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*Wednesday October 1 – Pre-Conference Event*

5:00 – 6:00 pm	<b>Guided Walking Tour of Victoria</b>	Meet in reception desk area
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*Thursday October 2 – Pre-Conference Workshops*

Open attendance sessions sponsored by the *Rock Ethics Institute* of Penn State University and included as part of the conference program without additional cost.

9:00 – 10:00am	<b>Evidence-informed Leadership: Generating Knowledge in the Context of Learning Communities</b> Philip Woods, Gloucester University, U.K.	Salon CD Pre-register at ptb3@psu.edu or on-site
10:00 am – Noon	<b>Leading for Moral Purpose: The Place of Evidence</b> Charles Burford, Australian Catholic University, Sydney, NSW	Salon AB Pre-register at ptb3@psu.edu or on-site
	<b>LUNCH ON YOUR OWN</b>	

1:00 – 4:00 pm	<b>Inquiring Minds: Excellence and Equity-minded Learning and Leading</b> Anita Townsend, Simcoe County District School Board James Carleton, Simcoe County District School Board Catherine Hannon, Simcoe County District School Board Glenn Conduit, Simcoe County District School Board Jean Hargreaves, Simcoe County District School Board Lindy Zaretsky, Simcoe County District School Board	Salon CD Pre-register at ptb3@psu.edu or on-site
4:30 – 5:30 pm	<b>Graduate Student Reception: Informal Meet &amp; Greet</b> Convened by Carly Ackley, Penn State University	Oceanside Room

### *Thursday October 2 – Conference Events*

3:00 – 6:30 pm	<b>Registration</b>	Salon ABC area
6:30 – 7:00 pm	<b>Opening of Conference</b>  <b>Edward Hickcox</b> , Master of Ceremonies Professor Emeritus, OISE / University of Toronto Welcome from: <b>Dr. Jiemei Li</b> British Columbia Ministry of Education	Salon ABC
	Greetings from the Willower Center: <b>Paul Begley</b> , Penn State	

7:00 – 8:00 pm	<b>Keynote Address:</b> <b>Sponsored by the British Columbia Ministry of Education</b>  Paula Cordeiro, University of San Diego Educating 21 <sup>st</sup> Century School Leaders: Engaging With the World  Introduction by: Michelle Young, UCEA	Salon ABC
8:00 – 10:00 pm	<b>Opening Reception</b> Food and Beverages Provided	Terrace Room

### *Friday October 3 – Conference Events*

<p>7:30 – 8:30 am</p>	<p><b>Calling All Principals! Breakfast Meeting for Principals and Vice-Principals</b>  Convened by:  Glenn Conduit, Principal, Simcoe County School District, Ontario  Eion McAllister, Principal, Toogoolawah, Queensland, Australia  Dina Eletreby, Principal at New Horizon School, Irvine, California  Jillian Reese, Penn State University  Marilyn Begley, Penn State University</p>	<p>Salon AB area</p>
<p>8:00 – 8:30 am</p>	<p><b>Registration and Book Display and Draw Prize Display</b>  Coffee and Bread Basket</p>	
<p>8:30 – 9:30 am</p>	<p><b>Keynote:  Sponsored by Centre for Education, Law and Society, Simon Fraser University</b>   Gabriele Lakomski, University of Melbourne  Colin Evers, University of Hong Kong  Passionate Rationalism: The Role of Emotion in Decision-Making   Introductions: Paul Begley, Penn State University   Discussant: Christopher Hodgkinson, Professor Emeritus,  University of Victoria</p>	<p>Salon AB</p>
<p>9:35 – 10:35 am</p>	<p><b>Concurrent Sessions A, B, C, D, E</b></p>	
	<p><b>Session A: Symposium</b>  Chair, Jim Parsons, University of Alberta   Making Kind “Cool”: Moving From Cyber-Bullying To Cyber-Kindness   Karen Brown, Simon Fraser University  Wanda Cassidy, Simon Fraser University  Margaret Jackson, Simon Fraser University</p>	<p>Salon AB</p>
	<p><b>Session B:</b>  Chair, William Frick, University of Oklahoma   JoAnn Klinker, Texas Tech University  Discipline: An Intersection of Moral Literacy and Leadership</p>	<p>Salon C</p>

