

Learning and Teaching Scotland presents

The Scottish Learning Festival

Excellence in the Learning Age



24-25 September 2008
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Glow Pathway



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Join us in Glasgow this September!

Authorities all across Scotland are using Glow to support the ambitions of 21st Century education. SLF 2008 will give delegates the opportunity to see Glow in action and to hear real experiences of how this innovative set of tools is being used by learners and teachers to communicate, collaborate and connect.

On 19 March 2008 Fiona Hyslop MSP stated during a speech in the Scottish Parliament, that Glow would play a 'significant role' in helping deliver *Curriculum for Excellence*. Glow will help teachers to realise the underlying principles of *Curriculum for Excellence* by motivating children and young people and enhancing their learning opportunities and experiences.

Through a range of seminars and surgeries, delegates will discover the endless possibilities that Glow offers. These include using Glow for national and international collaboration; to personalise and differentiate lessons; to aid effective mentoring; to enhance the CPD experience and to help teach NQ.

We look forward to seeing you in Glasgow in 2008.



Marie Dougan
Glow Programme Director

Glow and Curriculum for Excellence: Lighting up Learning and Teaching

Gill Robinson and Marie Dougan, Learning and Teaching Scotland

Bringing together the two key themes for this year's Scottish Learning Festival, this spotlight session will look at how *Curriculum for Excellence* embraces a wider definition of how and what children should learn and experience and how Glow supports this.

Come along and find out more about how colleagues are using Glow to collaborate across schools, authorities and indeed the country helping drive forward plans for delivering *Curriculum for Excellence*.

Wednesday 15:45

Seminar Code **L1D**

What's on in 2008?

- ▲ Energising keynote addresses from the Cabinet Secretary for Education and Lifelong Learning Fiona Hyslop MSP, Prof Richard Teese, Ellen Moir and Charles Leadbeater
- ▲ Spotlights presented by education experts Ruth Sutton, Alan McLean, Prof Kari Smith, Frank Crawford, Martyn Rouse, Ian Smith, Marie Dougan and Gill Robinson
- ▲ Over 170 seminars delivered by national organisations, LTS staff, education authority staff and practitioners
- ▲ **NEW!** Topic Surgeries hosted by leading educationalists from across Scotland
- ▲ Up to 200 exhibitors in Scotland's largest education resources exhibition, covering all curriculum areas and levels of education
- ▲ Learning in Practice area featuring the Local Authority, Cultural and International Villages
- ▲ **NEW!** Conference in Pictures providing a unique and interactive way for visitors to exchange and share ideas
- ▲ Presentations and demonstrations by teachers and pupils at the Scottish Education Village
- ▲ **NEW!** The Education Showcase area full of launches, demonstrations, stories, performances and the Consolarium Challenge

Book early – it's free!

The Scottish Learning Festival is absolutely free and each visitor has the opportunity to pre-book two seminars per day and all keynote addresses. To guarantee places at seminars it is strongly recommended that you make your selections and book now, as space is limited. You can either book online at www.scottishlearningfestival.org.uk or complete the attached booking form.

If you would like more information about group bookings or if you have any queries about the Scottish Learning Festival, please call 0870 421 1938 or email Festival@LTSScotland.org.uk.

For all the latest festival information, visit www.scottishlearningfestival.org.uk

CPD Opportunity

The Scottish Learning Festival is the ideal opportunity to learn from and network with colleagues from across the country, the UK and the rest of the world. Whether you attend for two days, one day or even an afternoon, make the most of your national free event by using it as development time for staff and colleagues.

Effective Learning and Teaching in Action with Glow

Marie Dougan, Learning and Teaching Scotland

Find out about real-life examples of good classroom practice that have been generated from across Scotland. Hear from our experts and see how Glow created an appetite for learning and how this experience was enhanced as a result of the use of tools such as Glow Meet, Glow Learn and Glow Chat.

Wednesday 09:30

Seminar Code **C2A**

Let your PC Reduce your Marking Burden**John Haughey, St Ninian's High School**

This seminar will outline how to create in-house assessments and software demonstrations for automatic marking and recording in Glow Learn. The session will summarise how to create course materials using Content Generator and Captivate 3. Crazy Talk software will be used with Captivate 3 to enhance the materials.

Wednesday 09:30

Seminar Code **C1A****Going Forward with Glow****David Baker and Yvonne Gibb, East Dunbartonshire Council**

Having a spirit of 'community' is important to the success of Glow. As such, we developed a Glow Mentor Community with at least one representative from each school. We will look at the training and development of this group and the benefits realised by Glow.

