

# Our Guide to All Things Learner-Centered at SXSWedu

We are looking forward to learning, engaging, and exploring with education pioneers from all across the country.

**With so much to do at SXSWedu**, we've created a guide to the learner-centered presentations, keynotes, panels, and summits that we are most excited about!

## MONDAY, MARCH 7, 2016

### HELPING DIFFERENT KINDS OF MINDS SOLVE PROBLEMS

Temple Grandin

Keynote  
Instructional  
Strategies

**11:00AM - 12:00PM**

Austin Convention  
Center, Ballroom D

### THE POWER OF STUDENT VOICE IN TODAY'S CLASSROOM

Shanna Peeples

Panel  
Instructional  
Strategies

**12:30PM - 1:30PM**

Austin Convention  
Center, Room 16AB

### A "CAR-TALK" FOR THE ED SECTOR

Dennis Littky, Elliot Washor

Core Conversation  
Educational  
Equality

**12:30PM - 1:30PM**

Hilton Austin  
Downtown, Salon A

### THE PARADIGM SHIFT OF A GLOBAL CLASSROOM

Anders Enström, Brian Jones,  
Dr. Ayelet Segal, Liz Meredith

Panel  
Instructional  
Strategies

**2:00PM - 3:00PM**

Hilton Austin  
Downtown, Salon E

### STUDENTS UNFILTERED: DIGITAL IN THE CLASSROOM

Elana Golub, JoAnna Zalkovsky,  
Matt Bilotti, Zak Malamed

Panel  
Continuing  
Education

**5:00PM - 6:00PM**

Hilton Austin  
Downtown, Salon J

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## TUESDAY, MARCH 8, 2016

### REIMAGINE EDUCATION: ABANDONING AGE-BASED LEARNING

Dr. Marina Walne, Roger Cook,  
Stephan Turnipseed

Panel  
Instructional  
Strategies

**11:00AM - 12:00PM**

Hilton Austin  
Downtown, Salon E

### INDIANA JONES AND THE JOURNEY OF INNOVATION

Scott Ellis

Featured  
Implementation

**11:00AM - 12:00PM**

Austin Convention  
Center, Room 18ABC

### INVITING THE PUBLIC BACK INTO PUBLIC EDUCATION

Troy Miller

Future15  
Implementation

**2:50PM - 3:05PM**

Austin Convention  
Center, Room 15

### TRANSFORMING EDUCATION WITH LEARNERS AT THE CENTER

Kelly Young, Margaret Black, Michael  
Hinojosa, Trace Pickering, Virgel Hammonds

