

Peers Forum for Excellence in Teaching
4th Annual Summer Educator's Institute
Thursday, June 28, 2012

There's an App for That!

Universal Design, Student Assessment, Differentiation, and Student Engagement

Join other elementary school educators for a day of exploration, innovation, and collaboration using the iPad as a tool for documentation, student interaction, and accessibility.

Keynote Speaker: Dr. David Rose:

Dr. David Rose is a developmental neuropsychologist and educator whose primary focus is on the development of new technologies for learning. In 1984, Dr. Rose co-founded CAST, a not-for-profit research and development organization whose mission is to improve education, for all learners, through innovative uses of modern multimedia technology and contemporary research in the cognitive neurosciences. That work has grown into a new field called Universal Design for Learning which now influences educational policy and practice throughout the United States and beyond. Dr. Rose also teaches at Harvard's Graduate School of Education where he has been on the faculty for more than 25 years.

Program:

Four hands-on sessions will focus on a variety of uses of the iPad in the classroom. Each session will address either one specific application, or a set of related tools for supporting students and teachers. Participants and presenters from public, independent, and charter schools will engage with technology experts and other educators for a day of shared knowledge and professional growth.

Welcome and Introductions
Keynote Address
First morning session
Second morning session
Lunch
First afternoon session
Second afternoon session
Reception and Dinner "Appy" Hour

More Information:

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