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9TH INSPIRATION FESTIVAL

"CONFERENCE ON SCHOOL EDUCATION"

1st September 2018

RESIDENTIAL WORKSHOP

TRANSFORMATIONAL LEADERSHIP IN EDUCATION

30th Aug - 02nd Sep 2018



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INSPIRATION FESTIVAL 1st Sept.

It is a celebration of inspiration by inspiring people to believe in their potential and passion. We firmly believe in the power of ideas to change attitudes, lives, and ultimately, the world. The Inspiration Festival consist the Inspiring talks delivered by the extraordinary thinkers and achievers to inspire people by sharing real ideas and their real life inspiring journeys, followed by the innovative exhibitions, sublime live music and delicious food. So let your mind mingle in the world of incredible ideas and stay inspired.

The Inspiration Festival will deliver years' worth ideas, insight and inspiration in just one day.

Workshop with Aaron Eden on: Transformational Leadership in Education (30 & 31st August)

The workshop will address the following issues:

What can schools become if they transform?

What are the necessary conditions for transformation?

Who must we be as leaders to hold space for that transformation?

Master educator and facilitator **Aaron Eden** is co-founder of the transformation design consulting firm, Eliad Group. He will lead a one and one half day intensive retreat in which school leaders will dive into these questions, exploring them through co-creation, human centered design, systems mapping, and other generative practices.

Leaders will leave with a clearer sense of what is possible at their schools as well as the critical role of leadership in designing and supporting change.





**Manit Jain,
Director,
The Heritage Group of
Schools, Delhi NCR**

Master's in Education from the Harvard Graduate School of Education. As the Co-founder and Director of The Heritage Group of Schools, Manit championed the cause of experiential learning launching it successfully in the mainstream environment skeptical of this reflective practice. Effectively managed change and brought it to a 'business as usual' position quickly by cascading shared vision within the organization and to the parent community. Continues to advocate and address the need for re-imagining schools anchored to the needs of student success in the 21st century. An empathetic change-maker with a robust investment of practice and perfection in education, Manit continues to found new ventures like 'I am a Teacher', a Post-graduate diploma in learning and teaching that is changing the paradigm of Teaching in India.



**S. Gopalan,
Faculty,
The Valley School**

S Gopalan: S Gopalan is now 66 years old. A graduate in science and a Chartered Accountant, he was fortunate to come into contact with J Krishnamurti in 1980 and in 1983, at the age of 32, he and his wife moved to The Valley School of Krishnamurti Foundation India as teachers and parents in the school. Having taken a conscious and deliberate decision to move from career in industry to a life in education in the Krishnamurti schools quite early in life, Gopalan can attest to the value and usefulness of livelihood, career, interest, a life of contemplation and inquiry and home being all rolled into one inseparable activity and movement. The synergy that follows from living this way is unimaginable and can only be understood by plunging into it. It is then that you understand Krishnamurti's oft repeated statement that teaching is the greatest profession and nothing is impossible for the true educator. Such a living is its own reward.



Prof. M.M Pant, Former Pro Vice Chancellor IGNOU

Prof. M.M. Pant is an internationally renowned expert specialising in pedagogy, technology and the development of tools and curricula for 21st enhance the pedagogy using latest available technologies. He is especially noted for his efforts in leveraging social media for improving learning and bringing the mobile into the classroom where it has been traditionally banned. Prof. Pant's current work and interests revolve around the development, delivery and promotion of educational products, processes and services that cater for the needs and interests of future learners, a framework that is named "Learning 221". His past roles include being the Former Pro-Vice Chancellor, Indira Gandhi National OpenUniversity (IGNOU) and being on the faculty of IIT, Kanpur (the premier engineering institution in India), MLNR Engineering College and Faculty as well as Visiting Professor, University of Western Ontario, Canada. He has been a visiting scientist at European research centres in Italy, England, Germany and Sweden. Prof. Pant is the founder of the LMP Education Trust, an organisation that supports under privileged learners.



Deepti Tiwari, Last School, Auroville, Pondicherry

Deepti has been involved in many diverse activities in this emerging collectivity, but her particular interests lie in two fundamental areas of Auroville's research: education as also the evolution of new forms of organization and governance.

Deepti is the editor of the **Matrimandir Journal**, a regular publication that attempts to explore and analyze the psychological and spiritual meaning, significance and processes of Auroville through its central symbols. She is also part of a research team which is creating educational material that wants to answer to humanity's deeper need for universal values. She has represented Auroville at conferences and workshops both in India and abroad.

Auroville is an experiment based upon the philosophy of Sri Aurobindo and founded by The Mother in February 1968.



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**Aaron Eden,
Co-Founder,
Eliad Group, California**

Aaron Eden is an internationally renowned educator who sees education as critically important if we are to have a sustainable future. He is based in the USA, but comes to us now directly from education projects in Singapore, Thailand, and China as part of three weeks working in Asia. Aaron's focus is on helping schools transform, as he puts it, from "creating robots", to "augmenting humans." Aaron was recently at the Green School in Bali, where he served as Director of Entrepreneurial and Enterprise Programs. There he helped Green School build programs and partnerships that got students working more in the real world and taking charge of their own learning. Aaron has taught and built programs all through the K-12 space, through to graduate schools in universities, and in the corporate sector.



**Sachin Desai,
Founder
University of Life**

founder of University of life: Imagine a school without walls. Sounds too good to be true. The programme is in sync with an innovative methodology that links school education with real life situations. Sachin says, "when I was in school I got opportunity to stay with school dropouts and slow learners and realised that India's huge 70 per cent drop-out rate is because students don't learn skills, division into curriculum and co-curriculum detaches education from actual life". University of Life was also recently featured in Amitabh Bachchan's Show Aaj Ki Raat Hai Zindagi.

Register fast to avoid last minute disappointment

Event	Investment
Inspiration fest (1 st Sept)	₹4500/- per person
Leadership workshop + Inspiration Fest (residential) 30 th Aug- 2 nd Sept	₹45000/- per person

(NOTE: fee is not refundable in case of a cancellation after 1st october)

Benefits on group participation:

1. Invest for 3 members and get 20% discount on total fee
2. Invest for 7 members and get 30% discount on total fee

Registration:

A duly filled registration form along with cheque/demand draft favouring “Mind Mingle Education” payable at New Delhi, should be sent to: Mind Mingle, B-101, Lower Ground Floor, Malviya Nagar, New Delhi 110017.

The participation will be confirmed once the duly filled registration form along with participation fee is received by us

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creative conversations on the future of schools.



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School Name	
City and State	
Number of students	
Head of School	
Mobile Number	
School phone no.	
Email ID (school head)	
Number of participants	
School Email	
Best practice of your school	

(NOTE: please do not forget to attach the list of participants with their Name, Designation, Contact No. and Email ID along with this form)