	<p>Carolyn Crippen, University of Manitoba Investing in Moral Literacy: Where Are You Now?</p> <p>Valerie Storey, Lynn University Seeking Moral Equilibrium</p>	
	<p><b>Session C:</b> Chair, Charles Burford, Australian Catholic University</p> <p>Carly Ackley, Penn State University Daniel Schochor, Penn State University Fundamental Purposes of Education As They Apply to Green Schools</p> <p>Ann Allen, Ohio State University Responsibility and School Governance</p> <p>Sarah Stager, Penn State University Hollie Mackey, Penn State University Community Building as School Improvement</p>	Salon D
	<p><b>Session D:</b> Chair: Paul Begley, Penn State University</p> <p>Nancy Tuana, Penn State University Conceptualizing Moral Literacy for Educators</p> <p>Dipali Puri, Penn State University The Formation and Development of Moral Literacy as a Component of Pre-Service Teacher Identity</p> <p>Mark Murphy, Penn State University A Report and Analysis of the Web-Based Narrative Accounts by UCEA Members on Experiences that Illustrate the Ethics of UCEA</p>	Breakout ABC
	<p><b>Session E:</b> Chair, Heather Rintoul, Nipissing University</p> <p>Marilyn Begley, Penn State University Ethical Leadership Enacted: One School District's Sustained Efforts to Build Teacher Capacity and Improve Student Achievement</p> <p>Pamela Bishop, University of Calgary Ann Sherman, University of Calgary Coaching in Schools: Forging an Ethical and Inclusive Way Forward</p>	Oceanside

	Hedy Moscovici, California State University Irene Osisioma, California State University Cultural Discontinuity Within a Professional Development Team – Challenges and Solutions	
10:35 – 10:50 am	<b>Refreshment Break</b>	
10:50 – 11:50 am	<b>Keynote Presentation:</b> <b>Sponsored by Penn State Outreach</b>  Paul Bredeson, University of Wisconsin-Madison Context Responsive Leadership and Moral Literacy; Exploring a Dynamic Intersection  Introduction: Lindy Zaretsky, Simcoe County District School Board	Salon AB
12:00 – 1:00 pm	<b>Lunch (meal provided)</b> Gift Draw!	The Terrace

1:00 – 2:00 pm	<b>Keynote Presentation:</b> <b>Sponsored by the Donald and Catherine Willower Endowment</b>  Philip Woods, Gloucestershire University <i>Democracy and Connectedness: Effecting change in the deep structure of education</i>  Introduction: Paul Begley, Penn State University	Salon AB
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2:05 – 3:05 pm	<b>Concurrent Session F, G, H, I, J</b>	
	<b>Session F:</b> Chair, Mark Murphy, Penn State University  Jan Olson, Simcoe County District School Board Education for Some or Education for All: How Does Homework Fit With Our Moral Imperative?  Nicole Zito, Boston College The Influence of Classroom Characteristics and Assignments on Cheating in Middle School Classrooms	Salon AB
	<b>Session G:</b> Chair, Angela Duncan, Penn State University	Salon C

