# International Baccalaureate Asia Pacific TEACHERS' CONVENTION 2007

31 March - 2 April 2007

# Information Literacy Across the IB Programmes

Grand Copthorne Waterfront Hotel Singapore



#### Anita Dosaj

Business consultant/coach, keynote speaker, facilitator, and trainer with over 15 years of experience in corporate and educational settings; past associate of Thornburg Center for Professional Development, Director of the InfoSavvy Group, an international educational consulting group.



#### lan Jukes

As a registered educational evangelist, his self-avowed mission in life is to ensure that children are properly prepared for the future rather than society's past. As a result, his material tends to focus on many of the pragmatic issues that provide the essential context for educational restructuring.

"one of the top ten educational speakers in America." **Consulting Magazine Online** 



#### Stephen Heppel

"Europe's leading online education guru" **Guardian 2004** 

"the most influential academic of recent years in the field of technology and education" Department for Education and Skills (DfES), UK, 2006



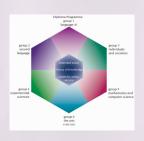
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# **What To Expect:**

An opportunity to explore the essential educational issues related to developing fluency in the language of global information i.e. Information Literacy and Digital Intelligence. Participants will learn about the challenges and benefits in IB schools in implementing effective information literacy strategies across the curriculum and the role of current and future ITC innovations in curriculum delivery.

#### **Who Should Attend**

This convention will raise the issues and also incorporate practical sessions designed to address the relevant needs of IB administrators, programme coordinators, media and library specialists, and teachers across the Primary Years, Middle Years and Diploma Programmes in implementing effective information literacy strategies.

# **Find The Right Answers**

The 2007 Teachers Convention is designed to provide participants with three different ways to explore the theme of "Information Literacy Across the Programmes":

- 1. <u>Plenary Sessions</u> during which respected keynote speakers and stakeholders will introduce the fundamental challenges which schools face in regard to information literacy and education.
- 2. <u>Breakout Sessions</u> organized according to 5 distinct strands throughout the programme. Participants will be able to tailor the programme to their specific needs; they can concentrate upon one strand of Information Literacy throughout the convention, or they may crossover to explore a variety of strands, as they wish.)
  - Strand 1: Library / Resource Centre Management
  - Strand 2: E-Communities
  - Strand 3: Applied Technology in Instruction and Assessment
  - Strand 4: Developing Multi-modal Literacies
  - Strand 5: The Learner Profile and Information Inquiry
- 3. **Forum Sessions** allowing participants to:
  - Focus upon one of the above-mentioned strands
  - Discuss the associated challenges in a round-table setting, and
  - Compose recommendations for schools and the IBO regarding how to best meet these challenges.

Some presentation topics are yet to be confirmed, but the following table identifies the speakers and sessions that will be featured under the strand topics so far.







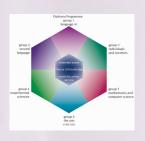


STRAND 1: LIBRARY/RESOURCE CENTRE MANAGEMENT				
TOPIC	AUDIENCE	PRESENTER(S)		
A Teacher Librarian Advocate's Guide to Building Information Literate School Communities (TBC)	ALL	Karen Bonanno [Director, KB Enterprises Pty Ltd, Australia]		
Visions of Learning (TBC)	ALL	Karen Bonanno [Director, KB Enterprises Pty Ltd, Australia]		
A Perfect Match: Library 2.0 in Support of IB Framework of Learning	PYP	Dana Dukic [Librarian; Kowloon Junior School, Hong Kong]		
What IS the role of the library in PYP? - the story so far	ALL	Ingrid Skirrow / Yvonne Barrett [Teacher; Vienna International School, Austria / Librarian; Australian International School, Singapore]		
IB Diploma - Extended Essay Library Program	DP	Jane Viner [Teacher Librarian; Methodist Ladies' College, Australia]		
Re-inventing the Role of the Teacher Librarian: The New TL Toolkit	MYP	Gary Green [Director of Library Information Services; Presbyterian Ladies' College, Australia]		
Strand 2: E-Communities				
The Online World of the Digital Native: Its Use and Misuse	ALL	Robyn Treyvaud [PYP Workshop Leader, Senior Consultant - Centre for Strategic Education, Australia]		
The power of protected ALL learning communities for young children: Super-Clubs PLUS		Robyn Treyvaud [PYP Workshop Leader, Senior Consultant - Centre for Strategic Education, Australia]		
Any time, any place: Using an online learning platform to enhance a school-based mother tongue maintenance programme	ALL	Madoka Rei / Jacques-Olivier Perche [Japanese Language Teacher / Language Centre Coordinator; ESF Language Centre, Hong Kong]		
Integrating Class Management, Curriculum Development and Electronic Portfolios	ALL	Karen Moffat / Justin Hardman / David Elliott [Associate Principal for Academics, Technology Coordinator; South Island School, Hong Kong / myDragonNet Project Manager]		









