkansas-Speech-Language-Hearing Association.

John has remained active in the community by serving on his local church council. He and his wife co-chaired fundraising events that brought in over 160 thousand dollars for his children's elementary school and currently serves on the AAROC Board.

In 2007, The Arkansas Speech and Hearing Association awarded John the Dicarolo Award for recent clinical achievement.