



INCLUSIVE LEARNING **2010**
TECHNOLOGIES CONFERENCE

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to join us in 2010!

25th - 28th May 2010

Surfers Paradise Marriott Resort and Spa
Gold Coast, Queensland, Australia

www.spectronicsinoz.com/conference/2010

Why should you attend the 2010 Conference?

Feedback from delegates attending the last Inclusive Learning Technologies Conference (held in May 2008) was overwhelmingly positive! 53% rated the conference as "Excellent" and a further 40% rated the conference as "Very Good"!



- ★ This has been the most valuable 3 days of Professional Development I have had for a long time. I leave with ideas, resources and knowledge along with renewed vigour to tackle my job of supporting students with disabilities
- ★ Have so many ideas charging around my brain & now have some idea of what does what. Will be able to get the equipment out of the cupboard & use it.
- ★ Fantastic presenters & so many ideas! I am motivated to change my way of thinking & implement heaps of ideas → to me that makes a fabulous conference.
- ★ I thought there would be a heavy emphasis on selling products, but the focus on effective practice has been refreshing and extremely valuable. Well done to the Spec team - one of the best conferences I have attended!
- ★ The brilliant thing about this conference is that it was all encompassing → looking at our students needs & potential in a holistic manner - not just IT talk!
- ★ This is my third time, so my expectations are already very high! There's no conference like this... I've started to save for 2010. Such value for money.. always so difficult to select what to go to, & gets better every time.
- ★ THIS CONFERENCE HAS GROWN TO NOW BECOME THE AT/INCLUSIVE TECHNOLOGIES CONFERENCE IN AUSTR.
- ★ Wow! All so relevant for all members. I work at mainstream schools & was concerned that only part of this program would be relevant - like I've experienced in other conferences. Every session was relevant & able to be used with every member of my schools...
This conf. has really ^{truly inclusive} provided a vision for me to take back to my schools.

The 2010 Conference will be bigger and better again!

Meet our International Keynote presenters



Dr Caroline Musselwhite

Dr Caroline Musselwhite PhD, CCC/SLP, is a Speech Language Pathologist and an Assistive Technology Specialist with more than 25 years experience working with children and adolescents with severe disabilities. She has lectured at universities, authored books and software programs, and is a founding member of the Board of Directors for the International Society for Augmentative and Alternative Communication (ISAAC). She is a truly dynamic and inspirational presenter whose enthusiasm for her work is catching!



Dr Gretchen Hanser

Dr Gretchen Hanser PhD, OTR, is an expert in assistive and instructional technologies, especially for students with the most significant disabilities. As a school-based occupational therapist and assistive technology specialist, Dr Hanser developed innovative solutions for the most difficult to support students.



E.A. Draffan

One of the best known and certainly the most energetic campaigner for students with print impairments in the UK, E.A. works tirelessly to improve access to assistive technology in colleges and universities. She provides staff development focusing on the area of "dyslexia" and assistive technology, maintains an online database of assistive technologies and is currently a research team member of the University of Southampton Learning Societies Lab.



Dr Chris Abbott

Dr Chris Abbott PhD, is Reader in e-Inclusion in the Department of Education and Professional Studies at King's College London. He is Disability Advisor and Learning and Teaching Coordinator at KCL. Before joining KCL, he taught in special and mainstream schools for sixteen years and was an Advisory Teacher for ICT and SEN and later the Director of the Inner London Educational Computing Centre. He is the editor of the Journal of Assistive Technology and his current PhD students are investigating a range of assistive technologies used within education.

Call for papers now open!

One complimentary three-day conference registration will be offered for each presentation accepted for the final program! Submissions close 30 September 2009. Successful applicants will be notified at the end of November 2009.

www.spectronicsinoz.com/conference/2010/submitpapers

Want to know more? Complete this form to receive regular updates about the Inclusive Learning Technologies® 2010 Conference!

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Announcing a new featured presenter!



Ian Bean “Mr Priory Woods”

Ian Bean is the Consultancy and Training Manager at Inclusive Technology in the UK where he leads a team of teachers and therapists who provide consultancy and training to schools in the use of assistive technology to support the learning, communication and leisure needs of students with learning difficulties.

In Australia, Ian is perhaps better known for his work at Priory Woods School where he taught learners of all ages with a wide range of severe, profound and complex learning difficulties. Ian's work at Priory Woods is internationally recognised as a model of best practice in the use of ICT for children with severe and complex needs including those on the Autistic Spectrum. Ian wrote and maintains the popular Priory Woods website which is visited by many thousands of people each day eager to use the free switch and touch screen programs he wrote for the site. So popular in fact, that there have now been 3.5 million downloads of the activities!
 See <http://www.priorywoods.middlesbrough.sch.uk/resources/restop.htm>

Ian has an in-depth knowledge of assistive technology and has developed and shares detailed assessment techniques and novel teaching strategies to exploit the full potential of this technology. He is passionate in his belief that technology has the potential to enable and empower ALL learners providing them with rich, meaningful and personalised learning experiences. He is a former Becta ICT in Practice Award winner for Inclusion, an award winning website designer and a popular speaker at conferences around the world.

Ian last presented in Australia at the Inclusive Learning Technologies Winter School in 2006. Feedback from delegates indicated that he was the most popular presenter at that conference! Wonderful to have him returning to join us in 2010!



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Wheelchair access required: YES / NO
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Your T-shirt size: S / M / L / XL / XXL / XXXL / XXXXL

Why do we need this?
To ensure you don't miss out on the 2010 Conference T-shirt - sure to become a collector's item in years to come!

Preferred Registration Type:

I Want Everything!

This includes one *Pre-Conference Workshop, Full Three-Day Conference Registration and one Conference Dinner ticket @ \$795 **(SAVE \$110!!)**

I Only Want to Attend...

- Day One - Wednesday 26th May 2010 @ \$250
- Day Two - Thursday 27th May 2010 @ \$250
- Day Three - Friday 28th May 2010 @ \$250
- Full Three-Day Conference - Wed 26th, Thurs 27th and Fri 28th May 2010 @ \$595
- Conference Dinner @ \$90 per ticket

*Pre-Conference Workshop selection (if applicable)

Please select a Pre-Conference Workshop to ensure you don't miss out!

- Write Now: Facilitating Writing Development for Students with Significant Disabilities - *Caroline Musselwhite and Gretchen Hanser*
- Build Your Own Accessible Teaching and Learning Toolkit - *E.A. Draffan*
- Certified Trainer Read&Write GOLD Version 9 Workshop - *Jackie Prentice and Angeline King*
- Literacy with Clicker and Beyond - Writing Across All Ages - *Eleri Hanley*
- Make and Take: Priory Woods Style! (Hands-on Windows Laptop Lab) - *Ian Bean*
- Using the iPhone and Mac as Assistive Technology (Hands-on Apple/Mac Laptop Lab) - *David Niemeijer, Samuel Sennott and Jeanette Davies*
- Language Competence: Don't Settle for a Piece of the Pie - *Kristin Whitfield and Jane Farrell*

Please Note: Each 'Day' registration at \$250 per day includes admittance to that day's sessions, morning tea, lunch, afternoon tea and a deluxe conference satchel. Full Three-Day registration of \$595 includes admittance to all sessions, conference proceedings, three lunches, morning and afternoon teas and a deluxe conference satchel. Tickets to the conference dinner are available at \$90 per person per ticket. All prices are inclusive of GST.

Full program details are now available online! Visit www.spectronicsinoz.com/conference/timetable and check it out!

Early Bird Registration Closing end of Easter 2010! Win a WriteOnline 3-year subscription valued at \$399 for registering before then!

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