Virtual Learning Environments in IB schools – Potential, Possibilities and Pitfalls	ALL	Konrad Konlechner [ICT Teacher; Auckland International College, New Zealand]
Information Literacy Across the IB Programmes	ALL	Lee Davis [Head of Online Professional Learning; International Baccalaureate Organisation, Cardiff]
The E-Community Learning Platform: One School's Journey. (Title to be confirmed)	ALL	Paul White [Technology Director, New International School of Thailand, Thailand]
How a Learning Platform can be used to support and enhance the IB learner	ALL	Peter Woodhead / Gilbert Halcrow [ICT Advisor / Head of Technical, Media and Assemblies; English Schools Foundation - King George V School, Hong Kong]

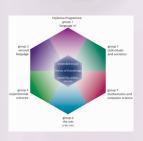
# STRAND 3: APPLIED TECHNOLOGY IN INSTRUCTION AND ASSESSMENT

Digital Tools for Digital Learners	ALL	Fish Sun / Matt MacInnis [Business Development Manager, Asia Education, Apple Computer, Inc., China]	
Weaving Web 2.0 into classroom practice – what's the current state of play?	ALL	Lee Davis / Paul Fairbrother [Head of Online Professional Learning / Learning Technologies Manager; International Baccalaureate Organisation, Cardiff]	
Diploma Programme Online – Opportunities and Challenges	DP	Paul Fairbrother [Learning Technologies Manager; International Baccalaureate Organisation, Cardiff]	
Digital Heretics or Voices of Reason? A seminar examining some dissenting views on the use of ICT in education	ALL	Kevin Whitmore [Technology Teacher; Osaka International School, Japan]	
Think.com - A Global Online Learning Community	PYP	Glory Goh Hwee Chiew [Primary ICT Teacher; Suzhou Singapore International School, China]	
Moodle Workshop	ALL	Richard Jones[Head of ICT; Dulwich College, China]	
Managing Learning Online	ALL	Richard Jones / Graeme Salt [Head of ICT; Dulwich College, China]	









STRAND 4: DEVELOPING MULTI-MODAL LITERACIES				
Topic(s) to be determined	ALL	Anita Dosaj – Keynote Speaker		
Topic(s) to be determined	ALL	Ian Jukes – Keynote Speaker		
Topic(s) to be determined	ALL	Stephen Heppel – Keynote Speaker		
Bridging the Gap Between How Students Live and How They Learn	ALL	Robyn Treyvaud / Martyn Wild [PYP Workshop Leader, Senior Consultant - Centre for Strategic Education, Australia / Director; Intuitive Media, Australia]		
Designing ICT & Media programmes integrating information literacy and learning skills for K-12 School Library Media Centre	ALL	Yumiko Kasai [Assistant Professor; Tamagawa University, Japan]		
A workshop concerning the use of mutli-modality to support and enhance discovery learning	MYP	Doug Dickinson [Independent ICT in Education Consultant; University of Leicester, England]		
Information Literacy in the PYP	PYP	Catherine B. DeLavey [IT Teacher and Librarian; International School Dhaka, Bangladesh]		
STRAND 5: THE LEARNER PROFILE AND INFORMATION INQUIRY				
Lean In! The road to information literacy rarely runs straight	MYP	Martin Leicht / John McBryde / Julian Edwards [Director of IT / Director / Assistant Elementary Principal; Western Academy of Beijing, China]		
Academic Honesty in Schools – One School's Experience	ALL	Cathy Hill / Antony Mayhofer / Robyne Lovelock [Head of Library / Head of Information Science K-12; St Paul's Grammar School / ALDIS Associates (Turnitin), Australia]		