Wednesday 12:30

Seminar Code **C1B****CPD Scotland: How Online Technology is Changing CPD****Con Morris, Learning and Teaching Scotland**

The CPD Scotland project is helping change the ways that educators reflect on, identify and carry out their continuing professional development. This seminar (with some added drama!) looks at how online tools such as CPDFind, Glow and CPDReflect are changing the face of CPD.

Wednesday 12:30

Seminar Code **S2B****Books for All: The Scottish Accessible Curriculum Resources Database****Dr Stuart Aitken and Paul Nisbet, CALL Scotland, University of Edinburgh**

A joint venture between CALL Centre, LTS, Glow and Scran, the Scottish Books for All Database provides accessible curriculum materials through Glow or Scran. Pupils who benefit from text-to-speech, switch accessible page turning, enlarged or modified print or other formats can obtain curriculum materials in formats that suit them.

Wednesday 13:30

Seminar Code **D2C****Curriculum for Excellence, Glow and CPD in Coaching and Mentoring****Hugh Donnelly, EIS/Hillpark Secondary**

There are many perspectives on coaching/mentoring which relate to culture, organisation and the importance of building capacity in Scottish schools. The coaching/mentoring debate raises key issues relating to professional collaboration, collegiality and the effective management of change. Join this Topic Surgery to discuss what contribution coaching and mentoring can make to this change agenda.

Wednesday 14:00

Topic Surgery

Opening hours

Wednesday 24 September 09:00–17:30

Thursday 25 September 09:00–17:00

SECC and Clyde Auditorium

Glow and e-Mentoring: Supporting Development, 21st Century Style**Andrew Brown and Bruce Murray, Learning and Teaching Scotland**

With access to the wealth of tools and services that Glow provides, mentoring can develop in exciting ways. Find out how Glow Chat, Glow Messenger and Glow Meet can be used to assist the mentoring programme in your school or local authority, or at national level in this ground-breaking seminar.

Wednesday 12:30

Seminar Code **C2B****Personalising Learning using Glow****Martin Brown and Bruce Murray, Learning and Teaching Scotland**

Come along and find out how Glow can support a sense of personal achievement for learners and how technology can remove barriers between formal and informal learning. Glow brings many of these tools to the learners and supports the key areas of communication and collaboration.

Wednesday 13:30

Seminar Code **C1C****Online Reference Resources from LTS through Glow****Jim Henderson, Learning and Teaching Scotland**

Today's learners increasingly look for information online rather than consulting books available in the school library and a high percentage now have access to the internet at home as well as in school. But a key problem with the vast majority of free online resources is that the quality of information cannot be guaranteed – who has written it, has it been reviewed for accuracy, is it an unbiased view, is it up to date? This session will show how, through Glow, teachers and pupils will have access to a world of trusted online information sources.

Wednesday 13:45

Education Village

Curriculum for Excellence and Glow**Tina Stevens and Joanne Connolly, Learning and Teaching Scotland**

Glow can make collaboration between secondary teachers much easier. Find out about using Glow to help teach National Qualifications and also achieve *Curriculum for Excellence* aims at the same time. How? At this seminar you'll learn about Glow Groups and use of discussion boards, Glow Meet and Glow Chat.

Wednesday 15:45

Seminar Code **C1D**

Curriculum for Excellence, Glow and CPD in Coaching and Mentoring

Hugh Donnelly, EIS/Hillpark Secondary

There are many perspectives on coaching/mentoring which relate to culture, organisation and the importance of building capacity in Scottish schools. The issues surrounding the coaching/mentoring debate raise key issues relating to professional collaboration, collegiality and the effective management of change. What contribution can coaching and mentoring make to this change agenda?

Wednesday 16:45

Seminar Code **S2E**

Glow Learn and Digital Content

Dawn Adams and Jim Henderson, Learning and Teaching Scotland

Glow Learn is a virtual learning environment providing a range of content and tools to support learning and teaching. Glow Learn will enable teachers to share resources with colleagues as well as individualise courses for pupils and this can be achieved across Scotland. Find out how it has been used.

Wednesday 16:45

Seminar Code **CIE**

Glow Learn and Curriculum for Excellence (Science)

Dawn Adams, Learning and Teaching Scotland and Angela Grant, Forfar Council

See how Glow Learn and learning spaces can be used to support the science experiences and outcomes through creating courses with resources, activities and evaluations linked to the outcomes. This session will also offer attendees the chance to think about methodology and assessment of the science outcomes.

Thursday 09:30

Seminar Code **CIF**

Curriculum for Excellence: A Warm Mathematical Glow

Tina Stevens and Joanne Connolly, Learning and Teaching Scotland

With the arrival of *Curriculum for Excellence* teachers are asking questions such as:

- How do I meet the aspirations of the revised mathematics curriculum?
- How do I implement the new mathematics outcomes?

