

# GIFTED RESOURCES NEWSLETTER JANUARY 2013 NO 1

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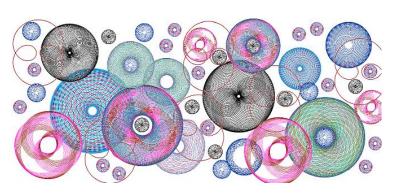
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# Gífted Resources News

Getting the 2013 wheels turning



Time to get to wheels rolling for 2013.

Time to think about the strategies for teaching and resources for parenting gifted students.

Time to think about reserving dates on the calendar for conferences, workshops and PD seminars.

Time to find like minds, locate support groups, build a PLN, for support and encouragement.

Time to consider creative, artistic or recreational projects and activities for your own enjoyment and renewal.

Time to set the wheels in motion!



# WHAT'S IN THE IN TRAY?

These items have been received recently and can be found in the In Tray which is located on the Home page of Gifted Resources Website <a href="www.giftedresources.org">www.giftedresources.org</a> If you are not able to access the links here please go to the In Tray to access them.

If you would like information included in the newsletter and/or the In Tray please send to contributions@giftedresources.org

GERRIC A Nation Deceived Panel Tuesday 15 January 2013 1:30pm - 4:00pm WEBSITE

TAGT PARENT MINI-CONFERENCE HOUSTON AREA 19 January 2013 WEBSITE

GLOBAL CENTER FOR GIFTED AND TALENTED CHILDREN Global Virtual Meeting for Gifted Education in Second Life: Carolyn Gillespie K (USA) 26 January 2013 WEBSITE

TAGT PARENT MINI-CONFERENCE AUSTIN AREA 16 February 2013 WEBSITE

CAGE and NZGIFTED Doubly special symposium Christchurch NZ 23 February 2013 PDF FLYER

GLOBAL CENTER FOR GIFTED AND TALENTED CHILDREN Global Virtual Meeting for Gifted Education in Second Life: Richard Cash (USA) 23 February 2013 WEBSITE

GLOBAL CENTER FOR GIFTED AND TALENTED CHILDREN Global Virtual Meeting for Gifted Education in Second Life: Hava Vidergor (Israel) 30 March 2013 WEBSITE

TAGT ANNUAL LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE 8-9 April 2013 WEBSITE

VAGTC CONFERENCE EmpowerEd for Giftedness 23-24 April 2013 WEBSITE

GLOBAL CENTER FOR GIFTED AND TALENTED CHILDREN Global Virtual Meeting for Gifted Education in Second Life: Bonnie Cramond (USA) 27 April 2013 WEBSITE

GLOBAL CENTER FOR GIFTED AND TALENTED CHILDREN Global Virtual Meeting for Gifted Education in Second Life: Ian Warwick (UK) 25 May 2013 WEBSITE

GLOBAL CENTER FOR GIFTED AND TALENTED CHILDREN Global Virtual Meeting for Gifted Education in Second Life: Joe Baker (Canada) 29 June 2013 WEBSITE

GLOBAL CENTER FOR GIFTED AND TALENTED CHILDREN Global Virtual Meeting for Gifted Education in Second Life: Ellen D Fiedler 27 July 2013 WEBSITE

WORLD COUNCIL FOR GIFTED AND TALENTED CHILDREN 20th Biennial World Conference "Celebrating Giftedness and Creativity" 10-14 August 2013 WEBSITE

GLOBAL CENTER FOR GIFTED AND TALENTED CHILDREN Global Virtual Meeting for Gifted Education in Second Life: Catya von Karolyi (USA) 24 August 2013 WEBSITE

TAG - Tasmanian Association for Gifted Igniting Talent: Toddlers to Teens Conference 6-8th September 2013 <u>WEBSITE</u>

GLOBAL CENTER FOR GIFTED AND TALENTED CHILDREN Global Virtual Meeting for Gifted Education in Second Life : Grace Malonai (USA) 22 September 2013 WEBSITE

ICTDE Turkey 25-28 September 2013 WEBSITE

GLOBAL CENTER FOR GIFTED AND TALENTED CHILDREN Global Virtual Meeting for Gifted Education in Second Life: Lisa Van Gemert (USA) 26 October 2013 WEBSITE