The Intersection of Information Seeking Models in the Research Process: Scaffolding and support in the longitudinal development of the IB Learner Profile	ALL	Cathy Hill, Yvonne Hammer [Head of Gifted and Independent Learning K-12, Head of Library and Information Science K-12 St Paul's Grammar School, Australia]
The use of e-learning to promote critical thinking across the IB Diploma, with reference to Theory of Knowledge and Foundation IB Diploma Courses	DP	Chris White, Gabriel Abad [Head of Philosophy, Head of TOK; United World College (SEA), Singapore]
Areas of Interaction: using a continuum to promote development	MYP	Keith Anderson / Kim Edwards [Deputy Principals, Teaching and Learning; Presbyterian Ladies' College, Australia]
Teaching & Learning in the 21st Century	MYP	Keith Anderson / Kim Edwards [Deputy Principals, Teaching and Learning; Presbyterian Ladies' College, Australia
Blogs, Podcasts, Forums & Wiki's - Developing Inquiry Through Collaborative E- Communities	ALL	Sheldon Bradshaw [Elementary Digital Literacy Coord/Teacher, MS-SS Learning Technologies Coord/Teacher; Western Academy of Beijing, China]
Framing Acceptable Technology Use Through the Learner Profile	ALL	Sheldon Bradshaw [Elementary Digital Literacy Coord/Teacher, MS-SS Learning Technologies Coord/Teacher; Western Academy of Beijing, China]
ICT Changing Teaching and Learning Through the Learner Profile	ALL	Mary Arnold / Veronica Sullivan [Inquiry Based Learning Coordinator / Assistant Principal; Bellevue Heights Primary School, Australia]



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# **PROGRAMME-AT-A-GLANCE\***

#### FRIDAY, 30 MARCH

1200 – 1800 hrs	Registrations
1800 – 2000 hrs	Welcome Cocktails

#### SATURDAY, 31 MARCH

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0830 – 0900 hrs	Welcome Address
0900 – 1000 hrs	Plenary 1
1000 – 1030 hrs	Break
1030 – 1100 hrs	Students' Voices
1100 – 1200 hrs	Industry Presentations:
	Ministry of Education, Singapore; Apple Computers
1200 – 1300 hrs	Lunch
1300 – 1415 hrs	Session 1 - Focused Workshops and Presentations
1430 – 1545 hrs	Session 2 - Focused Workshops and Presentations
1545 – 1615 hrs	Break
1615 – 1730 hrs	Strands 1 - Roundtable
1830 – 2000 hrs	Social Tour

#### SUNDAY, 1 APRIL

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0	830 – 0930 hrs	Plenary 2
0	930 – 1015 hrs	Plenary 3
1	015 – 1045 hrs	Break
1	045 – 1200 hrs	Session 3 - Focused Workshops and Presentations
1	200 – 1300 hrs	Lunch
1	300 – 1415 hrs	Session 4 - Focused Workshops and Presentations
1	430 – 1545 hrs	Session 5 - Focused Workshops and Presentations
1	545 – 1615 hrs	Break
1	615 – 1730 hrs	Strands 2 - Roundtable
1	830 – 1900 hrs	Gala Pre-Dinner Drinks
1	900 – 2200 hrs	Gala Dinner

#### **MONDAY, 2 APRIL**

0900 – 1000 hrs	Plenary 4
1000 – 1030 hrs	Break
1030 – 1145 hrs	Strands 3 - Roundtable
1200 – 1245 hrs	Plenary 5
1245 – 1400 hrs	Farewell Lunch

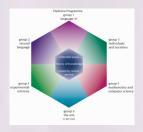
<sup>\*</sup> Schedule is subject to change. Please visit <a href="www.ibo.org/ibap/conference">www.ibo.org/ibap/conference</a> for details.

