

# Future-Ready Education Interdisciplinary Learning in Schools

A GLOBAL WEBINAR

**MARCH 3RD, 2023** 





## Introduction

Last year, Wise Consulting Finland initiated the first virtual conference discussing different aspects of Future-Ready Education. All are urgent matters to address. This year, we dig deeper into one aspect, systems thinking and interdisciplinary teaching and learning in schools to shape Future-Ready Citizens! Please join us and listen as our speakers shed light on "Understanding Interdisciplinary Learning in the 21st Century", and discuss how a Finnish school successfully transitions towards interdisciplinary teaching and learning.

Date: Friday, 3rd March, 2023

Time: 8:00 AM EET / 1:00 PM ICT

Platform: Zoom





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# lida-Maria Peltomaa

#### Moderator

Doctoral researcher in Education, University of Tampere Senior Consultant, Wise Consulting Finland Oy specializing in interdisciplinary learning and in-service teacher training

lida-Maria has delivered inspirational keynotes and workshops in over 500 events to more than 10,000 teachers e.g. in events organised by Finnish Regional Administrative Agencies and universities in Finland, Iceland, Australia and Singapore. As part of the research team in ATS STEM project funded by the European Union, she researched the assessment of transversal skills in STEM education. She is doing cutting edge visionary work in bridging the gap between research and practice with schools as learning communities.







## **David Marsh**

#### Keynote Speaker

David Marsh PhD is Fellow of the Royal Society of Arts, London. He has experience of tasks in over 40 countries, contributed to over 160 publications, presented over 130 invited keynotes, and received 5 degrees from the United Kingdom, Finland, and Spain. Experience in Finland and across Europe has been complemented with assignments in Africa (Ethiopia, Mozambique, Namibia, South Africa), Central & East Asia (Japan, Kazakhstan, Korea), Iceland, India, Kosovo, Middle East (KSA, UAE, Qatar), Russia, Southeast Asia (Brunei, Hong Kong, Laos, Malaysia, Singapore, Thailand, Philippines, Vietnam), North America, (Mexico, USA), and South America (Argentina, Colombia, Peru). Having co-launched Content and Language Integrated Learning (CLIL) under the auspices of the European Commission, his work has been recognized through various awards including the English-speaking Union (2008), Estonian Educational Sciences (2009), Doctor honoris causa VIU (2013), and Honorary Chair, Catedrático Extraordinario de Educación Bilingüe, UCAM (2017). His key current interests are educational systems-based transformation, bilingual education, realizing OECD global competences, and adjusting educational practices for digitally astute young people.



### **Speakers**

#### from Sannäs School

Located in beautiful Porvoo,
Finland, Sannäs is a primary school
for grades 1-6. At this school,
teaching is implemented through
interdisciplinary methods.
Students get to learn and find their
strengths through versatile and
varied work methods. The
community is their greatest
strength, everyday life is created in
close cooperation between the
students, the school and the
families.



**Jessica Gillberg**Principal and Pedagogical Leader

Minna Ståhls Long-term Teacher



# Agenda





#### **Keynote Speech**

Understanding
Interdisciplinarity in 21st
Century Education
By David Marsh

#### In-depth Presentation

From traditional teaching to integrated practices: How Sannäs School succeeds
By Sannäs School Representatives

#### **Q&As & Discussion**

Sharing lessons from around the world *By All Participants* 



# What special about the webinar

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#### **Visionary Keynote**

What is currently being **researched and applied** in practice? How much has interdisciplinary learning **advanced recently** and how will it **develop in the future**? Listen to PhD David Marsh as he is an established researcher and "education designer" you can trust.

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#### **Heart-to-heart Talk**

We create an atmostphere where speakers and participants learn from each other in a cosy and inclusive spirit even in an online setting! All talks and discussions will be led expertly by our own lida-Maria Peltomaa.



#### **Immediate Take-aways**

While David addresses the vision and fundamentals of Interdisciplinary Learning in the 21st Century, the principal and senior teacher from Sannäs school will share their **exciting and brave journey from a traditional teaching approach to an interdisicplinary one.** 



#### **Special gift from WCF**

Wise Consulting Finland offers **special gifts** (**discounts**) for those participating in the webinar to take training courses and study tours about Interdisciplinary Education in 2023!



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