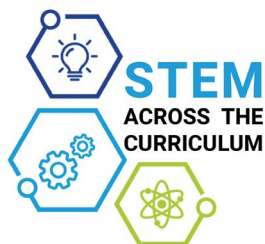


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## DAY ONE

### ANXIETY: WHAT YOUR STUDENTS NEED TO KNOW

*Bianca & Kritz Scieslere, Co-Founders and CEOs, The Big Sister Experience*

### BRAIN FITNESS TO RESILIENCE: AN AUSTRALIAN METHODOLOGY FOR SCHOOLS

*Maria Ruberto, Psychologist, Director Salutegenics*

### WHAT WE FAIL TO LEARN IN SCHOOLS: SELF-REGULATED LEARNING

*Dr Shyam Barr, Assistant Professor of Learning Sciences (Design and Pedagogy) University of Canberra*

### SEVERE ANXIETY - LIVED EXPERIENCE

*Fiona Wilson, Teacher, and Siobhan Wilson, Our Pixie Friends*

### SPARC PROGRAM - SUPPORTING DIVERSE LEARNERS THROUGH LIFE SKILL BASED EDUCATION IN SECONDARY SCHOOL

*Jade Wong, SPARC Teacher, Waverley Christian College*

### CONFIDENTIALITY AND THE NEED TO KNOW - SHARING APPROPRIATE INFORMATION ABOUT INDIVIDUAL STUDENT MENTAL HEALTH WHILST RESPECTING PRIVACY

*Sharyn Vogels, Leader of Learning, Diverse Learning, Marist College*

## DAY TWO

### INCLUSION WITHOUT BURNOUT - A PRACTICAL FRAMEWORK

*Debra Quelch, Inclusive Education Specialist, A Different Perspective*

### IS IT ASD, ADHD OR NVLD? NVL - WHAT?

*Fiona Wilson, Teacher, Our Pixie Friends*

### EQUIPPING STUDENTS NOW, TO FACE AI TOMORROW

*Naz Zengin, Educational Leader, Department of Education*

### ENHANCING WRITING WITH ORAL LANGUAGE AND VCOP

*Sammy Taylor, Director/Consultant, Andrell Education*

### PORTRAYING ADHD, MENTAL HEALTH, ANXIETY, & THE SPECTRUMS IN CHILDREN'S & YOUNG ADULT LITERATURE

*Aleesah Darlison, Award-Winning Author & Speaker*

### HOW AWARE ARE WE OF THE EFFECTS COMPLEX TRAUMA HAS ON A STUDENT'S ABILITY TO LEARN?

*Celeste Musgrave, PhD Student, University of Tasmania*



WELLBEING  
FOR FUTURE FOCUSED SCHOOLS

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### IMPLEMENTING POSITIVE PSYCHOLOGY INTERVENTIONS WITH STUDENTS AND STAFF FOR SUCCESSFUL OUTCOMES

*Michelle Falzon, Founder, Positive Wellbeing Education*

### SWITCH4SCHOOLS

*Phil Slade and Roshelle Weir, Founders, Switch4Schools*

### FORMULA FOR TRUST BETWEEN TEACHERS AND PARENTS

*Andrew Oberthur, Principal and Author, St Columba's Wilston*

### HIDDEN IN PLAIN SIGHT: LIBRARY AS "THIRD SPACE"

*Lori Korodaj, Teacher Librarian, Lake Tuggeranong College ACT*

### WHAT DOES ANXIETY LOOK LIKE IN THE BRAIN?

*Maria Ruberto, Psychologist, Salutegenics*

### THERAPY DOGS AT SCHOOL

*Stuart Ablitt, Deputy Head of Primary / Head of IB Programs, Hills International College*

## DAY TWO

### PRIORITISING YOUR WELLBEING AS AN EDUCATOR

*Kritz and Bianca Scieslere, The Big Sister Experience*

### OUR YOUNG MEN ARE IN CRISIS: HOW SCHOOLS CAN BETTER SUPPORT YOUNG MEN'S MENTAL HEALTH

*Rachel Hinds, QLD State Manager, Top Blokes Foundation*

### EVIDENCE BASED INTERVENTIONS TO ENHANCE STAFF WELLBEING AND CULTURE

*Amy Green, Founder, The Wellness Strategy*

### PANEL - HOW CAN WE MANAGE OUR OWN WELLBEING WHILST MANAGING THAT OF OUR STUDENTS

*Maria Ruberto, Psychologist, Salutegenics; Kritz and Bianca Scieslere, The Big Sister Experience; Michelle Falzon, Founder, Positive Wellbeing Education*