GLOBAL CENTER FOR GIFTED AND TALENTED CHILDREN Global Virtual Meeting for Gifted Education in Second Life: Lety Hahn (USA) 23 November 2013 WEBSITE

GLOBAL CENTER FOR GIFTED AND TALENTED CHILDREN Global Virtual Meeting for Gifted Education in Second Life: Roya Klingner (Austria) 14 December 2013 WEBSITE

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# VICTORIAN PARLIAMENTARY INQUIRY INTO THE EDUCATION OF GIFTED AND TALENTED STUDENTS

# Report and Response

# Report

http://www.parliament.vic.gov.au/images/stories/committees/etc/Past\_Inquiries/EGT S\_Inquiry/Final\_Report/Gifted\_and\_Talented\_Final\_Report.pdf

# Government Response

The Government Response was tabled on 11 December 2012. <a href="http://www.parliament.vic.gov.au/etc/article/1341">http://www.parliament.vic.gov.au/etc/article/1341</a>

http://www.parliament.vic.gov.au/images/stories/committees/etc/Past\_Inquiries/EGTS\_Inquiry/Government\_Response/Gov\_Response\_Education\_Committee.pdf

Article: The Age 11.12.2012

http://www.theage.com.au/national/education/fast-track-for-gifted-students-20121210-2b64p.html

Article: The Age Melissa Conley Tyler When a gift is a burden <a href="http://www.theage.com.au/opinion/politics/when-a-gift-is-a-burden-20121219-2bn68.html">http://www.theage.com.au/opinion/politics/when-a-gift-is-a-burden-20121219-2bn68.html</a>

# Review of 2012 as seen in the blog posts on Sprite's Site and Gifted Resources blog

There were 154 posts on Sprite's Site during 2012

January 5 posts

Move to Rosebud <a href="http://www.giftedresources.org/jo/blog/?p=2913">http://www.giftedresources.org/jo/blog/?p=2913</a>

February 3 posts

Valentines Day Keeping calendars and Filing memories

March 15 posts

More filing memories and settling in to Rosebud <a href="http://www.giftedresources.org/jo/blog/?p=2967">http://www.giftedresources.org/jo/blog/?p=2967</a>

Return of #Gtchat http://www.giftedresources.org/jo/blog/?p=3016 and

http://www.giftedresources.org/jo/blog/?p=3004

Best Australian blogs nomination <a href="http://www.giftedresources.org/jo/blog/?tag=best-australian-blogs-2012">http://www.giftedresources.org/jo/blog/?tag=best-australian-blogs-2012</a>

Birth of Tweetil and Tweetelle - start of Tweet family series about parenting gifted children

http://www.giftedresources.org/jo/blog/?tag=tweet-family

Book review Gifted and thriving at school by Derrin Cramer

http://www.giftedresources.org/jo/blog/?p=3034

Gifted Awareness week in Namibia <a href="http://www.giftedresources.org/jo/blog/?p=2998">http://www.giftedresources.org/jo/blog/?p=2998</a>

April 19 posts

April Fools Day prank http://www.giftedresources.org/jo/blog/?p=3047 and

http://www.giftedresources.org/jo/blog/?p=3050

Continuation of Best Australian blogs and Tweet family series – the Tweet family begin NEST Ed and encounters problems caused by the asynchronous development of the Tweetlets

Reading to dogs http://www.giftedresources.org/jo/blog/?p=3069

Sprite in Denmark <a href="http://www.giftedresources.org/jo/blog/?p=3083">http://www.giftedresources.org/jo/blog/?p=3083</a>

May 41 posts

Continuation of Best Australian blogs and Tweet family series

Tweetelle becomes a seedetarian <a href="http://www.giftedresources.org/jo/blog/?p=3168">http://www.giftedresources.org/jo/blog/?p=3168</a>

We meet the Psych-Owl-Ogist <a href="http://www.giftedresources.org/jo/blog/?tag=psych-owl-ogist">http://www.giftedresources.org/jo/blog/?tag=psych-owl-ogist</a>

And The Twitter birds went A-May-ing <a href="http://www.giftedresources.org/jo/blog/?tag=a-may-ing">http://www.giftedresources.org/jo/blog/?tag=a-may-ing</a>