Come along to this seminar and find out how Glow can assist you to answer these questions and others.

Thursday 10:30

Seminar Code **CIG**

Ten Steps towards Better Teaching Approaches Using Glow

Lesley Dickson and Karen-Ann McAlpine, Learning and Teaching Scotland

How can teachers enhance their approaches to teaching for effective learning with Glow: move from a more traditional approach to teaching, towards making effective use of online learning space? This question and others will be considered and practical suggestions offered for using Glow in the classroom today.

Thursday 13:00

Seminar Code **CIH**

Making Glow Happen: How Lessons Learned from Deploying a Smaller Scale Authority-wide Web Publishing System in East Lothian Schools May Help

David Gilmour, East Lothian Council Education and Children's Services

Since 2005, East Lothian has created edubuzz.org, a 'mini-Glow' web publishing system which networks a learning community with over 1500 contributors. That experience is proving helpful with Glow deployment in East Lothian. In this session David and colleagues will share lessons learned to help you make Glow happen in your location.

Thursday 13:00

Seminar Code **C2H**

Rediscovering Student Voice using ICT, including Glow, to support Curriculum for Excellence

Stephen McCrossan, North Lanarkshire Council

Estimates suggest 90% of classroom talk is by the teacher. To develop effective contributors and successful learners we need to reawaken the 'student voice'. ICT, including Glow, can support this. In an interactive presentation EIS Learning Representatives will demonstrate how we can support teachers in the implementation of ICT and Glow.

Thursday 13:00

Seminar Code **S2H**

Redefining Boundaries and Buying in to New Communities: Glow in a Remote Local Authority

Martin Brown and Hamish Budge, Learning and Teaching Scotland

Glow is a national initiative and a solution to some of the problems that exist in schools in remote areas. Many regions in Scotland have rural areas and the solutions that rural and remote communities explore with Glow will contain valuable messages for schools across Scotland.

Thursday 14:00

Seminar Code **CIJ**

Glow Learn and Curriculum for Excellence (Science)

Glow Team, Learning and Teaching Scotland

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Thursday 15:00

Topic Surgery

SLF Xtra on Glow

Andrew Brown, Learning and Teaching Scotland

Did you know the Festival has also been taking place in Glow this year? Using Glow, you could have asked your seminar, spotlight or keynote speaker a question prior to attending their session. Better still, you can revisit the session recorded in Glow, and even continue the discussion after the festival has finished. Glow is also the only place you can find 'Conference in Pictures'. Find out more in this Education Village session.

Thursday 16:00

Education Village

Registration Form

For free entry to the Scottish Learning Festival 2008, please complete this form fully. Please photocopy this form for your colleagues. Alternatively, you can register online at www.scottishlearningfestival.org.uk.



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► **FREE ENTRY:** Organised by Learning and Teaching Scotland and Emap, the Scottish Learning Festival 2008 has been made possible with funding from the Scottish Government and is free to all educational professionals. There is no limit to the number of staff a school can send.

► **REGISTRATION:** Each individual registering to attend must complete and return a booking form.
► **RESERVE:** To reserve a seat at the seminar(s) of your choice and gain free entry, complete **steps 1-4** of the booking form or book online at www.scottishlearningfestival.org.uk.

Step 1: SEMINAR BOOKING FORM

You may attend all keynotes and two seminars or spotlights of your choice on each day. Please enter the seminar codes in the boxes below to guarantee your free place.

Pre-booking for the seminars is essential. If you do not wish to book your seminars in advance, any remaining seminar tickets can be obtained each day from the seminar ticket desk inside the Exhibition Hall.

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Each session has a limited number of seats and these will be allocated on a first-come, first-served basis. To guarantee a place at the seminars of your choice we recommend that you return your selection immediately. You will receive confirmation of your booking; please check that all details are correct. A delegate pack containing seminar tickets and delegate badge will be mailed to you approximately two weeks prior to the event.