	<p><b>Session G:</b> Dottie Hall, University of Texas – Austin Balancing Accountability and Ethics: A Case Study of an Elementary School Principal</p> <p>Susan Teed, Simon Fraser University Ethics Has a Place in Science Education</p> <p>Lauren D. Rentfro, Valley View School District 365U, Romeoville/Bolingbrook, IL Toward a Code of Ethics: An Inquiry into the Ethical Constructs Valued by Selected Superintendents</p>	
	<p><b>Session H:</b> Chair, Brad Zdenek, Penn State University</p> <p>Stephen Coryelle, Washington State University “Hanging On With Both Hands”: Teachers Leading Small Learning Community Reform</p> <p>Stephanie A. Hoskin, University of Oklahoma Learning Communities: Where Moral Literacy and Teacher Leadership Meet</p> <p>Leena Furtado, California State University A Pathway to Transformative Teacher Leadership: Implications for Moral Literacy</p>	Salon D
	<p><b>Session I:</b> Chair, James Montgomery, US Army</p> <p>Peter J. Holbrook, Cardinal Stritch University The Leadership Story of St. Francis of Assisi: Toward a Model of Franciscan Leadership for Secular Leaders</p> <p>Karen Alvarez, Simon Fraser University Examining Students’, Parents’, and Teachers’ Beliefs About Care</p> <p>Michelle Young, University of Texas-Austin AnNa Choi, University of Texas-Austin Can Virtue Be Taught? Implications for Diverse and Democratic Education</p>	Oceanside
	<p><b>Session J:</b></p>	Breakout ABC

	<p>Chair, Michele Schmidt, Simon Fraser University</p> <p>Erin McHenry-Sorber, Penn State University Hollie Mackey, Penn State University The Influence and Infiltration of Special Interest Groups on Rural Schools: Dilemmas in District Leadership and Community Relations</p> <p>Glenys J. Woods, University of Gloucestershire Philip A. Woods, University of Gloucestershire The Missing Dimension of Reflective Leadership</p> <p>Gerald Fallon, University of Saskatchewan Gerald Paquette, University of Western Ontario Purposes, Values, and Ethical Governance and Leadership in First Nations Education in Canada</p>	
3:05 – 3:20 pm	<b>Refreshment Break</b>	
3:20 – 4:20 pm	<p><b>Forum:</b> Chair / Discussant, Anthony Normore, California State University</p> <p>Leslie Bussey, St. Louis University Pressure Points Or Check Points? Social Context, Leadership Preparation, And The Development Of Moral Literacy In Candidates And Faculty</p> <p>Introduction: Pauline Leonard, Louisiana Tech University</p>	Salon AB
4:20 – 5:20 pm	<b>Concurrent Paper Sessions K, L, M, N, O</b>	
	<p><b>Session K:</b> Workshop Presentation Anita Townsend, Simcoe County School District James Carleton, Simcoe County School District Developing Global Citizenship through Collaborative Global Learning</p>	Salon AB
	<p><b>Session L:</b> Chair, Carolyn Crippen, University of Manitoba</p> <p>Brad Zdenek, Penn State University Building Moral Literacy: A Framework for Reflection</p> <p>Michele Schmidt, Simon Fraser University Moral Literacy: A Paradigm When Leading the School System in</p>	Salon C

	<p>British Columbia</p> <p>Dawn Basinger, Louisiana Tech University          Debby Hollimon, Louisiana Tech University          Rebecca Smith, Louisiana Tech University          Pauline Leonard, Louisiana Tech University</p> <p>Promoting Moral Literacy Competency in Teachers</p>	
	<p><b>Session M:</b>          Chair: Philip Woods University of Gloucestershire</p> <p>Heather Rintoul, Nipissing University          Linda Goulais, Nipissing University          The Vice Principals and Moral Literacy: Developing a Moral Compass</p> <p>Keith Walker, University of Saskatchewan          The Tripartite Leader: Role, Identity and Spirit</p> <p>Don Beach, Tarleton – University of Texas A&amp;M          An Analysis of Principals’ Knowledge and Use of a Code of Ethics to Guide Professional Behaviour</p>	Salon D
	<p><b>Session N:</b>          Chair, Jillian Reese, Penn State University</p> <p>Hollie Mackey, Penn State University          Teachers’ Legal Literacy –The Ethical Responsibility of School Leaders to Prepare Teachers for Changing Times</p> <p>Thomas Fish, University of St.Thomas          “I Am Another You”: Leadership as a Moral Endeavor</p> <p>Yi-Hwa Liou, University of Wisconsin-Madison          Trustworthy Leadership of School Principals in Core Subject Areas</p>	Oceanside
	<p><b>Session O:</b>          Chair, Glenys Woods, Gloucestershire University</p> <p>Graham McDonough, University of Victoria          Thinking Politically and Pluralistically About Religion in Public: Why It Is Not So Simple As “Church vs. State” in Education</p> <p>Marela Dichupa, Simon Fraser University          Let Me Interrupt You: Leadership From the Margins</p>	Breakout ABC

