

Effective Teachers

Day 1 ■ Wednesday, April 25th

Measures of Effective Teaching ■ Longfellow West 12:30-1:15pm

- Thomas Kane, Professor of Education & Economics, Harvard Graduate School of Education, Cambridge
...with an introduction by Jenai Emmel, STC Boston RC Co-Chair

Developing Teachers ■ Longfellow West 1:20-2:30pm

- Roxbury Preparatory Charter School, Boston
- Brooke Charter Schools Network, Boston

Master Teacher Awards & Effective Practice Presentations ■ Longfellow West 2:40-4:15pm

- Presented by Schools That Can Boston

Training with Take-Home Value for Building Capacity 4:30-5:15pm

A. Mobilizing Families ■ Longfellow West

- Karen Kalish, Founder, The Teacher Home Visit Program, St. Louis
...with an introduction by Susan Work, President, Holy Family School, Chicago

B. Changing the Way We Think About Tutoring ■ Longfellow East

- Alan Safran, President, MATCH Tutors, Boston
...with an introduction by Will Austin, COO, Uncommon Schools, Boston

Opening Reception with Cash Bar ■ Rooftop 6:15-8:00pm

I. Introduction of Schools That Can Boston Regional Council Co-Chair

- Jenai Emmel, Ryan Oliver, Elizabeth Trongone

II. Schools That Can Boston Welcome and Remarks by Forum Chairs

- John Finley, Head of School, Epiphany School, Boston
- Kevin Andrews, Headmaster, Neighborhood House Charter School, Boston

III. Keynote Speaker

- De'Shawn Wright, Deputy Mayor for Education, Washington, DC

Networking and Independent Dinner 8:00pm

- Suggested local restaurant list located in hotel lobby.

Effective Schools and Leadership

Day 2 ■ Thursday, April 26th

Complimentary Breakfast ■ Atrium 7:00am

Study Tours in Nationally Acclaimed STC Boston Schools 7:30-10:30am

- Off-site. Bus assignment located on name badge.
 - * Neighborhood House Charter School * Urban Science Academy * Epiphany School
 - * Boston Collegiate Charter School * Academy of the Pacific Rim

Lunch and Keynote ■ Atrium/Charles River: Complimentary lunch provided. 11:30-1:15pm

- Clayton M. Christensen, Professor, Harvard Business School; Author, *Disrupting Class* and *The Innovator's Dilemma*
- Moderator: Adi Ignatius, Editor-in-Chief, *Harvard Business Review*
...with an introduction by Elizabeth Trongone, STC Boston Regional Council Co-Chair

Conversations

1:25-2:55pm

A. Assessments: The Present and the Future ■ Eliot

- Moderator/Speaker: John Maycock, Founder and Chief Growth Officer, The Achievement Network, Boston
- Cheryl Collins, Principal, Holy Family School, Chicago
- Charlie Schlegel, School Director, Challenge Foundation Academy, Indianapolis
- Vasilios Scoumis, CEO, Manchester Academic Charter School, Pittsburgh
- Dr. Irene Hall, Co-Founder and Co-Leader, Discovery Charter School, Newark

B. Turnaround and Transformation: from Policy to Reality ■ Longfellow West

- Moderator: Jennifer L. Husbands, Director, AUSL Institute, STC Regional Council Co-Chair, Chicago
- Robert Rauh, Principal, Milwaukee College Prep, Milwaukee
- Lars Beck, CEO, Young Scholars Charter School, Philadelphia
- Nicole Gittens, Headmaster, Urban Science Academy, Boston
- Seth Andrew, Founder and Superintendent, Democracy Prep, New York
- Marcus Robinson, Principal & CEO, Charles A. Tindley Accelerated School, Indianapolis

C. Unique Practices and Models in Our Network ■ Longfellow East

- Jennifer Niles, Head of School, E.L. Haynes Charter School, Washington, DC
 - Allison Slade, Principal, Namaste Charter School, Chicago
 - Ralph Bland, Superintendent, Detroit Edison Public School Academy, Detroit
 - Eric Westendorf, Co-Founder, Learn Zillion, Washington DC
- ...with an introduction by Maria Paradiso, Head of School, Link Community School, Newark

Growing Seats of Quality Education at Scale ■ Charles River

3:05-4:05pm

- Dr. John B. King, Jr., New York State Commissioner of Education and President of the University of the State of New York
 - Paul Reville, Massachusetts Secretary of Education
 - Moderator: Owen Stearns, Founding Board Chair, Excel Academy, Boston
- ...with an intro by Kevin Andrews, Headmaster, Neighborhood House Charter School, Boston

Trainings

4:15-5:15pm

A. Skills for Turnaround Leadership ■ Eliot

- John D' Auria, President of Teachers, Teachers 21, Boston
- Corri Tate Ravare, Executive Director, Families That Can, Los Angeles

B. A Problem-Solving Technique for Schools and Leaders ■ Longfellow East

- Nate Brown, Program Officer, The Gates Foundation, Washington DC
- Jenai Emmel, Director of Regional Council Development, STC Boston RC Co-Chair

Networking and Cash Bar ■ Foyer

5:15-6:15pm

Strengthen relationships with STC schools in Boston and across the US.