Step 2: EXHIBITION TICKET

A. TYPE OF ESTABLISHMENT

- (Tick one box)*
- 01 Adult Education
 - 02 Consultancy
 - 03 Economic Development Agency
 - 04 Education/Trade/Industry/Commerce
 - 05 FE College
 - 06 Learning and Teaching Scotland
 - 07 Learning Support Centre
 - 08 Local Authority
 - 09 Nursery/Pre-school
 - 10 Primary School
 - 11 Primary School (Independent)
 - 12 Scottish Government
 - 13 Secondary School
 - 14 Secondary School (Independent)
 - 15 Special School
 - 16 Teacher Education Institute
 - 17 University
 - 18 Other (Please specify)

09 Education Trade/Industry/Commerce

- 10 Headteacher
- 11 HMI
- 12 ICT Co-ordinator
- 13 IT/Networking Manager Technician
- 14 LA Adviser/Officer
- 15 Learning Support Assistant
- 16 Lecturer
- 17 Librarian
- 18 Newly Qualified Teacher
- 19 Nursery Staff
- 20 Nursery Teacher
- 21 Primary Teacher
- 22 Principal Teacher
- 23 Quality Improvement Officer
- 24 School Board
- 25 Secondary Teacher
- 26 Student Teacher
- 27 Other (Please specify)

11 Gaelic/Gàidhlig

- 12 Geography
- 13 History
- 14 Home Economics
- 15 ICT
- 16 Mathematics
- 17 Media Studies
- 18 Modern Languages
- 19 Modern Studies
- 20 Music
- 21 Personal and Social Education
- 22 Physical Education
- 23 Physics
- 24 Religious, Moral and Philosophical Studies
- 25 School Management/Admin
- 26 Special Needs
- 27 Technology and Design Studies
- 28 Other (Please specify)

13 Health and Wellbeing

- 14 Inclusion
- 15 Integrated Community Schools
- 16 Literacy
- 17 Numeracy
- 18 Technology
- 19 Other (Please specify)

F. LOCAL AUTHORITY

- (Tick one box)*
- 01 Aberdeen City
 - 02 Aberdeenshire
 - 03 Angus
 - 04 Argyll and Bute
 - 05 Clackmannanshire
 - 06 Comhairle Nan Eilean Siar
 - 07 Dumfries and Galloway
 - 08 Dundee City
 - 09 East Ayrshire
 - 10 East Dunbartonshire
 - 11 East Lothian
 - 12 East Renfrewshire
 - 13 City of Edinburgh
 - 14 Falkirk
 - 15 Fife
 - 16 City of Glasgow
 - 17 Highland
 - 18 Inverclyde
 - 19 Midlothian
 - 20 Moray
 - 21 North Ayrshire
 - 22 North Lanarkshire
 - 23 Orkney Islands
 - 24 Perth and Kinross
 - 25 Renfrewshire
 - 26 Scottish Borders
 - 27 Shetland Islands
 - 28 South Ayrshire
 - 29 South Lanarkshire
 - 30 Stirling
 - 31 West Dunbartonshire
 - 32 West Lothian
 - 33 Independent School
 - 34 England
 - 35 Wales
 - 36 Northern Ireland
 - 37 Republic of Ireland
 - 38 International (Please specify)

C. SUBJECTS/AREAS OF INTEREST

- (Tick all areas of interest)*
- 01 Art and Design
 - 02 Behaviour
 - 03 Biology
 - 04 Business Studies
 - 05 Careers
 - 06 Chemistry
 - 07 Classical Studies
 - 08 Computing
 - 09 Drama
 - 10 English

D. OTHER AREAS OF INTEREST

- (Tick all areas of interest)*
- 01 Assessment
 - 02 Attainment
 - 03 Citizenship
 - 04 Core Skills
 - 05 CPD
 - 06 Cross curricular
 - 07 Curriculum for Excellence
 - 08 Early Years
 - 09 Enterprise
 - 10 Gaelic
 - 11 Glow
 - 12 Guidance

E. PURCHASING INTEREST

- (Please tick all areas of interest)*
- 01 Admin/Office Administration
 - 02 Audio Visual Equipment
 - 03 Books/Library
 - 04 Books/Text
 - 05 Catering
 - 06 Communications/Networking Technology
 - 07 Computer Hardware
 - 08 D&T/Craft Equipment
 - 09 Financial/Accounting Services
 - 10 Furniture/Storage Equipment
 - 11 General Resources
 - 12 Interactive Video
 - 13 Internet/Online Content
 - 14 Internet/Online Hardware/Service
 - 15 IT/ICT Training
 - 16 Library Resources
 - 17 Micro-Electronics/Robotics
 - 18 Peripherals
 - 19 Recruitment Services
 - 20 Science Materials and Equipment
 - 21 Software and Multimedia
 - 22 Stationery
 - 23 Other (Please specify)

Step 3: PRINT CLEARLY IN BLOCK LETTERS

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Is this your first visit to the Scottish Learning Festival? Yes No

The personal information provided by you will be held by LTS and EMAP.

Tick here if you do not want to receive material from third parties

By providing your email address, we will send you email updates about the festival.

Tick here to sign up to the official email bulletin, the Delegate. Tick here if you would like to receive SMS reminders.

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