June 18 posts

Blog birthday

http://www.giftedresources.org/jo/blog/?p=3456

http://www.giftedresources.org/jo/blog/?p=3493

Language Garden review <a href="http://www.giftedresources.org/jo/blog/?p=3485">http://www.giftedresources.org/jo/blog/?p=3485</a>

Victorian Parliamentary Inquiry into the Education of Gifted and Talented students

http://www.giftedresources.org/jo/blog/?p=3463

Gifted Awareness Week New Zealand http://www.giftedresources.org/jo/blog/?tag=gifted-awareness-

week-new-zealand Seven posts on the topic TBA

And a discussion of the Birds and the Bees in the Tweet family nest

http://www.giftedresources.org/jo/blog/?p=3363

July 10 posts

Critical thinking http://www.giftedresources.org/jo/blog/?p=3559

The Finding the Right Flock series about choosing a school for gifted children

http://www.giftedresources.org/jo/blog/?tag=choosing-schools

Advocacy http://www.giftedresources.org/jo/blog/?p=3538

The Twitter Bird Un-Olympics Bower series <a href="http://www.giftedresources.org/jo/blog/?tag=un-olympics-bower">http://www.giftedresources.org/jo/blog/?tag=un-olympics-bower</a>

August 7 posts

Creation is to Creator as ... http://www.giftedresources.org/jo/blog/?p=3615

Between the Blogs <a href="http://www.giftedresources.org/jo/blog/?p=3606">http://www.giftedresources.org/jo/blog/?p=3606</a> and

http://www.giftedresources.org/jo/blog/?p=3610

Continuation of Finding the Right Flock

Advocacy 2 <a href="http://www.giftedresources.org/jo/blog/?p=3587">http://www.giftedresources.org/jo/blog/?p=3587</a>

Be Creative with the Dabrowski Dogs http://www.giftedresources.org/jo/blog/?p=3578

Delta Dog <a href="http://www.giftedresources.org/jo/blog/?p=3571">http://www.giftedresources.org/jo/blog/?p=3571</a>

September 11 posts

De Bono's 6 Action shoes series <a href="http://www.giftedresources.org/jo/blog/?tag=debono-6-action-shoes">http://www.giftedresources.org/jo/blog/?tag=debono-6-action-shoes</a>

The meeting (link between Advocacy series and De Bono's 6 Action shoes series)

http://www.giftedresources.org/jo/blog/?p=3686

Creativity challenge about Patterns and sketching

http://www.giftedresources.org/jo/blog/?tag=creativity-challenge

Overprikkelbaar <a href="http://www.giftedresources.org/jo/blog/?p=3620">http://www.giftedresources.org/jo/blog/?p=3620</a>

October 9 posts

Declining the table http://www.giftedresources.org/jo/blog/?p=3816

Halloween and the Annual Lobby Lobster Fest http://www.giftedresources.org/jo/blog/?p=3809

Continuation of De Bono's 6 Action shoes series

Fine Focus webinar http://www.giftedresources.org/jo/blog/?p=3804

Clock dance about Daylight savings and World Time Zones

http://www.giftedresources.org/jo/blog/?p=3785

Cuckoos in the Nest <a href="http://www.giftedresources.org/jo/blog/?p=3742">http://www.giftedresources.org/jo/blog/?p=3742</a>

November 6 posts

November activities http://www.giftedresources.org/jo/blog/?p=3826

Global Education Conference http://www.giftedresources.org/jo/blog/?tag=global-eduction-conference

Fine focus Webinar Part 2 http://www.giftedresources.org/jo/blog/?p=3847

December 10 posts

#gtchat goes to TAGT12 http://www.giftedresources.org/jo/blog/?p=3867

(See also http://www.giftedresources.org/giftedblog/2012/11/22/gt-chat-goes-to-tagt-12/)

Digital badges <a href="http://www.giftedresources.org/jo/blog/?tag=digital-badges">http://www.giftedresources.org/jo/blog/?tag=digital-badges</a>

Christmas greetings <a href="http://www.giftedresources.org/jo/blog/?p=3920">http://www.giftedresources.org/jo/blog/?p=3920</a>

Memory Elephants Day 30 December <a href="http://www.giftedresources.org/jo/blog/?p=3923">http://www.giftedresources.org/jo/blog/?p=3923</a>

Gifted Resources Blog

August

I August I received an email telling me that I needed to either close the Gifted Resources blog or update it to the newer format My tech guru, Jamie Tarling, put in a lot of work to update the blog and transfer old posts into it.

