

Agenda

**July 27, 2011**

3:00 PM *Optional* Tours of Microsoft Home & Envisioning the Future Center

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6:00 PM 2011 Innovative Education Forum - Opening Reception (Hyatt East Lawn)

7:00 PM Welcoming Remarks & IEF Event Overview

**July 28, 2011**

7:00 AM Depart Hyatt for Microsoft main campus

7:30 AM IEF Exhibition Set-Up

8:00 AM Breakfast

8:30 AM Welcome from Microsoft Executive

8:45 AM Opening Keynote – Dr. John Medina – *Brain Rules*

9:45 AM Guidance on Exhibition and Judging Process & Set-Up

10:15 AM *Round 1* – IEF Project Exhibitions & Judging

12:00 PM Lunch with learning excursion activity team

12:45 PM *Round 2* – IEF Project Exhibitions & Judging

2:30 PM Break

2:45 PM Buses Depart for Seattle area learning excursion activities

3:30 PM Groups arrive at locations for professional learning activities (e.g., Pike Place Market, Seattle Underground, Gold Rush Museum, etc.)

6:00 PM Casual Networking Reception at the Space Needle

8:00 PM First Buses Depart for Bellevue Hyatt



**July 29, 2011**

8:00 AM Depart Hyatt for Microsoft main campus

8:30 AM Working Breakfast with your learning excursion team

9:30 AM Welcome from Microsoft Executive

9:45 AM *Hands-on* Technology Training Tracks (*four to choose from*)

10:45 AM Break

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12:00 PM Networking Lunch (table topics – geo, content area, grade level focus)

1:00 PM Final working session with learning excursion team

2:00 PM Final learning excursion projects posted to IEF community site

2:15 PM Closing Keynote – Jane McGonigal – *Gaming & Learning*

3:15 PM Forum Wrap-Up

3:30 PM Buses Depart for Bellevue Hyatt

5:30 PM Buses Depart for Gala Reception & Dinner

6:30 PM Cocktail Reception at Bell Harbor Seattle

7:30 PM 2011 U.S. Innovative Education Forum - Gala Dinner

8:15 PM 2011 U.S. Innovative Education Forum - Awards Ceremony

TBD PM Buses begin departing for Bellevue Hyatt

*Note: Event agenda is subject to change.*