### THE SCIENCE AND PRACTICE OF SOCIAL AND EMOTIONAL LEARNING IN THE CLASSROOM

*Phil Slade, CEO, Switch4Schools*

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**HUMAN LIBRARIES AT SCHOOL**

*Bernadette Maullin, Information and Library Services Manager, St John's Anglican College*

**CREATING ENGAGING LIBGUIDES**

*Sally Wentriro & Rowena Byrne, Teacher Librarians, St Ignatius' College, Riverview*

**INCREASING STUDENT ENGAGEMENT WITH SCHOOL LIBRARIES BY GENREIFYING THE COLLECTION**

*Alison Hansen, Consultant – Digital Learning and Library Services, Catholic Education Services Cairns*

**READING AT ALL HALLOWS**

*Melanie Robinson, Teacher Librarian All Hallows' School*

**SCHOOLS NEED GREAT LIBRARY STAFF!**

*Rosalind Kingsford, Library Manager, St Joseph's Catholic Primary School*

**RESPONSIVE LIBRARY PROGRAMMING ON A BUDGET**

*Lizzy Dixon, Teacher-Librarian, Moorooka State School*

DAY TWO

**BELONGING IN A CONNECTED COMMUNITY: CREATING AN ENVIRONMENT OF DIGITAL INCLUSION**

*Dr Kay Oddone, Course Director and Lecturer, Master of Education (Teacher Librarianship), Charles Sturt University*

**DEVELOPING AN INCLUSIVE LIBRARY THROUGH BIBLIOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION**

*Catherine Barnes, Teacher Librarian, Endeavour College*

**EVALUATING TEXTS WITH FIRST NATIONS CONTENT: AN INTERACTIVE WORKSHOP**

*Janelle Hamling, Junior School Teacher Librarian, St Paul's School & Shanelle Fiaalii, Lecturer, School of Early Childhood and Inclusive Education QUT*

**FUTURE READY TEACHER LIBRARIANS: CLOSING THE GAP**

*Vicki Bennett, Teacher Librarian Cambewarra & Nowra Hill PS, and Secretary of School Library Association NSW*

**MAKING THE INVISIBLE VISIBLE: STRATEGIC PLANNING IS YOUR SUPERPOWER**

*Lori Korodaj, Teacher Librarian, Lake Tuggeranong College*

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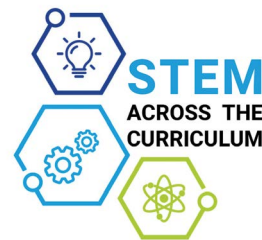
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**PUTTING THE T IN STEM**

*Bruce Fuda, Head of Education (Curriculum), Grok Academy*

**STEM WITH PURPOSE**

*Grant Jones, Lecturer, Western Sydney University*

**ENGAGING YOUR STUDENTS IN ANY CURRICULUM AREA WITH ADOBE EXPRESS**

*Dr Tim Kitchen, Senior Education Specialist, Adobe*

**INTENTIONAL PLAYFUL PEDAGOGY**

*Jeannine Ucderehli, Assistant Principal Learning & Teaching and Sarah Blundell, Leader of Innovation & Digital Technologies, St Joseph's Primary School*

