

16th Annual

Sunday, June 22 - Wednesday, June 25, 2008

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Model Schools Conference

Walt Disney World Swan and Dolphin Resort, Orlando

**Great Challenges —
Real Solutions —
Right Now!**

Once every year, thousands of America's school administrators, teachers, parents, business leaders, and policymakers join together at the annual Model Schools Conference for ideas and inspiration that place our children first. It's the nation's premier conference on K-12 education reform and the International Center for Leadership in Education's signature event.

The 16th Annual Model Schools Conference will showcase:

- **High schools, middle grades programs, elementary schools, and CTE programs** that are **highly successful** at providing every student with a rigorous and relevant education. The process of identifying and analyzing the high schools is part of a major joint initiative of the International Center and the **Council of Chief State School Officers**, with financial support from the **Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation**.
- Keynote and feature presentations by **national education leaders**, including **Dr. Willard R. Daggett**, President of the International Center for Leadership in Education.

The **Great Challenges** facing education are not on the horizon. They are here **Right Now**

Students are living in a world that is changing dramatically. Our education system must adapt **Right Now** to prepare students for the global society in which they live. Providing all students with a rigorous and relevant education is the mission of the International Center. The **Real Solutions** to get us there need not be invented. We just need to apply them **Right Now**.

This year's Conference will offer K-12 educators insight into **Real Solutions** from our school models and experts:

- Strategies to create a culture of change to drive school improvement
- Research-based whole school/district reform models
- Best practices and model programs for struggling learners
- The nation's best resources for instructional improvement
- Research/data to set expectations, guide instruction, assess performance
- Sessions for education leaders to address organizational issues

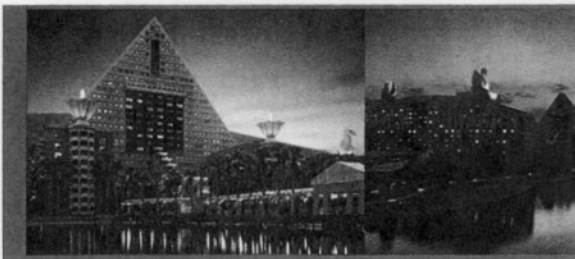
Come as a Team! Schools and districts are encouraged to send a team to the Conference, including school board members, senior administrators, teachers, special education representatives, parents, business leaders, and elected officials.

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