

Moving EdTech from Enhancement to Transformation

a symposium for thought leaders in educational technology

Marshall McLuhan first alerted us to the fact that "We shape our tools, and thereafter our tools shape us." What he didn't say is that it often happens without our noticing. As we continue to use technology to *enhance* pedagogy and to search for ways in which it can and should *transform* pedagogy, we need to consider not only what is possible but also what we want.

Brian Kuhn, Director of Technology and CIO in Vancouver; Jenny Arntzen, Educational Researcher and Technology Studies Educator at UBC; Bruce Beirsto, Adjunct Professor at SFU, and friends will provide a scaffolding of thoughts for participants' exploration of the question, "In what ways are we shaping technology, in what ways is it shaping us, and how can we move forward with intentionality towards greater engagement and more powerful learning?"

David Truss' students from the Inquiry Hub will present their work and Chris Wejr will talk about using Twitter to create a Personal Learning Network.

The symposium will actively engage participants in consideration of what is currently being accomplished through the innovative use of technology today and where we want it to go tomorrow. It will be an opportunity for in-depth face-to-face discussions with a wide range of educational professionals and a rich opportunity to stand back and take stock, clarify where we want to go, think about strategies for getting there and connect with others who are doing the same.

Date: Saturday, February 22, 2014

Time: 9:00 am to 3:00 pm

Location: Segal Graduate School of Business; 500 Granville Street at West Pender

Registration Fee: \$135

Registration Site: <http://goo.gl/13SGwJ>

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