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40 Years of Global Multiple Intelligence Stories



Dear Parents, Teachers and Students,

G.T. College, the first school for the gifted and talented in Hong Kong, has espoused the concept of multiple intelligences since our inauguration in 1996. Our talent class which catered for the development of multiple intelligences was first instituted in the primary section, growing from 10 classes in 1997 to over 100 classes today. Our secondary section also started with talent class, clubs & interest groups, and many other programs to develop our students' multiple talents and intelligences.

In recent years, we have ventured into the research and promotion of multiple intelligences. Our research publication, *Research MI*, was published in 2020. In 2021, we started our reading club and international forum on multiple intelligences. Earlier this year, our research team and myself interviewed Professor Howard Gardner, the father of MI, in his office in Harvard University.

The year of 2023 commemorates with the 40th anniversary of multiple intelligences. With our commitment to MI, we will host the **Third International MI Education Forum** in G.T. College in December 2023. Over ten internationally-renowned scholars will speak in this conference and more than 30 schools from all over the world will attend it and share their experiences with us. More details can be found in this issue of G.T. Blog.

The Forum is part of our College Staff Development Day. It is a golden opportunity for our teachers to learn more from our international colleagues and partners. All parents and students are invited to participate in this significant event. Just **fill out the eClass notice no.23-367** and pick the items you wish to join and attend them.

I look forward to welcoming you in the forum. For more information and registration, feel free to contact Ms. Bonnie Chow (primary section) or Mr. King Lau (secondary section)

My best wishes

Prof Rex Li
Founder
G.T. College

The Third International MI Education Forum

Keynote Speeches

Dates: 15 December 2023 (Friday)

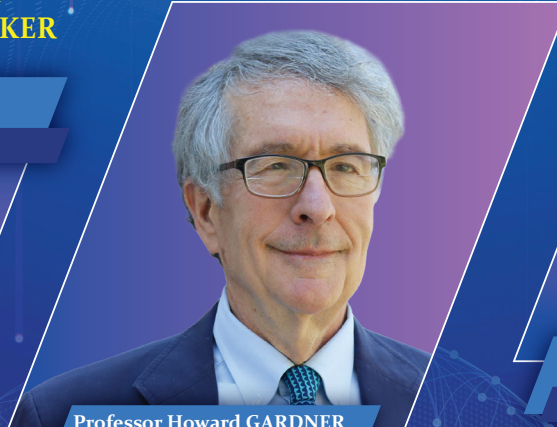
Time: (HK time, 13:00. – 23:00)

ADVISOR & KEYNOTE SPEAKER



Professor Rex LI
Hong Kong, China
Founder of G.T. College

ADVISOR



Professor Howard GARDNER
The U.S.A.
Harvard University

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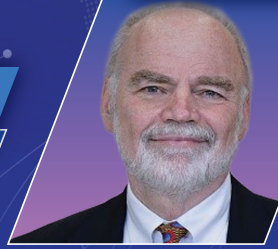


Professor Zhilong SHEN
China
Expert in MI Research

KEYNOTE SPEAKERS



Dr. Mary Joy CANON-ABAQUIN
The Philippines
Founder of Multiple Intelligence International School



Dr. Thomas HOERR
The U.S.A.
Emeritus Head of the New City School



Dr. Branton SHEARER
The U.S.A.
Founder and President of Multiple Intelligences Research



Dr. Krissanapong KIRTIKARA
Thailand
Former Secretary General of Commission on Higher Education



Dr. Thomas ARMSTRONG
The U.S.A.
Executive Director of the American Institute for Learning and Human Development



Professor Wu-Tien WU
Taiwan, China
Taiwan Normal University



Dr. Ziya SELÇUK
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Former Minister of Education of Türkiye



Sr. Montserrat Del POZO
Spain
Former Principal of Collegi Montserrat



Dr. Shelagh GALLAGHER
The U.S.A.
President of the National Association for Gifted Children (NAGC)