	Michael L. Conners, Washington DC Dennis Arthur Conners, Gonzaga University Teaching Undocumented Immigrants and the Implications for School Leaders: A Seditious Secret and a Call to Action	
5:30 – 6:30 pm	<b>Guided Walking Tour of Victoria – “Fitness and Facts: A Walk Around James Bay”</b> Conducted by Laura Hawkes and Ally Feng, British Columbia Ministry of Education, Assessment Branch	Meet in reception desk area
Evening	<b>Self-directed Activities</b> (see materials package for suggestions)	

### *Saturday October 4 - Conference Events*

7:30 – 8:30 am	<b>Annual Business Meeting of the UCEA Program Center Board of Trustees (board members only please)</b> Convened by Paul Begley, Penn State University	Aura Restaurant
7:30 – 8:30 am	<b>Breakfast Session:</b> Getting Published: Strategies for getting that conference paper published Convened by Larry Sackney, Professor Emeritus, University of Saskatchewan	Salon AB
8:00 – 8:30 am	Coffee and Bread Basket	
8:30 – 9:30am	<b>Keynote Address:</b> <b>Sponsored by the Donald and Catherine Willower Endowment</b>  Administrative Passages: Text, Context, and Subtext in the Development of Moral Literacy Denise Armstrong, Brock University  Introduction: Hollie Mackey, Penn State University	Salon AB
9:35 – 10:35 am	<b>Concurrent Paper Sessions P, Q, R, S, T</b>	
	<b>Session P: Symposium</b>  Facilitator / Discussants Anthony Normore, California State University Suzanne Soohoo, Chapman University	Salon AB

	<p>Dina Eletreby, New Horizon School, Ca American Muslim Adolescents: Assertion of Voice and Identity</p> <p>Rita Rivero, Corona Avenue Elementary School, Ca Implementing A School-Wide Behaviour Plan and Confronting Moral Principles And Values.</p> <p>James W. Newton, Orange County High School, Ca Promoting Moral Literacy Through Professional Learning Communities</p> <p>Marni Fisher, St. Edward The Confessor Elementary, Ca Music To My Ears: Sixth Graders Want iPods in School</p> <p>Cory Tague, Orange County High School, Ca Collaboratively Designing and Implementing an Intervention Program: Implications For Moral Leadership</p> <p>Cesar Gonzalez, Lowell Elementary School, Ca Gaining A Voice, Taking Moral Action, and Making Change: How One Student Body Transformed Their School</p> <p>Gricelda F. Espinoza, Phineas Banny High School, Ca Building Values-Driven Leadership Capacity In Urban Schools Through The WACS Self-Study Process</p>	
	<p><b>Session Q:</b> Chair, Dipali Puri, Penn State University</p> <p>Kathy Curry, Metro Christian Academy Conflicting Ideologies? Engaging the Public about Education through Communicative Action</p> <p>William Frick, University of Oklahoma, Kathrine Gutierrez, University of Oklahoma Moral Literacy and the Contextual Challenge: Understanding the Limits of Ethical Skills and Knowledge in the School Leadership Enterprise</p> <p>James Montgomery, US Army Angela Duncan, Penn State University Organizational Leadership for Mission-Driven Organizations</p>	Salon C
	<p><b>Session R:</b> Chair, Carly Ackley, Penn State University</p>	Salon D

