

Constructing Modern Knowledge

Summer Educator Institute
July 16 - 19, 2019

Amazing guest speakers & faculty

Nikole Hannah-Jones

New York Times Magazine

MacArthur Genius Nikole Hannah-Jones is one of today's leading voices on social justice, race, and education. Her exceptional journalism has been recognized recently with a Peabody, Polk, Chancellor, and National Magazine Award.



Kari Kola (Finland)

Light artist, engineer, inventor, entrepreneur

Self-taught light artist, Kari Kola, routinely does the impossible. He has bathed entire cities, mountains, and even Stonehenge in light, often with music and choreography. In his spare time, Kari owns a botanical garden and butterfly sanctuary open to the public.



Sherry Lassiter

President & CEO of the Fab Foundation

Sherry Lassiter is one of the architects of the global Fab Lab program, a movement to empower 1,600+ communities using technology to meet local needs. She came to MIT after two decades as a TV producer, writer, & director.



Hosted by Gary S. Stager, Ph.D.

Internationally-respected educator, author, and edtech pioneer, Gary Stager created CMK twelve years ago.



Institute location

Constructing Modern Knowledge 2019 will be held July 16 - 19, 2019 at the DoubleTree by Hilton Manchester Downtown Hotel in Manchester, NH, USA.

Manchester is a quaint and cool New England city enjoying quite a renaissance. In addition to our spacious learning environment inside the Doubletree Hotel, fine restaurants, shops and museums 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 less than 1 hour away.

Discount hotel reservations

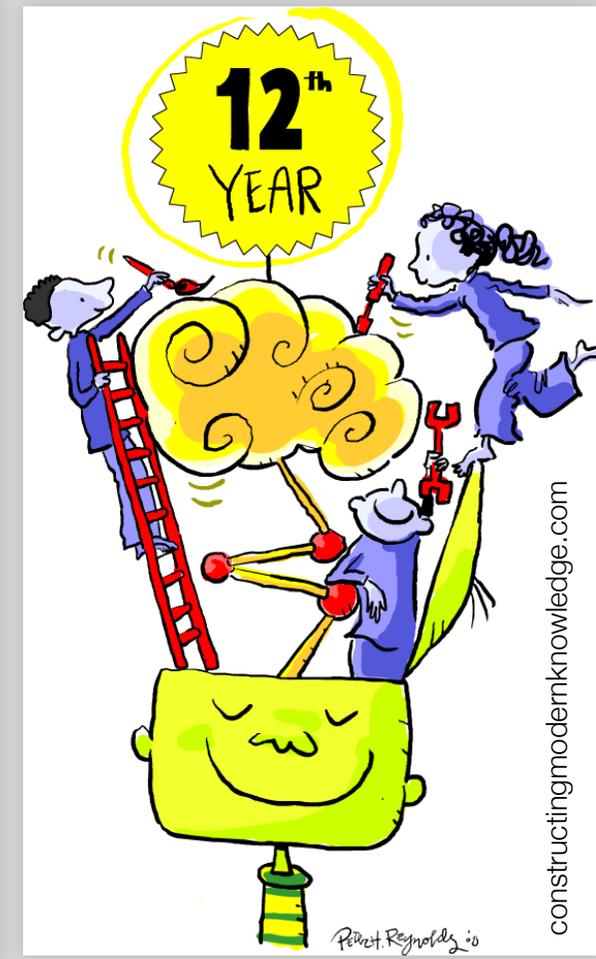
A block of hotel rooms has been reserved at a discounted conference rate from \$140/night at the Manchester, NH Radisson Hotel from 7/14-7/20.

Call 1-603-206-4109 to make your reservation and say that you are with CONSTRUCTING MODERN KNOWLEDGE.

Registration costs \$745 before April 1st and \$875 after. Send a team for a substantial discount!

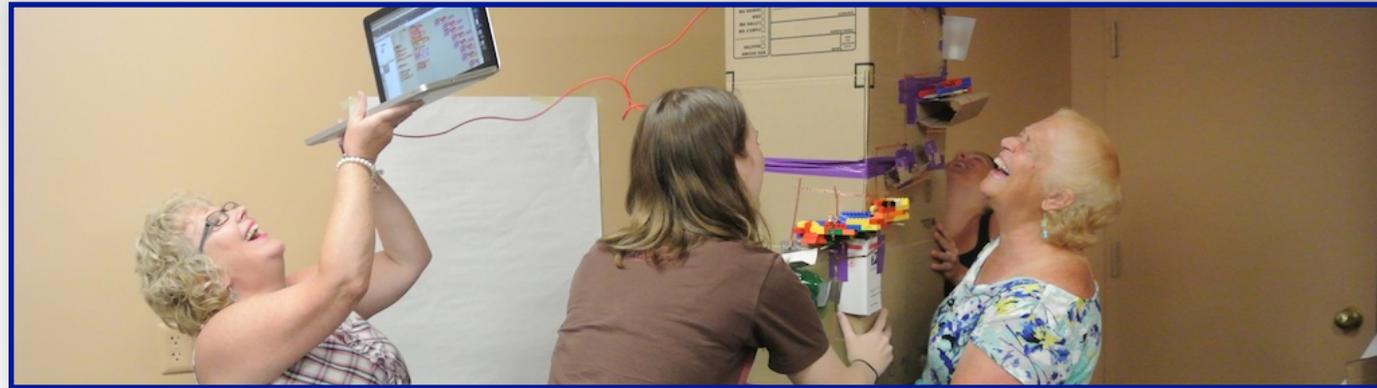
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Where Educators Invent the Future & Reinvent Themselves

Constructing Modern Knowledge, now in its 12th year, is a minds-on institute for educators committed to creativity, collaboration and computing. Participants 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 a fantastic event.

Rather than spend days listening to a series of speakers, CMK 2019 is about action. Attendees work on personally meaningful projects and interact with educational experts concerned with maximizing the potential of each 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, 3D printing, programming, wearable computing, micro:bit, Scratch 3.0, Raspberry Pi, and storytelling are all part of the CMK 2019 mix.

Each day's program consists of a discussion of powerful ideas, mini on-demand tutorials, immersive learning adventures designed to challenge one's thinking, substantial time for project work, and a reflection period. Each year, participants dazzle each other with new ideas, materials, and innovative project development.

The learning environment is filled with stimulating "objects to think with," including a library, art supplies, tools & 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 a festive conference dinner and a big night out in Boston, beginning with a reception at the world-famous M.I.T. Media Lab hosted by Sherry Lassiter CEO of the Fab Foundation.

Unleash your creativity July 16-19, 2019

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Schedule & speakers subject to change