

# KEYNOTE SPEAKER



## Craig Windham

Saturday, March 24 • 9:00 a.m.–10:00 a.m.

### *Counseling in the Social Media Age: Swimming with the Current—and Against*

We depend on an expanding array of electronic media for information, entertainment, communication, and social interaction. Craig Windham will speak from his unique perspective as both a broadcast journalist and counselor about how this changing landscape of media is affecting our lives—for better and possibly for worse. He'll also draw on his experience working with teenagers to focus on the importance of finding a balance between social media use and genuine interpersonal connection, especially in counseling and nurturing young people.

Craig Windham is a reporter and newscaster with NPR in Washington. For more than a decade he has done distinctive, sound-rich newscasts, reports, and Q&A during NPR's Morning Edition and All Things Considered. Craig is also a licensed clinical professional counselor with a Ph.D. in counseling. He is a member of a large clinical practice in Maryland that works with adolescents and their families, and he teaches graduate courses in counseling at The George Washington University.