There's life in the old blog yet

http://www.giftedresources.org/giftedblog/2012/08/18/theres-life-in-the-old-blog-yet/

Beginners Guide to Life on the Bright Side review

http://www.giftedresources.org/giftedblog/2012/08/29/beginners-guide-to-life-on-the-bright-side/

Victorian Parliamentary Inquiry into the Education of Gifted and Talented Students

http://www.giftedresources.org/giftedblog/2012/08/20/victorian-parliamentary-inquiry-into-the-

education-of-gifted-and-talented-students/

September

Doc Sykes Psycho-Educational Resource DVD

http://www.giftedresources.org/giftedblog/2012/09/17/doc-sykes-psycho-educational-resource-dvd/

Virtually attending the ECHA Conference

http://www.giftedresources.org/giftedblog/2012/09/14/virtually-attending-the-echa-conference/

October

Mindiet Mind Manager

http://www.giftedresources.org/giftedblog/2012/10/25/mindjet-mindmanager/

Fine Focus Webinar

http://www.giftedresources.org/giftedblog/2012/10/24/fine-focus-webinar/

Living with ANTs review

http://www.giftedresources.org/giftedblog/2012/10/11/living-with-ants/

**GT** Chat

http://www.giftedresources.org/giftedblog/2012/10/03/gt-chat/

Let the Tall Poppies Flourish

http://www.giftedresources.org/giftedblog/2012/10/03/let-the-tall-poppies-flourish/

November

Re-cataloguing the Gifted Resources Library

http://www.giftedresources.org/giftedblog/2012/11/23/re-cataloguing-the-gifted-resources-library/

GT Chat goes to TAGT 12

http://www.giftedresources.org/giftedblog/2012/11/22/gt-chat-goes-to-tagt-12/

Fine Focus Webinar Part 2

http://www.giftedresources.org/giftedblog/2012/11/21/fine-focus-webinar-part-2/

Global Ed Con 12

http://www.giftedresources.org/giftedblog/2012/11/12/globaledcon-12/

Skype Film Discussion

http://www.giftedresources.org/giftedblog/2012/11/08/skype-film-discussion/

November

Susan Fisher's dream classroom

http://www.giftedresources.org/giftedblog/2012/11/28/susan-fishers-dream-classroom/

# GIFTED SUPPORT GROUPS

## **GIFTED SUPPORT NETWORK**

(Formerly Bayside Young Active Minds - BYAMS)

Active network in Melbourne's south eastern region offering the following services to families with gifted children:

- \* "Mini Minds" activities for preschoolers
- \* "Primary Minds" activities for primary school aged children and their parents
- \* "Teens & Tweens" activities for teenagers and their parents each term
- \* Information evenings with expert speakers covering issues relating to the gifted
- \* Daytime and evening social events for parents to share their experience of parenting the gifted child
- \* Comprehensive members' library
- \* Quarterly newsletter containing professional articles

For further information visit www.giftedsupport.org

P.O. Box 2808 Cheltenham, 3192

Email address is admin@giftedsupport.org

For the full program of Gifted Support Network activities see the excellent calendar of events at <a href="http://www.giftedsupport.org">http://www.giftedsupport.org</a>

#### 'THE BIG BANG COFFEE CLUB'

The Big Bang Coffee Club meets on the first Monday of the month at 9.30am (School and Public Holidays excepted) at:

The Coffee Club

Shop 49-50

Moonee Ponds Central

14-16 Hall Street

# **Moonee Ponds**

3 hours of free undercover parking is available in the Moonee Ponds Central car park

Contacts:

Sally-Ann Free Tina McCarthy

sallyann.free@live.vu.edu.au <u>tina@tinamccarthydesign.com</u>

Mobile 0425 779 829

## MAROONDAH GIFTED CHILDREN"S PARENTS' ASSOC.

Morning Coffee at MacDonald's, Maroondah Hwy. Croydon Vic. at 10.30 am on the first Wednesday of the month

