2017

Keynote Presentation:

**HUMAN LEARNING, MACHINE LEARNING, AND E-LEARNING: CONFLICT OR CONFLUENCE?**

by Professor Thomas C. Reeves, Professor Emeritus of Learning, Design and Technology, College of Education, The University of Georgia, USA

Keynote Presentation:

**RE-DEFINING THE “SMART EVERYTHING” PARADIGM TOWARDS RECONCILING HUMANS AND TECHNOLOGY**

by Dr. Dr. Norbert Streitz (Scientific Director), Smart Future Initiative, Germany

2016

Keynote Presentation:

**SOCIAL AND PSYCHOLOGICAL CHANGES IN THE ICT SOCIETY – ABOUT VISIONS AND WISDOM**

by Gunilla Bradley, Professor Emerita, Royal Institute of Technology (KTH) Stockholm

2015

Keynote Presentation:

**FAIL FAST AND FAIL FORWARD – EMBRACING FAILURE AS A NECESSARY PRECURSOR OF SUCCESS IN THE DELIVERY OF ELEARNING SERVICES**

by Steven Duggan, Director, Worldwide Education Strategy, Microsoft, USA

Keynote Presentation:

**A DIFFERENT PERSPECTIVE ON THE SINGULARITY POINT. HOW IT IS SUBSTITUTING JOBS IN THE SERVICE SECTOR**

by Dr. Jacques Bulchand-Gidumal, Professor of Digital Enterprises and Entrepreneurship, University of Las Palmas de Gran Canaria, Spain
2014

Keynote Presentation:

WE USE. WE CREATE. WE BECOME. WE SUCCEED:
MODELING OUR 21ST CENTURY INFORMATION SOCIETY

Dr. Niki Lambropoulos Wire Communications Laboratory University of Patras, Greece & Global Operations Division, London, UK

2013

Keynote Presentation:

WHAT IS QUALITY OF LIFE IN THE ICT SOCIETY?

by Prof. Gunilla Bradley, Professor Em, Royal Institute of Technology, Sweden

Keynote Presentation:

INNOVATIVE PROBLEM SOLVING FOR SOCIAL APPLICATIONS:
A STRUCTURED APPROACH

by Dr. Valeri Souchkov, ICG Training & Consulting Enschede, The Netherlands

2012

Keynote Presentation:

THE CASE FOR AND AGAINST CROWDSOURCING

by Dr. Irma Borst, Principal Consultant at Logica Consulting and Associate Researcher at RSM Erasmus University, The Netherlands

2011

Keynote Presentation:

RETHINKING LEARNING AND TEACHING IN A DIGITAL AGE

by Professor Gráinne Conole, The Institute of Educational Technology, The Open University, UK
Keynote Presentation:

HOW SOCIAL NETWORK POSITION RELATES TO KNOWLEDGE BUILDING IN ONLINE LEARNING COMMUNITIES

by Professor Lu Wang, Department of Educational Technology, Capital Normal University, China

Keynote Presentation:

THE KEY FEATURES OF SOCIAL MEDIA SITES THAT BUILDS ONLINE COMMUNITY

by Laurel Papworth, Social Network Strategist, Australia

Keynote Presentation:

COMMUNITIES IN THE LABYRINTH

by Dr. Bob Appelman, Indiana University, USA

Special Talk:

A CYBER REAL CYBER MODEL FOR RUNNING INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCES

by Nian-Shing Chen, National Sun Yat-sen University, Taiwan

Keynote Presentation:

SOUNDS FROM UTOPIA CRITICAL ISSUES OF THE WEB 2.0 PERSPECTIVE FOR WEB-BASED COMMUNITIES

by Professor Jan van Dijk, University of Twente, Dep. of Media, Communication and Organization, Netherlands
Keynote Presentation:
VIRTUAL COMMUNITIES AND MOBILITY: ACCOMPLISHMENTS AND CHALLENGES

by Dr. Jalal Kawash, University of Calgary, Canada

Special Talk:
IJWBC SPECIAL ISSUE: WEB BASED RESEARCH NETWORKS AND LEARNING COMMUNITIES

by Dr. Virginia King, Coventry University, UK

Special Talk:
BLENDING SYNCHRONOUS LEARNING MODEL

by Professor Nian-Shing Chen, National Sun Yat-sen University, Taiwan

2007

Keynote Presentation:
SOCIABILITY AND USABILITY IN ONLINE SOCIAL SPACES

by Jennifer Preece (Professor & Dean) College of Information Studies University of Maryland, USA

2006

Keynote Presentation:
HOW NOT TO BUILD ONLINE MARKETS LESSONS IN THE DESIGN OF TRADING COMMUNITIES

by Professor Peter Kollock, University of California Los Angeles, USA

Keynote Presentation:
COMMUNITIES OF IDEOLOGY HOW VIRTUAL STRENGTH IN NUMBERS IS CHANGING THE WORLD

by Cliff Figallo, SociAlchemy, USA
2005

Keynote Presentation:

BUILDING LEARNING COMMUNITIES IN ONLINE COURSES

by Dr. Starr Roxanne Hiltz, Distinguished Professor, New Jersey Institute of Technology, USA

Keynote Presentation:

SOCIAL AND COMMUNITY INFORMATICS – HUMANS ON THE NET

by Dr. Gunilla Bradley, Professor Informatics, KTH, Royal Institute of Technology IT - University, Department of Microelectronics and Information Technology, Sweden

2004

Keynote Presentation:

TAKING THE “E” OUT OF E-LEARNING: TOWARDS AN INTEGRATIVE APPROACH TO ICT IN EDUCATION AND TRAINING

by Dr. Johannes C Cronjé, University of Pretoria, South Africa

Keynote Presentation:

DIGITAL COMMUNITIES -- FOR FUN OR SURVIVAL?

by Dr. Erkki Sutinen, Educational Technology Research Group University of Joensuu, Finland