**TRANSDISCIPLINARY STEM ENACTMENT IN SECONDARY SCHOOLS**

*Kristie Schulz, Head of Curriculum (Secondary) Parklands Christian College*

**AN INTEGRATED, SEQUENTIAL APPROACH TO DEVELOPING Y7-12 STUDENT CODING SKILLS USING PYTHON**

*Barry Butler, Experienced Senior Teacher, Coolool State High School*

DAY TWO

**COMPUTATIONAL THINKING; EVERYWHERE FOR EVERYONE**

*Kaye North, Community and Engagement Manager, Code Club Australia*

**STEM EDUCATION; WHY BOTHER, AND WHAT WORKS**

*Dr Ken Silburn, STEM Ambassador, Science and Technology Australia*

**DEVELOPING STUDENTS' PERSONAL CAPACITY THROUGH STEAM**

*Lauren Stanhope, Head of Digital Pedagogy, St Andrew's Anglican College*

**THE "STEM X" PROJECT: ENGAGING SCHOOLS FOR GENDER INCLUSION**

*Marco Angelini, Outreach Coordinator, UTS*

**INNOVATION THROUGH DESIGN THINKING**

*Mandi Dimitriadis, Director of Learning, Makers Empire*

**POSSUM MAGIC - BRINGING STEM TO LIFE FOR MIDDLE SCHOOL**

*Rhonda Thompson, Learning and Teaching Coordinator, St John Bosco College*

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FREE SEMINARS

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FRIDAY ONE DAY WORKSHOP

CLASSROOM STRATEGIES FOR STUDENTS WHO STRUGGLE AT SCHOOL WORKSHOP

PRESENTED BY:  
Christina Dawson, National Programs Manager, Berry Street Education Model

INTRODUCTION TO TRAUMA-INFORMED STRENGTHS-BASED EDUCATION  
DE-ESCALATION STRATEGIES FOR YOUR CLASSROOM  
SELF-REGULATION FOR YOUR STUDENTS  
PATTERNED, REPETITIVE, RHYTHMIC, SOMATOSENSORY ACTIVITIES PRESENT, CENTRED AND GROUNDED MINDFULNESS

SATURDAY MORNING HALF-DAY WORKSHOP

EARLY YEARS WORKSHOP

PRESENTED BY:  
Sarah Folgan, Consultant (NSW), Berry Street Education model

TRAUMA AND THE IMPACTS OF TRAUMA ON THE DEVELOPING BRAIN  
EXPLORING THE STRESS RESPONSE AND WHAT CAN BE DONE TO DEESCALATE A HEIGHTENED CHILD  
A FOCUS ON CO-REGULATION AND SELF-REGULATION THROUGH EXPERIENTIAL LEARNING AND PLAY  
HOW TRAUMA-INFORMED STRATEGIES CAN BE IMPLEMENTED INTO THE RYTHMS AND ROUTINES OF AN EARLY CHILDHOOD CENTRE

SATURDAY AFTERNOON WORKSHOP

EDUCATION SUPPORT WORKSHOP

PRESENTED BY:  
John Barkley, QLD State Lead, Berry Street Education Model

AN OVERVIEW OF THE BERRY STREET EDUCATION MODEL (BSEM)  
AN UNDERSTANDING OF TRAUMA AND HOW IT CAN EFFECT YOUR STUDENTS' CAPACITY TO LEARN AND ENGAGE  
EXPLORING THE STRESS RESPONSE AND WHAT CAN BE DONE TO DE-ESCALATE A HEIGHTENED CHILD  
TRAUMA-INFORMED STRATEGIES FOR WORKING WITH ALL STUDENTS

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MARKING WRITING FOR SUMMATIVE AND FORMATIVE ASSESSMENT  
Sammy Taylor, Director, Andrell Education

INTEGRATING THE CAREER CLUSTERS INTO THE CLASSROOM  
Lucy Sattler, CEO, Study Work Grow

ELITIST OR EQUAL?  
Diana Nagy, Gifted Specialist Teacher, Holy Spirit Catholic Primary School

ANXIETY: WHAT YOUR STUDENTS NEED TO KNOW  
Bianca & Kritz Sciessere, Co-Founders and CEOs, The Big Sister Experience

TO KNOW AND GROW YOUR STUDENTS (WHILST PRESERVING YOUR WELLBEING)  
Jacinta Browning, Teaching & Learning Manager, Jacqueline Clark, Essential Assessments

SUPPORTING PROFESSIONAL TEACHERS WITH EDUCATIONAL DIGITAL CONTENT ACROSS ALL CURRICULUM AREAS!  
Michael Fernandez, CEO, Functional Solutions

Saturday 5 August 2023

THINKUKNOW - ONLINE CHILD SAFETY  
Danielle Broster, Senior Prevention Officer, Australian Federal Police

THINKING AND WRITING SKILLS - SCAFFOLDING FOR SUCCESS!  
Gerard Alford, Director, ITC Publications

MAKING MATHS MEMORABLE  
Alexis Evans, Secondary School Mathematics Teacher, Caboolture State High School

CREATING A SCHOOL WELLBEING CULTURE  
Emanuelle Jones, Founder, Breathe2B

