



### Amazing guest speakers & faculty

#### Alfie Kohn

Provocative educator, speaker and author of eleven popular books on human behavior, education and parenting.



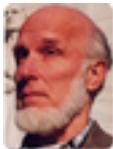
#### Deborah Meier

Legendary school reformer, principal, author, community organizer, blogger and recipient of the prestigious MacArthur "Genius" Fellowship.



#### James Loewen, Ph.D.

Dr. Loewen's book, *Lies My Teacher Told Me*, has sold more than 800,000 copies and continues to inspire K-16 teachers to get students to challenge, rather than memorize, their textbooks. His most recent book helps teachers learn to teach history more authentically based on inquiry and access to primary sources.



#### Peter H. Reynolds

Peter Reynolds is a best-selling children's book author & illustrator. He is also an award-winning animator, software developer, entrepreneur and storyteller.



The CMK 2010 faculty includes Gary Stager, Cynthia Solomon, Brian Silverman, Sylvia Martinez & John Stetson.

July 12-15, 2010

A MINDS-ON INSTITUTE FOR EDUCATORS  
**CONSTRUCTING MODERN KNOWLEDGE**

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### Institute location

Constructing Modern Knowledge 2010 will be held July 12-15, 2010 at the Radisson Hotel in Manchester, NH. An optional pre-conference Science & History Tour of Boston is scheduled for July 11th.

Manchester is a small New England city enjoying quite a renaissance. In addition to our spacious learning environment inside the Radisson Hotel, excellent restaurants, shops and galleries are within walking distance.

A growing suburb of Boston, Manchester is a leisurely drive from most of the Northeast and mid-Atlantic states.

Manchester/Boston (MHT) International Airport is a short free shuttle bus ride from our venue and is one of the most convenient and affordable airports in the United States. Boston Logan Airport (BOS) is 1 hour away.

### Discount hotel reservations

A block of hotel rooms has been reserved at a discounted conference rate of \$139/night at the Manchester, NH Radisson Hotel from 7/12-7/16. Call 1-800-333-3333 or 1-603-206-4109 to make your reservation and say that you are with THE CONSTRUCTIVIST CONSORTIUM.

Registration costs \$575 before May 1 and \$650 after. Team discounts available.

### Information and registration

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## Computer-rich Learning Adventures for the Creative Educator!

Constructing Modern Knowledge is a minds-on institute for educators committed to creativity, collaboration and computing. Participants will have the opportunity to engage in intensive computer-rich project development with peers and a world-class faculty. Inspirational guest speakers and social events round out the fantastic event.

Rather than spend days listening to a series of speakers, Constructing Modern Knowledge is about action. Attendees will work and interact with educational experts concerned with maximizing the potential of every learner.

While our outstanding faculty is comprised of educational pioneers, bestselling authors and inventors of innovative educational technologies, the real power of Constructing Modern Knowledge emerges from the collaborative project development of participants.

Animation, robotics engineering, film-making, music composition, Scratch & MicroWorlds programming, simulation building, storytelling are all part of the CMK 2010 mix.

Each day's program consists of a discussion of powerful ideas, mini tutorials on-demand, immersive learning adventures designed to challenge one's thinking, substantial time for project work and a reflection period.

The learning environment is filled with stimulating "objects to think with," including a library, art supplies & materials for tinkering.

21st Century educators need to develop their own technological fluency and understand learning in order to meet the changing needs and expectations of their students. Constructing Modern Knowledge will help participants enhance their tech skills, expand their vision of how computers may enhance the learning environment and leave with practical ideas to use in the classroom.

Registration includes free creativity software from LCSi, Tech4Learning, Inspiration & FableVision plus a festive conference dinner and a big night out in Boston, beginning with a reception at the world-famous FableVision Studios!

**Unleash your creativity July 12-15, 2010**

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*CEUs available for additional fee*

*Software & speakers subject to change*