

BEYOND THE BRAVE NEW WORLD

“Covid-19 and it’s impact on well-being and technology in learning environments”

WHEN

4PM
WEDNESDAY
21ST OCTOBER 2020
ACST (+9:30 ADELAIDE)

HOW

ZOOM
(details sent separately)
Interactive presentation
followed by Q&A

COST

MEMBERS + STUDENTS
\$10 +GST

NON-MEMBERS
\$15 +GST

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Louka Parry
CEO + Founder, The Learning Future

KEY NOTE SPEAKERS

WELL-BEING
Professor Lindsay G. Oades
Director, Centre for Positive Psychology

BUILT ENVIRONMENT
Associate Professor Kenn Fisher
Associate Professor in Learning Environments

TECHNOLOGY
Doctor Joanne Blannin
Senior Lecturer, Digital Transformations

INNOVATION & FUTURE
Doctor Jordan Nguyen
Founder, Psykinetic



A Collage of Ideas:
Interact with the
experts in conversation

What is your question for them?

What have you learnt from the pandemic?

*How might we seize this moment to
enhance the educational experience for all?*

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LOUKA PARRY



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Louka Parry is an educator, strategist and entrepreneur and works at the global forefront helping schools, systems and organisations adapt for the future. As a school teacher, he was promoted to Principal at only 27 years old and was named Inspirational Public Secondary Teacher of the Year for South Australia. He has spent the last 6 years working across systems internationally (in English and Spanish) to support positive change and impact through innovation, social emotional learning, future skills and organisational culture. A rapid learner, he holds two Masters degrees, speaks five languages and has undertaken studies at Harvard and a fellowship at Stanford.

PROFESSOR LINDSAY G. OADES



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1.0 WELL-BEING

Dr Lindsay G. Oades PhD is an internationally acclaimed wellbeing public policy strategist, researcher and author. As Director and Professor at the Centre for Positive Psychology, at The University of Melbourne (Australia's #1 University), he leads a growing and dynamic team of researchers and educators who promote and investigate how people learn to improve wellbeing, in education, health, organisations and communities. Lindsay asserts that we should “*teach rather than treat*” emphasising an approach of learning wellbeing capabilities rather than solely treating/preventing illness.

ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR KENN FISHER



Faculty of Architecture,
Building & Planning
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Melbourne*

2.0 BUILT ENVIRONMENT

Dr Kenn Fisher is an Associate Professor at the Universities of Melbourne and Flinders. Building on four decades of education and health spatial planning practice, teaching and research in Schools, TAFE's and Universities in Australasia, SE Asia, the Middle East, and Europe, Kenn has more recently narrowed his research focus on understanding evidence-based design for health and wellbeing. The more recent past 6 months' events have somewhat turbocharged the need for urgency on this topic.

DR JOANNE BLANNIN



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3.0 TECHNOLOGY

Dr. Joanne Blannin has taught in 4 countries and in 3 languages. Her many education roles have included curriculum director, bilingual teacher, numeracy coach, leading teacher, Department of Education project officer, senior lecturer, and leadership coach. Having taught in private and public sectors and worked with over 400 schools as a researcher/consultant, Dr Blannin now researches effective digital pedagogies & effective online learning. Joanne is currently Senior Lecturer in Digital Technologies at Monash University.

DOCTOR JORDAN NGUYEN



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Psykinetic
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4.0 INNOVATION & FUTURE

Dr Jordan Nguyen, is one of Australia's most innovative engineers, who is committed to improving the lives of as many people as possible, and to help become a driving force behind both human and technological evolution as we move into the future. An internationally renowned engineer for humanity, Jordan designs life-changing technologies to transform the lives of people with disabilities and the elderly through his role as founder of Psykinetic, a social business committed to bringing positive, sustainable and life-altering change, and shares his adventures through documentaries across the world. Inspired by human endeavour, Jordan has big ambitions to see our world step consciously and creatively into a better future.