

# Programme for Third Atlantic Rim Collaboratory Summit.

Westin Bonaventure Hotel

Los Angeles, California

September 8-11, 2018.

## Objectives

1. Share progress since last year and identify challenges that we are still wrestling with.
2. Provide and receive peer feedback on core concerns from ARC partners,
3. Make the most of the unique opportunities that can come from visiting the large and diverse education system of California
4. Engage with strategic issues and challenges of relevance to ARC partners
5. Develop the work and impact of the Collaboratory over the coming years.

## Issues for discussion at this year's summit

### a) The equity, wellbeing and inclusion agenda.

How do we create a culture that is supportive and inclusive for all our students? How can we achieve greater fairness in outcomes? How can we demonstrate impact and progress? How do we enable and empower all young people to develop lives that have meaning and purpose. How can we support our schools to be even better at helping students to have a sense of belonging? How do we understand and explain a transparent connection between these three issues (equity, well-being and inclusion) and student learning.

### b) Leading change for the future.

As the workforce changes and even the nature of schools as institutions changes, what are the implications for how we lead our systems? How do we make sure that education is relevant and at the core of what students need for the future? To what extent might technology including artificial intelligence, virtual reality have both positive and negative implications for the nature of our classrooms, our schools and our education systems? To what extent will learning and schools become more local and to what extent will they become more international? How can we as leaders best model what we will need from our teachers and our students?

### c) The challenges and opportunities of re-thinking the relationship between central and local control in school systems.

What is the role of the state in working with schools and teachers? What is best done at national/state level, at regional/district level and at school level? How can we make school to school collaboration effective and also engage families and communities more effectively?

**Saturday 8 September**

**Education in California**

15:30 Introductions, agenda, walkthrough for the day

16.00 What is the California Way?

16.30 Panel: What does good collaboration look like?

17.00 Refreshments

17.15 Breakout sessions

18.45 Break

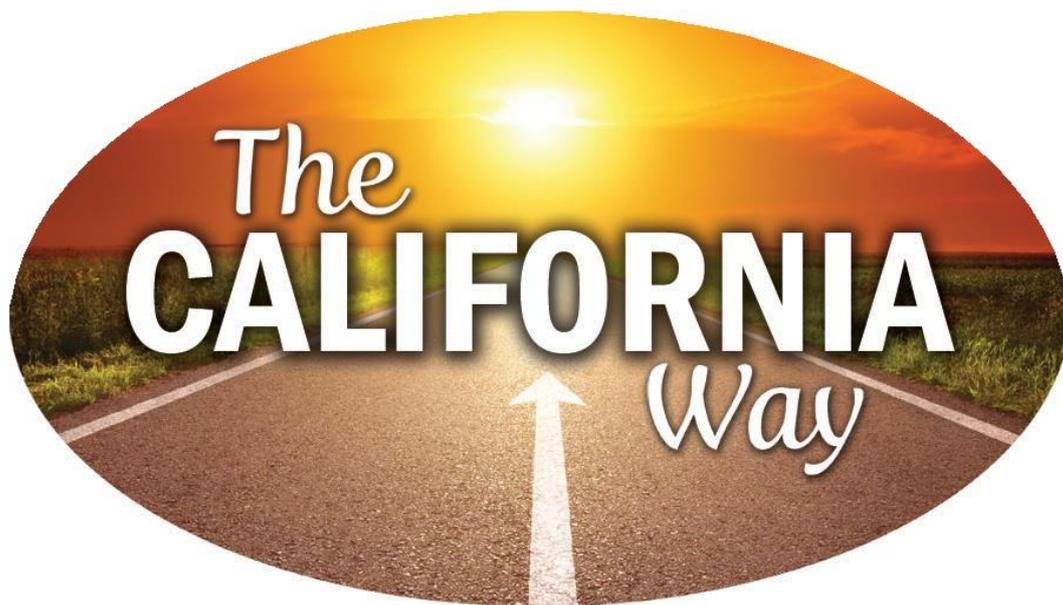
18.55 Dinner

19.30 Panel Discussion

Topic: Development of integrated state-wide system of support and local systems serving the whole child from cradle to career

20.00 Closing thoughts

2015 End.



## Sunday 9 September

- 08.30 Introductions. Ground rules, protocols, and programme. Steve Munby
- 08.45 Welcome from Tom Torlakson
- 09.00 Andy Hargreaves. The challenges and opportunities.  
Setting the scene for the summit.
- 09.30 Reflection.
- 09.40 **Plenary. How are we doing and what issues are we wrestling with?**  
Each system to bring one photograph to demonstrate the progress their system has made since last year and one photograph to convey a big challenge that they still face. Each system will get 2 minutes to explain each photograph and then the other systems can ask questions and raise strategic issues.
- 10.10 Refreshments
- 10.40 Plenary session continued.
- 12.15 Plenary. What are we learning about the leadership of change across a system?
- 12.45 Lunch
- 13.30 Planning for the future - Challenging our thinking:  
Sir Ken Robinson
- 14.00 Reflection
- 14.10 Planning for the future- Building our practice.  
Amanda Datnow
- 14.40 Reflection.
- 14.50 Refreshments
- 15.15 Cross-system group discussion, linked to roles.
- 16.00 Plenary. What is required of us as system leaders in planning and leading for the future?
- 16.30 Break
- 16.45 ARC Talks – 10 minute talks to camera by:  
Sir Ken Robinson, Pasi Sahlberg, Amanda Datnow, Andy Hargreaves.
- 17.30 End
- 19.30 Social Event

## Monday 10 September

- 08.30 The way forward for ARC and how we work together in the future.  
Andy Hargreaves and Yngve Lindvig followed by discussion.
- 9.45 Refreshments
- 10.15 Summarising issues from day one and setting the agenda for day two.
- 10.30 The California Way. (Fishbowl activity). Steve to interview California system leaders (and possibly Linda Darling-Hammond).
- 11.00 Plenary discussion on issues raised from The California Way.
- 11.45 Within-system groups. Reflecting on our learning. Discussing next steps for our system. Agreeing on our unsolved problem for the afternoon discussion.
- 12.30 Lunch
- 13.30 System-to-system consultancy.
- 15.15 What are we learning? Panning for gold. Summarising outcomes and action points from the summit.
- 15.45 Review and closing remarks.
- 16.00 Close

## Tuesday 11 September

School visits. Schedule to be provided.