Summit  
Leadership

**3:00PM - 6:00PM**

JW Marriot, Salon 3

## WEDNESDAY, MARCH 9, 2016

### HOW TO THINK (AND LEARN) LIKE A FUTURIST

Jane McGonigal

Keynote  
Gaming

**9:30AM - 10:30AM**

Austin Convention  
Center, Ballroom D

### DESIGN THINKING THE WHOLE SCHOOL

Alex Owens, Jasmine Araujo,  
Josh Densen

Problem Solving  
Learning Spaces

**11:00AM - 1:00PM**

Hilton Austin  
Downtown, Room 408

### WHAT IF EVERYONE WANTED TO BE A TEACHER?

David Rosenberg

Core Conversation  
Leadership

**11:00AM - 12:00PM**

Hilton Austin  
Downtown, Salon A

### WHOLE CHILD EDUCATION: BODY, MIND AND SPIRIT

Michele Rusnak, Paul Cruz, Sherrie Raven,  
Yesenia Garcia-Herrington

Summit  
SEL

**11:00AM - 2:00PM**

JW Marriott  
Salon 2

### EVERY CHILD, EVERY DAY: ACHIEVING ZERO DROPOUTS THROUGH PERFORMANCE-BASED EDUCATION

Roger Cook

Book Signing

**12:00PM - 12:30PM**

Austin Convention  
Center, Level 3 Aritum  
Landing

### TWO PERSPECTIVES ON PERSONALIZED LEARNING

Emily Lammers, Gates Bryant, Sparky Zivin

Debate  
Instructional  
Strategies

**12:30PM - 1:30PM**

Hilton Austin  
Downtown, Salon C

### GIVING HOPE: OVERCOMING ODDS WITH BLENDED LEARNING

Crystal Hill, Gayle White Wallace, Kimberly  
Moritz, Robert Rayburn

Panel  
Educational  
Equality

**12:30PM - 1:30PM**

Hilton Austin  
Downtown, Salon D

### STUDENTS AS GLOBAL ENTREPRENEURS THRU 3 BIG PIVOTS

Homa Tavangar

Core Conversation  
Cognitive Process

**12:30PM - 1:30PM**

Hilton Austin  
Downtown, Salon A

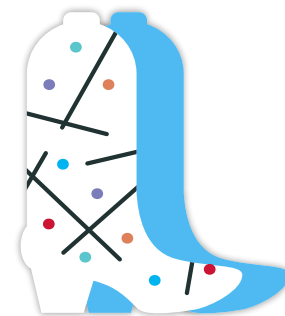
### PROJECT DESIGN: IF YOU BUILD IT THEY WILL LEARN

Bob Lenz, Jennifer Cruz

Summit  
Instructional  
Strategies

**12:45PM - 2:15PM**

JW Marriott, Salon 1



### PLEASE JOIN US FOR A TEXAS-STYLE COCKTAIL PARTY

Co-hosted with  
**Next Generation  
Learning Challenges**

Immediately following  
our summit, kick back  
and join us for great  
conversation, guacamole,  
and some Shiner.

**Cedar Door**  
201 Brazos Street

## WEDNESDAY, MARCH 9, 2016 (CONTINUED)

### ARE THEY LEARNING? COMPETENCY-BASED STUDENT VOICES

Anthony Thorne, Bernard Bull, Briana Corona, Connor Gorske

Panel  
Continuing  
Education

**2:00PM - 3:00PM**  
Hilton Austin  
Downtown, Salon E

### 10 & CHANGE: CHANGING THE NARRATIVE FOR BLACK BOYS

Tim King

Featured  
Leadership

**2:00PM - 3:00PM**  
Austin Convention  
Center, Room 18ABC

### MUSEUMS GIVE TEACHERS CONTROL TO CREATE

Ashley Naranjo, Brian Ausland, Darren Milligan, Melissa Wadman

Panel  
Instructional  
Strategies

**3:30PM - 4:30PM**  
Hilton Austin  
Downtown, Room  
400-402

### DRIVING STUDENT VOICE IN EDUCATIONAL DESIGN

Ashley Simon, Courtney Brousseau, Cynthia Erenas, Owen Brown

Panel  
Leadership

**3:30PM - 4:30PM**  
Hilton Austin  
Downtown Salon G

### YOU MATTER! CREATING A STUDENT ADVISORY BOARD

Dana Grossman Leeman

Future15  
Educational  
Equality

**4:00PM - 4:15PM**  
Austin Convention  
Center, Room 15

### FACILITY DESIGN DIRECTLY IMPACTS ACADEMIC SUCCESS

Aaron Jobson, Adrian Swain, Gina Silveira

Workshop  
Learning Spaces

**4:00PM - 6:00PM**  
Hilton Austin  
Downtown, Room 410

### PBL? IT'S ALL ABOUT THE PLAN

Bob Lenz, Jennifer Cruz

Summit  
Leadership

**4:45PM - 6:00PM**  
JW Marriott, Salon 1

### HOW TO MAKE A PLAY IN COMPETENCY-BASED EDUCATION

Matt Akin, Pat Deklotz, Sara Schapiro, Valerie Truesdale

Panel  
Implementation

**5:00PM - 6:00PM**  
Hilton Austin  
Downtown, Salon E

## THURSDAY, MARCH 10, 2016

### OPENING REMARKS

Paul Reville

Closing Program

**12:30PM - 12:45PM**  
Austin Convention  
Center Ballroom D

### THE END OF AVERAGE

Todd Rose

Closing Program  
Cognitive Process

**12:45PM - 1:15PM**  
Austin Convention  
Center, Ballroom D

### RETHINKING HIGH SCHOOL—ACTIVATING INNOVATION

Russlynn Ali

Closing Program  
Educational  
Equality

**1:15PM - 1:45PM**  
Austin Convention  
Center, Ballroom D

### LEARNING AS A LIFESTYLE: PASSION, PEOPLE, PURPOSE

Connie Yowell

Closing Program  
Educational  
Equality

**1:45PM - 2:15PM**  
Austin Convention  
Center, Ballroom D



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