Postal address:

c/- 13 Heathwood St

Ringwood East Vic 3135

Contact Jennifer Grant

Phone 9779 4218

ijgrant@optusnet.com.au

Louise Howe Phone 9801 2912

louise\_h@tpg.com.au

#### **BELGRAVE PARENT SUPPORT GROUP**

Meetings generally monthly on Mondays Contact Heike Reich Phone (03) 9752 5420

Email <a href="mailto:heikemagnus@yahoo.com.au">heikemagnus@yahoo.com.au</a>

#### **CHIP GEELONG**

CHIP Family Support Group Geelong Contact Maura Donohue email <a href="mailto:mauradonohue@aapt.net.au">mauradonohue@aapt.net.au</a>

#### **CASTERTON AND DISTRICT AREA**

Catriona Hill would like to connect with other parents of gifted children in Casterton and District area

Contact: Catriona Hill Phone (03)55812529 Mobile 0419008734

Email: antrim@netspace.net.au

Web: http://au.groups.yahoo.com/group/tallpoppysyndrome/

#### GIFTED RESOURCE AND INFORMATION GROUP - CASEY/CARDINIA

For families with gifted children in Casey/Cardinia Contact
Victoria Poulos
Phone 0420 286 307
Email victoriapoulos@gmail.com

#### BADGER - BAIRNSDALE AND DISTRICT GIFTED EDUCATION REFORM

Contact

Email badger.org@aapt.net.au.

Phone 0423 708 061

# **VICTORIA / NEW SOUTH WALES**

NSW ASSOCIATION FOR GIFTED & TALENTED CHILDREN ALBURY/WODONGA SUPPORT GROUP

Meets bi-monthly in Wodonga, Victoria, and welcomes parents & teachers of gifted children For information contact

Secretary, Cathy Baillie (02) 6021 5913

Phone: 02 60215913

Assistant Secretary, Jeannie Bowen (02) 6021 2073 website link <a href="http://www.nswagtc.org.au/albury-wodonga">http://www.nswagtc.org.au/albury-wodonga</a>

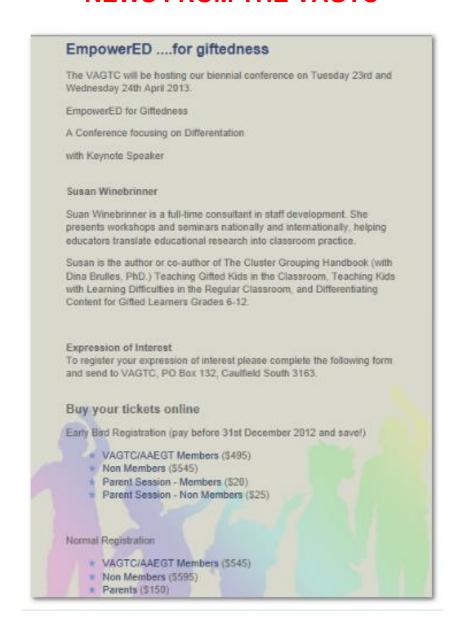
# Gifted Families Support Group

PO Box 51 Miranda NSW 1490 http://www.gfsg.org.au

Gifted Families Support Group Incorporated is a not for profit group formed in 2012 by local Mums looking for more activities for their children. The group is designed to support families of gifted children.

It is our goal to use our experience with our own children, coupled with invaluable advice from others on the gifted journey, to provide families with the support they need.

# **NEWS FROM THE VAGTC**



# First GT Chat for 2013 on Twitter

Join Global #gtchat Powered by TAGT on Twitter Friday at 7PM ET/6PM CT/midnight UK for our first chat of the New Year. We'll be discussing what you want to talk about in 2013 and guests you'd like to have at chat. We will also be revealing who is already scheduled to be on #gtchat and some exciting topics to be tackled in the upcoming months. We'd love to see you there! That is Saturday 11.00am for Victoria Australia

For details about how to #gtchat see http://www.txgifted.org/gtchat



Kids Like Us is expanding in 2013 to meet the needs of the twice-exceptional youth of Australia. Following on from the publication of the *Inquiry into the education of gifted and talented students* and the subsequent Victorian Government's response, and the AUSTRALIAN GOVERNMENT'S RESPONSE TO RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE DYSLEXIA WORKING PARTY REPORT: HELPING PEOPLE WITH DYSLEXIA: A NATIONAL ACTION AGENDA; the need to inform and support teachers, parents and society as a whole about the simple yet highly complex needs of twice exceptional young people is more important than ever, as schools struggle to understand the needs of these amazing and challenging individuals.