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## **REGISTRATION INSTRUCTIONS**

**IMPORTANT!** Please read this information before completing online registration.

#### **Online Registrations only**

√ Payment by credit card online: instant confirmation

(As some countries, such as China, are limited by the credit card payment gateway, please choose "telegraphic transfer/bank draft" if the credit card payment option fails)

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If you have not received email confirmation <u>after</u> 2 weeks, please contact ibapevents@ibo.org.

#### **Registration Information**

- Registrations will not be processed without complete payment information. Badges will not be issued without full payment of registration fees <u>before the</u> <u>event</u>.
- 2) Badges and Visa Invitation Letters are issued according to the registration details. Please ensure that the names, schools and email address given are accurate.
- 3) It is not possible to make changes to your already existing registration on the Web. Please plan your itinerary with care before registration online.
- 4) The Early Bird rates apply only when payment is received within the Early Bird deadline. Once the Early Bird deadline is over, the rates will automatically revert to the regular rates.

#### **Cancellations**

All cancellations will be subject to a US\$80 processing fee. All cancellations must be received in writing via email by **28 February 2007**. No refunds will be processed after this date. All refunds prior to **28 February 2007** will be processed after the Convention in accordance with the standard IBAP policy.

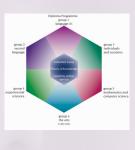
After **28 February 2007**, substitutions will be allowed in the event if the registrant is unable to attend, but no refunds will be issued.

This policy applies also in cases where visas are not granted.



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<u>Making Payments to IBAP</u> (for those who have opted for Telegraphic Transfer or Bank Draft only):

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Name: International Baccalaureate Organization
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#### **Payment by Bank Draft**

Bank Drafts should be made payable to: ""International Baccalaureate Organization"" and mailed to the IBAP Regional Office (see address below). Please include an extra USD25 for bank charges.

#### **Important Information:**

- Please inform your bank that all <u>bank charges are to be met in advance and that the IBO must receive the Convention Fee in FULL</u>. Incomplete Telegraphic Transfer amount will result in a delay in finalizing your registration.
- In order for us to record and process your payment correctly, please quote the relevant references on the Bank Transfer Slip or on the back of the Bank Draft:
  - a. Teachers Convention 2007
  - b. Participant name(s)
  - c. School Name



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Early Bird (Registration & Payment by 17 Feb)	Regular Fee (Registration & Payment after 17 Feb)
US\$460	US\$500

**Registration Deadline: 17 March 2007** 

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Hotels	Rates per room per night		Contacts
Grand Copthorne Waterfront (5*)	Superior Room	S\$198 nett	392 Havelock Road Singapore 169633
	Superior Plus Room	S\$238 nett	Tel: (65) 6733 0880 Fax: (65) 6737 8880
	Breakfast	S\$25 nett per person	Email: grandcopthorne@copthorne.com.sg
	Club room	S\$308 nett (inclusive of breakfast and club benefits)	www.grandcopthorne.com.sg
Copthorne King's (4*)	Superior Room	S\$168 nett	403 Havelock Road Singapore 169632
Refurbished on Nov	Superior Plus Room	S\$198 nett	Tel: (65) 6318 3123 / 3130 Fax: (65) 6732 5764
2004, Copthorne King's Hotel is recognized as a Boutique-style Business Hotel along the bustling Robertson Quay.	Breakfast	S\$20 nett per person	Email: Rooms@copthornekings.com.sg  www.copthornekings.com.sg  Located directly opposite the Grand Copthorne Waterfront Hotel

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Taxis from the Changi International Airport to the city where the hotels are located would cost approximately \$\$20 and it takes about 15-20 minutes.



## **SOCIAL TOUR**

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6.00pm Bus from hotel

6.25pm Arrive at Harbour Front Cruise Centre

6.30pm Cruise along Singapore River and surrounding islands

7.00pm Dinner on the Cruise

8.30pm End tour

9.30pm Return to Harbour Front Cruise Centre

10.00pm Back to Hotel

# **GENERAL INFORMATION**

#### Visas

Participants are responsible for meeting visa requirements. Please check visa requirements with your travel agent and/or embassy/consulate in your country of origin **before** registration.

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