Dr. M SRINIVASAN
India
Founder and Chairman of GEAR Foundation



Professor Mehmet KARACA
Türkiye
Former Rector of Istanbul Technical University

The Third International MI Education Forum

Global School Dialogue and Roundtable Discussion

Dates: 16 December 2023 (Saturday)

Time: (HK time, 9:00. – 16:15)

Session 1 America, Europe and other Asian countries (09:00-10:15)



1. Gear Innovative International School (India)



2. Howard Gardner Multiple Intelligence Charter School (The U.S.A.)



3. Maya Okulları (Türkiye)



4. MI International School (The Philippines)



5. Neccu Elementary School (Japan)



6. The Howard Gardner School (The U.S.A.)

Chair



Dr. Albert Chau,

Vice-President (Teaching and Learning) at Hong Kong Baptist University (HKBU), Hong Kong, China

Session 2 Thailand and other Asian countries (10:20-11:35)



1. Character & Leadership Academy (Singapore)



2. Chulalongkorn University Demonstration Secondary School (Thailand)



3. Kamnoetvidya Science Academy (KVIS) (Thailand)



4. Mahidol Wittayanusorn School (MWITS) (Thailand)



5. Princess Chulabhorn Science High School (Thailand)



6. Sabah Tshung Tsin Secondary School (Malaysia)



7. School Name: Soka International School Malaysia (SISM) (Malaysia)

Chair



Professor Dr. Jaitip Na-Songkhla,

Deputy Dean of International and Global Engagement and a Professor of Educational Technology at Chulalongkorn University, Thailand



Dr. Ratinan Boonklurb,

Associate Professor, Department of Mathematics and Computer Science of Chulalongkorn University, Thailand

Session 3 Hong Kong, China and Macau, China (11:40-13:00)



1. Chan's Creative School 啟基學校



2. G.T. (Ellen Yeung) College 優才書院



3. Macau Pooi To Middle School 澳門培道中學



4. Mu Kuang English School 慕光英文書院



5. The Chinese Foundation Secondary School 中華基金中學



6. Tsung Tsin Primary School and Kindergarten 崇真小學暨幼稚園

Chair



Ms. Livia Tang,

Head of School & Student Services Division at the Hong Kong Academy for Gifted Education (HKAGE), Hong Kong, China

Session 4 Mainland China (15:00-16:15)



1. Changsha Nobel Cradle Education Group 長沙市諾貝爾搖籃教育集團



2. DW Education Group 廣東多維教育集團



3. Shanghai Gumei School 上海市古美學校



4. West Shanghai Experimental School (WSES) 上海實驗學校(西校)

Chair



Ms. Yan Kong,

Professor, University of Science and Technology of China (USTC), China

THE THIRD INTERNATIONAL MI EDUCATION FORUM

Keynote Speeches

Date: 15 December 2023 (Friday) (HK time, 13:00. – 23:00)

Theme: 40 Years of Global Multiple Intelligences Stories

Time: Talk for 30 minutes each

It will proceed in 3 sessions to meet global time zone:

Opening Ceremony	HK time, 13:00 – 14:00
Keynote Speeches (Session 1)	HK time, 14:00 – 16:30
Keynote Speeches (Session 2)	HK time, 17:30 – 20:00
Keynote Speeches (Session 3)	HK time, 21:00 – 23:00

Global School Dialogue and Roundtable Discussion

Date: 16 December 2023 (Saturday) (HK time, 9:00 – 16:15)

It will proceed in 4 sessions:

Session 1	9:00 – 10:15	(America, Europe and other Asian countries)
Session 2	10:20 – 11:35	(Thailand and other Asian countries)
Session 3	11:40 – 13:00	(Hong Kong, China and Macau, China)
International MISNET Founding Ceremony	13:00 – 13:30	(International)
Session 4	15:00 – 16:15	(Mainland China)

Contributed Talks and Closing Ceremony

Date: 16 December 2023 (Saturday) (HK time, 16:15 – 18:00)

Contributed Talks	16:15 – 17:35
Closing Ceremony	17:35 – 18:00

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