Kids Like Us has launched courses aimed at schools, teachers, parents and students in 2013, as well as continuing with 1:1 counselling, group tutoring, assessment and peer-to-peer support.

Courses are available through the website <a href="www.kidslikeus.org.au">www.kidslikeus.org.au</a> or send enquiries <a href="www.kidslikeus.org.au">www.kidslikeus.org.au</a> or send include details of your interest in:

- Professional Development courses for schools and teachers (available across Australia).
- > Courses directed at caregivers, aimed at supporting positive parenting of twice-exceptional children. This will include becoming skilled, equipped and prepared to advocate for their children. (Available across Australia)
- Courses aimed at high school students, which teach the skills to navigate the challenges of personal organisation, essay production, research skills, revision, exam techniques and self advocacy (Available in the Bayside area of Victoria).
- A five-week 'self-help' course allowing growth in understanding of yourself as a gifted person. Attendees will be enrolled in a course with others of the same age. Please ask for details.

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# CAGE and GiftEDnz are combining to bring an exciting symposium to Christchurch in 2013

Christchurch Association for Gifted Education



# **Doubly Special**

A day dedicated to understanding gifted students challenged by learning difficulties.

Affordable PD for teachers working with our twice exceptional students.

Key Note Speaker:

Nathan Mikaere-Wallace

'X Factor Education'

Panel Discussion

**Table Presentations** 

Networking

When: 23 February 2013

Where: Avonhead School

Time: 9.30-4.00

Cost: \$30.00 members, \$45.00 non-members

(includes lunch, morning tea, drinks and nibbles)

Expressions of interest to Anna Meuli: mailto:giftednz@gmail.com

New Year Special Offers from Thinking Ahead See: http://www.thinkingahead.com.au/Resources/specials.htm

# TAG - Tasmanian Association for Gifted Conference 6-8th September 2013

Igniting Talent: Toddlers to Teens
Tag invites you to explore ways to:

- \* Maintain children's passion for and excitement of learning;
- \* Develop potential into talent; and
- \* Cater for gifted students within the Australian Curriculum.

We are thrilled to have received confirmation today that Professor Nicholas Colangelo, director of the Belin Blank International Center for Gifted Education and Talent Development at The University of Iowa and co-author of The Nation Deceived: How Schools Hold Back America's Brightest Students will be a keynote speaker for the conference. To have someone of Professor Colangelo's calibre as part of our program is exciting and sets the scene for a conference that will offer something for everyone, parents and educators of students of all ages.

Michele Juratowitch, as an invited speaker has confirmed her participation, so look forward to presentations about gifted students and video gaming as well as parental advocacy.

We will be calling for abstracts for presentations, so spread the word to anyone who would be interested.

We welcome anyone who has any time or skills to share in the organisation of this event. Please email <a href="mailto:tasgifted@gmail.com">tasgifted@gmail.com</a> and let us know of your interest

# From 2E Newsletter http://www.2enewsletter.com/index.html

HAPPY NEW YEAR to all of our subscribers and friends! We wish you success this year in helping the twice-exceptional children you know reach their potential.

DON'T FORGET that schools, districts, and parent organizations are eligible to subscribe to 2e: Twice-Exceptional Newsletter at group rates. Tell us the size of your group and we'll offer you a per-reader rate substantially less than individual subscription rates.

KEEP UP TO DATE. If you'd like to know when we post items on our blog at <a href="http://www.2enewsletter.com/topic\_news\_blog.html">http://www.2enewsletter.com/topic\_news\_blog.html</a>, follow us on Twitter at @2enewsletter

# SPOTLIGHT ON 2E SERIES

http://www.2enewsletter.com/topic\_store\_spotlight\_details.html

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# **NEWS FROM GERRIC**





## A Nation Deceived Panel

A special event upcoming on Tuesday 15 January 2013 1:30pm - 4:00pm. GERRIC has the pleasure of hosting a panel on A Nation Deceived: How Schools Hold Back America's Brightest Students, The Templeton National Report on Acceleration. This report was written in 2004 by Professor Nicholas Colangelo, Professor Susan G. Assouline, from the Belin Blank Center at the University of Iowa, and the Director of GERRIC, Emeritus Professor Miraca Gross, all of whom will be on the panel.

