



Teaching and Learning Forum



FATE 2010

FRESH APPROACH TO EDUCATION

A Teaching and Learning Forum for New and Accomplished Educators

Friday 17 September - Sunday 19 September 2010

Sunnybrook Hotel & Function Centre, 355 Hume Highway, Warwick Farm, NSW

EVENT OVERVIEW

Is there a problem in your school that is crying out for creative new approaches? How can you quickly generate innovative ideas for difficult school issues?

The Fresh Approach to Education forum will focus on how innovation can be encouraged, creative solutions enabled and new arenas embraced in education. It will also encourage a revisit of old ideas in new contexts, or old solutions to new problems. Pedagogies and practices will be explored, with a focus on their practical application.

In education, as in life in general, it may well be true that the only constant is change. In order to cope with change we need to continually try new ideas and approaches. In a year which has already seen so many changes to both our educational and economic landscape, the need to take a fresh approach to the way we engage and manage student learning is growing stronger by the day.

The hands-on sessions delivered at the forum are designed to unleash the creativity in practical underpinnings of innovative practices in teaching and learning. The presenters at this forum will use a variety of powerful techniques for idea generation, idea evaluation and implementation. A wealth of great ideas for the education sector will be delivered.

Key themes of the Teaching and Learning forum include;

- using learning spaces, both old and new, creatively
- employing immersive technology to best effect
- harnessing learning technologies to benefit learning
- recycling effective approaches in new or different contexts
- enabling cross-fertilisation of good practice across disciplines and between institutions and
- developing networks of practice.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND

This Teaching and Learning forum is for all members of the education community who are interested in pedagogical issues and who are interested to explore ways to improve the quality of the education experience for their students.

Contributions from all disciplines are welcomed and we encourage casual, sessional and part-time staff and postgraduate students to attend. **This forum is a must for anyone who wants to build a culture of teaching creativity in their own school.**

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IMPORTANT INFORMATION

- DATE:** Friday, 17 September 2010 - Sunday, 19 September 2010
- TIME:** Conference commences at 1.00pm on Friday, 19 September 2010 (*detailed agenda attached*)
- LOCATION:** Sunnybrook Hotel & Function Centre, 355 Hume Highway Warwick Farm, NSW
- WEB ADDRESS:** https://austcolled.com.au/event/NSW_FATE2010
- ACCOMMODATION:** A variety of accommodation is available at Sunnybrook Hotel. Please see attached information sheet.
- REGISTRATION:** Please complete the attached registration form and email, fax or post back to ACE's National Office

COSTS (all prices include GST):

	EARLY BIRD Until 7 August 2010		NORMAL After 7 August 2010	
	Members*	Non-Members**	Members*	Non-Members**
Full Conference	\$325.00	\$455.00	\$455.00	\$637.00
Friday, 17 September	\$158.00	\$221.00	\$221.00	\$309.00
Saturday, 18 September	\$175.00	\$245.00	\$245.00	\$343.00
Sunday, 19 September	\$95.00	\$133.00	\$133.00	\$186.00
Accompanying persons ticket for dinner reception, Saturday	\$90.00	\$90.00	\$126.00	\$126.00

*Member rates apply for members of ACE, Teachers Guild of NSW and Royal Society members.

** If you wish to find out how to become an ACE member please visit <https://austcolled.com.au/membership>

- INCLUSIONS:**
- Friday booking includes lunch, afternoon tea and seafood dinner buffet
 - Saturday booking includes morning tea, lunch, afternoon tea & 3 course dinner reception (smart casual)
 - Sunday booking includes morning tea and lunch
 - Full conference booking includes all of the above
 - All delegates will receive a FATE 2010 Conference Satchel

EARLY BIRD: **Save 40% by booking early bird** (Only applicable for bookings made prior to 7 August 2010.)

REGISTRATIONS CLOSE: 5.00pm, Friday 10 September 2010

EVENT ENQUIRIES:

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- 1.00pm Registration, Orientation and Welcome Lunch
- 2.30pm **Teaching: Art and Science**
Dr John DeCourcy, ACE NSW President
- 3.30pm **Restorative Practice - foundation for teaching and learning**
Terry O'Connell, Real Justice
- 4.30pm Afternoon tea
- 5.00pm **Swimming (not drowning) in the data stream: Using Moodle Logs as a formative assessment tool**
Dr Anthony Loughland, University of Sydney
- 6.00pm **What we need to know about the research evidence on student achievement and quality teaching**
Professor Steve Dinham, ACER
- 7.00pm Evening break
- 7.30pm Dinner Address
Inspiring new teachers to become creative
Ian Moore, Trinity Grammar School

Saturday, 18 September 2010

- 9.00am **Using mobile devices to spark creativity & innovation in learning**
Jennifer Holt, The Scots College
- 9.45am **A responsive curriculum**
Christine Mae, St Aloysius Primary School Cronulla

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Saturday, 18 September 2010 cont.