Special Guest ■ Longfellow East/West

6:15-6:30pm

- Joseph P. Kennedy, III, Candidate for US Congress

Annual Dinner and School Recognition Ceremony ■ Longfellow East/West

6:30-8:15pm

Honor new STC member and partner network schools. Celebrate the STC schools expanding quality for low-income students. Recognize the STC Regional Council of the Year.

Featured Entertainment and Networking ■ Foyer/Longfellow West

8:15-9:15pm

Delight in the virtuosic antics of eight piece Dixieland jazz band The Ancient Mariners featuring drums by Ned Schuller, a founding teacher of STC member Epiphany School. Bring your dancing shoes.

Complimentary Breakfast ■ Atrium 7:00am

A Special Presentation by Schools That Can ■ Charles River 7:30-8:45am

Keynote Speaker ■ Charles River 8:45-9:10am

- Dr. Carol R. Johnson, Superintendent, Boston Public Schools
...with an introduction by Jenai Emmel, STC Boston Regional Council Co-Chair

Workshops 9:20-10:50a

A. Expanding Learning Time ■ Eliot

- Moderator: Chris Gabrieli, Co-Founder & Chairman, Massachusetts 2020, Cambridge
- John Finley, Head of School, Epiphany School, Boston
- Dr. Naomi Johnson Booker, CEO, Global Leadership Academy, Philadelphia
- Leo Flanagan, Principal, Clarence Edwards Middle School, Boston
- Michelle Molitor, Principal, Early Childhood Program, E.L. Haynes Charter School, Washington DC

B. College and Career Readiness Models ■ Longfellow West

- Moderator: Emily Smalley, Director of Development, Cristo Rey High School, Boston
- Jeff Theilman, President, Cristo Rey High School, Boston
- Shannah Varon, Executive Director, Boston Collegiate Charter School, Boston
- Mary Ann Vogel, Principal, Saint Martin de Porres High School, Cleveland
- Henry Tyson, Superintendent, St. Marcus Lutheran School, Milwaukee
- Rick Wertheimer, Co-Founder, CEO, and Principal, City Charter High School, Pittsburgh
...with an introduction by Brandy Boeckeler, Bruce-Guadalupe School, Milwaukee

C. Creating Cultures of Learning ■ Longfellow East

- Moderator: Jenny Lloyd, The Leader in Me, Franklin Covey, Boston
- Sue Thompson, Executive Director, Academy of the Pacific Rim, Boston
- Jurate Krokys, CEO, Independence Charter School, Philadelphia
- Fr. Edwin D. Leahy, Headmaster, St. Benedict's Preparatory, Newark
- Machion Jackson, Detroit Edison Public School Academy (DEPSA), Detroit
- Sala Sims, Chief Academic Officer, Catalyst Schools, Chicago
...with an introduction by Tom Gill, Director of Development, Urban Community School, Cleveland

Success in Schools: A Conversation ■ Charles River 11:00-12:00pm

- Rick Hess, Resident Scholar and Director of Education Policy, American Enterprise Institute; Columnist, *Rick Hess Straight Up*, Education Week, Washington DC
- Paul Peterson, Director, Program on Education Policy and Governance and Henry Lee Shattuck Professor of Government, Harvard University; Editor-in-Chief, *Education Next*, Cambridge
- Leslie Hiner, Vice President of Programs and State Relations, The Friedman Foundation for Educational Choice, Indianapolis

Closing Comments and Announcement of STC 2013 Forum Host City ■ Charles River 12:00-12:15pm

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Using Twitter, Schools That Can has begun a vigorous campaign to increase public awareness of its collaborating schools and their remarkable impact on the lives of children in low-income areas.

In order for the campaign to be successful, STC needs your help. Send us a tweet @SchoolsThatCan and share your experiences with us and your followers. Join the conversation that will benefit every participant at the Forum and spread to communities nationwide.

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1. Follow @SchoolsThatCan
2. Tweet your arrival to the STC Forum. For example:
 - "I just arrived to the @SchoolsThatCan Forum. I'm excited to see Thomas Kane's presentation on effective teachers."
3. Continue to tweet your experiences, reactions, and comments to the Forum.
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