A Nation Deceived highlights disparities between the research on acceleration and the educational beliefs and practices that often run contrary to the research.

http://gerric.arts.unsw.edu.au/news-events/a-nation-deceived-panel-1869.html

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## The Certificate of Gifted Education

http://gerric.arts.unsw.edu.au/for-educators/coge/

Face to face in Sydney or Online 2013

Applications Now Open! (PDF) (3 Mb)

http://gerric.arts.unsw.edu.au/media/File/COGE\_2013\_Brochure\_.pdf

Master classes

http://gerric.arts.unsw.edu.au/for-educators/master-class/

Student Programs 2013

http://gerric.arts.unsw.edu.au/for-gifted-students/

# SOME INTERESTING WEBSITES

IGGY The International Gateway for Gifted Youth – in depth review by Gifted Phoenix Tim Dracup

http://giftedphoenix.wordpress.com/2012/12/19/iggy-the-international-gateway-forgifted-youth/

Fine Focus webinar Characteristics of 2E students Part 1

http://johart1.edublogs.org/2012/11/28/edublogs-webinar-overview-characteristics-of-2e-students-part-1/

Fine Focus webinar Characteristics of 2E students Part 2

http://johart1.edublogs.org/2012/12/17/edublogs-webinar-overview-characteristics-of-2e-students-part-2/

Australian Writers Centre Melbourne

http://www.writerscentre.com.au/melbourne

Self publishing stumbling blocks and 27 Tools to Get You Back on Your Feet <a href="http://www.blogworld.com/2012/11/19/self-publishing-stumbling-blocks-and-27-tools-to-get-you-back-on-your-">http://www.blogworld.com/2012/11/19/self-publishing-stumbling-blocks-and-27-tools-to-get-you-back-on-your-</a>

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**Educational Jargon Generator** 

http://www.sciencegeek.net/lingo.html

SCoPe seminars

http://scope.bccampus.ca/course/view.php?id=8

Byrdseed gifted Presentations

http://www.byrdseed.com/iag2012/

The Age Australia's disaster in education

http://m.theage.com.au/national/education/australias-disaster-in-education-20121211-2b7y8.html

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http://gallantlab.org/semanticmovies/

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http://www.facebook.com/#!/MrsFrenchsGiftedTalentedPage?notif\_t=fbpage\_fan\_inv\_ite

NYC Dept of Education

Educator resources Classroom Resources for Gifted/Talented & Enrichment http://schools.nyc.gov/Academics/GiftedandTalented/EducatorResources/default.htm

**Book Excerpt** 

Teaching Gifted Kids in the Regular Classroom by Susan Winebrenner http://www.freespirit.com/files/other/Teaching.Gifted.Kids.excerpt.pdf

TeachThought 50 resources

http://www.teachthought.com/learning/50-resources-for-the-parents-and-teachers-of-gifted-and-talented-students/

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# **Book Librarian Plus**

http://www.turbosystems.com/blw31.htm

# Kids Like Us

Courses for teachers and parents

http://www.kidslikeus.org.au/schools-section-of-kids-like-us/professional-development-courses

# Brilliant Chaos 2013 Creating Challenge

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http://www.artisanofcreativemiracles.com

The Concerns-Based Adoption Model (CBAM): A Model for Change in Individuals <a href="http://www.nas.edu/rise/backg4a.htm">http://www.nas.edu/rise/backg4a.htm</a>

# Technology acceptance model

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Technology\_acceptance\_model

# **CBAM Tools and Training**

http://www.sedl.org/cbam/

## **ERN Webinars**

http://www.ernweb.com/public/Become\_a\_networked\_educator.cfm

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# ACMI AUSTRALIAN CENTRE FOR THE MOVING IMAGE Creative workshops <a href="http://www.acmi.net.au/creative-workshops.htm">http://www.acmi.net.au/creative-workshops.htm</a>

