CEESA CONFERENCE 2011 BUDAPEST, HUNGARY

18 - 19 MARCH 2011

Budapest, the capital as well as the largest city of Hungary has about 1.7 million inhabitants. The city occupies both banks of the river Danube. Before the unification in 1873 the right bank was named Buda and the left bank was called Pest. It hosts several World Heritage Sites such as the Buda Castle Quarter, Andrássy Avenue, Heroes' Square and The Millennium Underground Railway (the second oldest in the world).



FRIDAY 18 MARCH



International School Services (ISS) sponsored
Keynote Speaker: Thomas Guskey presents "Grading and Reporting
Student Learning: Effective Policies and Practices"

Thomas Guskey, PhD, is professor of educational psychology in the College of Education at the University of Kentucky. A graduate of the University of Chicago, he served as director of research and development for Chicago Public Schools and was the first director of the Center for the Improvement of

Teaching and Learning, a national research center. Dr. Guskey is the author/editor of numerous books and book chapters, articles, and professional papers on educational measurement, evaluation, assessment, and grading. His work has been honored by numerous organizations, and he has been featured on the National Public Radio programs *Talk of the Nation and Morning Edition*.

SATURDAY 19 MARCH



Insurance Services International (ISI) sponsored Keynote Speaker:
Tim Burns presents "Teaching With the Brain in Mind: Integrating Brain,
Mind, and Heart Intelligences for Engaged, Enhanced Learning"

Tim Burns is an educator and author whose background includes over thirty years of experience as high school teacher, counselor, First Offender Program facilitator, adolescent and family drugtreatment program director, university instructor, and professional development specialist. He taught

for four years as a member of the Alcohol and Drug Abuse Studies Institute faculty at the University of New Mexico, while serving as program director at St. Vincent Hospital Family Recovery Center in Santa Fe, New Mexico. Since 1986, he has taught graduate and undergraduate courses for the Division of Extended Studies, Adams State College, Alamosa, Colorado

PRE-CONFERENCES: THURSDAY 17 MARCH

- Fran Prolman "Teaching For Deep Conceptual Understanding: Instructional Strategies that Move Theory into Practice"
 This practical, kinesthetic, research-based institute offers dozens of instructional strategies to move student thinking toward deep conceptual understanding. This institute answers six essential understandings.
- ➤ C.I.S. Accreditation Workshop The Team Visit This institute will be facilitated by Lesley Stagg and it is highly recommended for administrators, teachers and school business managers who wish to be considered for membership of Visiting Teams for the first time as well as for experienced visitors who wish to become familiar with the 8th Edition of the accreditation guide.
- ➤ National Interscholastic Athletic Administrators Association (NIAAA): Leadership Training Courses More information about the facilitator and course description will follow ASAP.

> Habitat for Humanity Build-Day at a site near Budapest

Habitat for Humanity International is an ecumenical Christian organization dedicated to eliminating poverty housing. Active in nearly 100 countries around the globe, Habitat for Humanity invites students, teachers, and people of all ages, faiths and ethnic backgrounds to join the mission. Volunteering with Habitat for Humanity offers a great way to become aware of local poverty housing problems –and to be part of the solution.

In Europe and Central Asia Habitat for Humanity International works in 19 countries, building and repairing houses, offering micro-credit home-improvement loans, improving water and sanitation, working on disaster response and advocating for affordable housing, all with families in need. Since its founding in 1976, Habitat has built over 350,000 houses worldwide, providing simple, decent and affordable shelter to more than 1.75 million people.

INSTITUTES

Margaret Gilhooley "Program Options for the Gifted Student" (4 hours)

"Creative and Critical Thinking Strategies" (4 hours)

Fran Prolman "Student Data and Reflective Practice to Drive Instruction" (3 hours)

"Facilitating Professional Growth: The Teacher as Reflective Practitioner" (3 hours)

Susan Baum & Hank Nicols "Getting Organized! A Matter of Style!" (4 hours)

"The Alphabet Kids: Gifted? LD? ADHD? Asperger Syndrome? And More..." (2 hours) Susan Baum

Hank Nicols "Communicating. So Simple A Cave Man Can Do It? Consider Trying Evolution To Say It Even Better!" (2 hours)

Stephanie Parsons "Re-examining the Role of Guided Reading and Small-Group Instruction" (3 hours)

"Teaching Conventions and Making it Stick" (2 hours)

"Getting Better at Conferring with Readers and Writers" (3 hours)

Fred Wolff "An Introduction to Six Traits Writing" (3 hours)

"Creating Strong Nonfiction Writers" (2 hours)

"Six Trait Lesson Ideas for Use in Classrooms, Grades 3 – 12" (3 hours)

WORKSHOPS

Tim Burns "Energizing Strategies for Engaged Learning"; first part on Friday, second part on Saturday

"It's about Balance: Stress-Hardiness, Resilience and Well-Being for Teachers (and Students Too!)" (2 hours)

Toni Buzzeo "Beyond Sharing the Book: Using Picture Books as Mentor Texts to Engage Students in Effective Reading and

Writing" (2 hours)

"Reader's Theater in the Classroom and Library: Pathway to Increased Fluency and Comprehension" (1 hour) "Collaborating to Meet Standards: Teacher/Librarian Partnerships to Improve Student Achievement" (2 hours)

"Improving Student Learning with Standards and Assessments" (1 hour) **Thomas Guskey**

"Making Evaluation (almost) Stress Free – For Teachers" (1 hour) Alan Leis

> "Evaluation Tools and Techniques for Administrators" (1 hour) "Making Your Work Life Happier and More Productive" (1 hour)

"Deepening Comprehension and Engagement Through Read Aloud" (1 hour) **Stephanie Parsons**

Barry Jo Price & Anna McFadden "You and Mini-You: Managing Your Web Presence" (1 hour)

"GOOGLE is Not Just a Verb!" (1 hour)

"Making your Power Point Lectures Live Forever – Without You There!" (2 hours)

CONFERENCE REGISTRATION FEE: Members: € 350 Non-Members: € 400

PRE CONFERENCE FEE THURSDAY:

Fax: +36 1 486 5005

Habitat for Humanity Build Day: Members: € 125 Non-Members: € 150 Non-Members: Workshops at Hotel: Members: € 100 € 125

HOTEL INFORMATION:

Single room: € 100** per room per night **Budapest Marriott Hotel** Rates:

Double room: € 115** per room per night Apáczai Cs. J.u. 4

H-1052 Budapest, Hungary Rates are including breakfast, VAT and city tax

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