10.30am Morning tea

11.00am **Creating learning environments to stimulate student interest in Science**
Gina Grant, Board of Studies

12.00pm **The understanding of time: ideas for teaching across the National Curriculum**
Dr Lloyd Dawe, Formerly University of Sydney

1.00pm Lunch

2.00pm **Where we are heading in education and what to expect over the next ten years**
Dr Phil Lambert, Department of Education and Training

3.00pm **The learning profession: Building a culture of professional learning**
Andrew Fraser, Catholic Education Office

4.00pm Afternoon tea

Teachers Guild Session on Inspirational Teachers Matter: Joint session



4.30pm **Beginning Teachers: Ready, Willing and Able**
Lyndsay Connors, National President, Australian College of Educators

5.15pm **Quality Integration of Technology Across the KLAs**
Jane Williams, Balgowlah North Public School

5.45pm **From Classrooms to Cadillacs**
Alison Shaw, Epping Boys' High School

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6.15pm **Managing a Department for Better Teaching and Learning**
Sean Kelleher, Abbotsleigh, Wahroonga

6.45pm Evening break

8.00pm Dinner Reception
The Role of the Dissident
Timothy Lester, The International Grammar School, Sydney

Sunday, 19 September 2010

8.30am **Meaningful Assessment**
Dr Deborah Clarke, Charles Sturt University

9.15am **Using games and experiential techniques to engage adult learners**
Dr Julie Cugin, University of New South Wales

10.00am **Continuities between pre-service and in-service teaching professional learning: Opportunities and challenges**
Dr Dianne Bloomfield, University of Sydney

11.00am Morning tea

11.30am **Curriculum and change - the emerging policy environment**
Tom Alegounarias, Board of Studies NSW

12.30pm **Wake-up Sleeping Beauty: Helping our daughters move beyond Bratz, Britney and Barcadi Breezers**
Dannielle Miller, Enlighten Education

1.30pm Wrap-up Discussion Lunch and Close of the Teaching and Learning Forum

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Event registration form and tax invoice*

Registrations close 5.00pm, Friday 10 September 2010 (unless sold out prior).

Confirmation of registration will be given one week prior to the event. Please contact us after this time if your registration has not been confirmed.

Fax: 02 6281 2394

Email: laurac@austcolled.com.au

Post: PO Box 445, MAWSON, ACT 2607

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*Member rates apply for the following ONLY (please indicate): ACE () / Teachers Guild of NSW () and Royal Society Member ()

Payment Options (Full payment is required before the event)

Cheque I enclose a cheque made payable to ACE for \$ _____

Credit card MasterCard Visa Amex (please circle) Amount \$ _____

Card number _____ Exp date _____ Security Code _____ Name _____

ACE ABN 96 562 879 327

*This form becomes a tax invoice / receipt when payment is made. A separate tax invoice will not be issued.

Registration Details (please photocopy if more than two delegates)

Mr / Ms / Mrs _____ First Name _____ Last Name _____

Position _____ Organisation _____

Phone _____ Email* _____

Dietary Requirements _____

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*Each booking must provide the attendees individual email address. If we do not have the attendees email address they may miss important information regarding the event and they will not received a confirmation email

() Please tick here if you do not wish to receive information on future ACE events and activities.

Cancellation policy

- Cancellations received by **5.00pm, Friday, 10 September 2010** will be refunded in full
- Full payment is required for any cancellation received after this date or for non-attendance on the day
- Substitutions may be made at any time.
- All cancellations and changes must be forwarded in writing (via email or fax) to the event registration contact



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- LOCATION:** Sunnybrook Hotel & Function Centre, 355 Hume Highway, Warwick Farm, NSW
- COST:** The following discounted rates have been offered to guests of the Teaching and Learning Forum.
Standard Single or Twin Share - \$119 per night / per room. Includes fully cooked buffet breakfast
Executive Single or Twin Share - \$127.50 per night / per room. Includes fully cooked buffet breakfast
- RESERVATIONS:** 02 9726 1222. Please contact Sunnybrook Hotel directly to book and pay for accommodation.
- WEB ADDRESS:** <http://www.sunnybrook.com.au/>



ABOUT SUNNYBROOK HOTEL & FUNCTION CENTRE

The Sunnybrook Hotel and Convention Centre is a business style hotel with a sophisticated atmosphere that offers quality and comfort and a special blend of friendly hospitality and service.

Located on the site of the old Sunnybrook Winery the complex is far enough to leave the distractions behind yet close enough to eliminate wasted travel time. The hotel is located only 20 minutes from Sydney Airport and set on 8 acres of landscaped grounds at Warwick Farm, overlooking the Racecourse.

Recreation Facilities onsite include;

- Swimming pool and Jacuzzi
- Warwick Tavern with Foxsports, Keno
- Nortons restaurant
- Extensive walking tracks to Chipping Norton Lakes
- 6 Championship sized tennis courts
- SAKs VIP Lounge
- Library Bar

Hotel Facilities include;

- 24 Hour Reception
- Business Centre Facilities
- Guest Laundry
- On site free car parking
- ATM
- Wireless Internet to Public Areas
- Non Smoking Floors and Public Areas
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