# AUSTRALIAN INSTITUTE OF SPORT Holiday Programs

http://www.ausport.gov.au/ais/visit/swimfit/holiday/svp

#### **AUSTRALIAN MUSEUM SYDNEY**

http://www.australianmuseum.net.au/

**Holiday Programs** 

http://www.australianmuseum.net.au/event/January-Holidays

## **BOOKS ILLUSTRATED**

http://www.booksillustrated.com.au/bi\_workshops.php

# **BUBBLE DOME EDUCATION**

http://www.bubbledome.co.nz/workshop-sign-up

#### CHIP

www.chip.edu.au

#### THE POWER OF CHIP HOLIDAY PROGRAM

http://www.chip.edu.au/storage/Summer%202013%20HP.pdf Venue Clifton Hill Primary School (Enter via Page St) Phone 0448 880 331 Fax 9744 7140 Email office@chip.edu.au

# CSIRO EDUCATION VICTORIA CSIRO Double Helix Holiday Programs For details see

http://www.csiro.au/Portals/Education/Programs/Double-Helix-Science-Club/Helix-events/VIC-Holiday-Programs.aspx

#### **EXTEND SCHOOL HOLIDAY PROGRAMS**

For full details see Holiday programs

http://extend.com.au/programs/school-holiday-programs/

## **GASWORKS ARTS PARK**

http://www.gasworks.org.au/ School holiday programs

#### **G.A.T.E.WAYS**

Full details of programs can be found on the G.A.T.E.WAYS website

http://www.gateways.edu.au/

PO Box 207, Blackburn VIC 3130 Australia Phone 03 9894 2116 Fax 03 9894 2117

Email info@gateways.edu.au

# IMMIGRATION MUSEUM

What's On Exhibitions

http://museumvictoria.com.au/immigrationmuseum/whatson/

**Phone:** 03 9927 2700 **Fax:** 03 9927 2728

Web: http://immigration.museum.vic.gov.au/

## **MELBOURNE AQUARIUM**

http://www.melbourneaguarium.com.au/

http://www.melbourneaquarium.com.au/education/self-quided-programs/school-holidays

# **MELBOURNE MUSEUM**

http://www.melbourne.museum.vic.gov.au/

#### **MELBOURNE PLANETARIUM**

http://museumvictoria.com.au/planetarium/

## MONASH SCIENCE CENTRE

For full details of the science programs provided by Monash Science Centre see <a href="http://www.sci.monash.edu.au/msc/">http://www.sci.monash.edu.au/msc/</a>

For details of holiday programs see

http://sciencecentre.monash.edu/shp/index.html

http://sciencecentre.monash.edu/shp/shpjan13.pdf

## **NATIONAL GALLERY OF VICTORIA**

http://www.ngv.vic.gov.au/ngvkids/

# NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF DRAMATIC ART (NIDA) SHORT COURSES

http://www.nida.edu.au/SHORT-COURSES/default.aspx

#### **Youth courses Sydney Summer**

http://www.nida.edu.au/ABOUT-SUMMER-YOUTH-PROGRAM/default.aspx

# **Brisbane and Melbourne Courses**

http://www.nida.edu.au/NidaCustomisation/CourseList.aspx?TYP=393

#### **PARKS VICTORIA**

http://parkweb.vic.gov.au/explore

#### **Holiday Discovery Programs**

http://parkweb.vic.gov.au/learning-and-discovery/family-activities

#### **POWERHOUSE MUSEUM SYDNEY**

**School Holiday Program** 

http://play.powerhousemuseum.com/whatson/school\_holidays.php

#### **QUEST LIFELEARNING FOUNDATION**

http://www.questlife.com.au/pages/extension.php

#### **RSPCA Holiday Program**

http://www.rspcavic.org/services/education/school-holiday-program

#### **SCIENCEWORKS MUSEUM**

http://www.scienceworks.museum.vic.gov.au/

## SUE WEATHERILL Helpn-Oz Horse Programs Holiday Program

http://www.facebook.com/pages/Helpn-Oz-Horse-Programs-for-the-Community/165217303502821?ref=hl

# **THE ART FACTORY School Holiday Programs**

http://theartfactory.com.au/holiday-workshops

# **ZOO & SANCTUARY Programs**

Zoo Adventures Holiday programs

http://www.zoo.org.au/

http://www.zoo.org.au/education/school-holidays-and-camps

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