	<p>Brendan Browne, St. Vincent School, Oakville, ON Pragmatic Principal Transitions; Inviting Stories of Experience</p> <p>Frederick Buskey, Western Carolina University Responsibility, Authenticity, and Presence: Transforming Principal Licensure Candidates Into RAPPers</p> <p>Jim Parsons, University of Alberta Adrian Peetoom, Alberta The Morality and the Myth of Individuality and Autonomy; and the Co-Dependence of Education</p>	
	<p><b>Session S:</b> Chair, Daniel Schochor, Penn State University</p> <p>Deborah Tennison, Prue Public School, Oklahoma Verna Ruffin, Tulsa Public School, Oklahoma Gaetane Jean-Marie, University of Oklahoma Changing Society, Changing Values: Advancing Moral Literacy in Schools</p> <p>Mira Bajovic, Brock University Anne Elliot, Brock University The Intersections Between Critical Literacy and Moral Literacy: Implications for Practice</p> <p>Anne F. Kelly, Lenape and New Paltz High School, NY Turn Here: Moral Literacy and Educational Leadership Intersect at Routes 32 South of New Paltz NY and 1 Eugene Brown Drive, Ulster BOCES Programs at Lenape Elementary School</p>	Oceanside
	<p><b>Session T:</b> Chair, Lindy Zaretsky, Simcoe County District School Board</p> <p>Jie-Eun Grace Lee, Vanderbilt University Using Music to Develop Moral Literacy</p> <p>Nisha Parhar, Simon Fraser University Culturally Relevant Pedagogy and Why It Works</p> <p>Patricia Ehrensall, Temple University Structure Matters: Uncovering Hegemonies and Finding Possibilities</p> <p>Phaedra Shipley, University of Oklahoma Ensure Educational Equity: Train All Teachers in Technology Implementation</p>	Breakout ABC

10:35 – 10:50 am	<b>Refreshment Break</b>	
10:50 – 11:50 am	<p><b>Keynote Presentation:</b>  <b>Sponsored by the Willower Center for the Study of Leadership and Ethics of UCEA</b></p> <p>Paul Begley, Penn State University  <i>The Tyranny of Professions</i></p> <p>Introduction: Charles Burford, Australian Catholic University</p>	Salon AB
12:00 – 1:00 pm	<b>Lunch</b> (meal provided)	Terrace
1:00 – 2:00 pm	<b>Concurrent Paper Sessions U, V, W, X, Y</b>	
	<p><b>Session U: Symposium</b>  Moderator / Chair: Jacqueline Stefkovich, Penn State University</p> <p>Exploring the Role of Law in the Development of Moral Literacy</p> <p>Patricia F. First, Clemson University  Reflections of Justice in Schooling</p> <p>Susan C. Bon, George Mason University  In Search of Ethical Jurisprudence in the Study of Educational Law</p> <p>Patrick Pauken, Bowling Green University  The Expression and Development of Moral Literacy and Legal Reasoning Through Leadership.</p> <p>Julie Mead, Wisconsin – University of Wisconsin -Madison  From Legal Reasoning to Ethical Decision Making</p> <p>Patricia A. L. Ehrensall, Temple University  Fraser and the Cheerleader: Values and the Boundaries of Student Speech</p>	Salon AB
	<p><b>Session V:</b>  Chair, Hollie Mackey, Penn State University</p> <p>Joanne Erickson, University of Montana  From Representation to Diversity in Training American Indian School Leaders</p> <p>Roben Taylor, Louisiana Tech University  Building Culturally Differentiated Classrooms</p>	Salon C

	<p>Orly Shapira-Lishchinsky, University of Haifa (Israel)  Lily Orland-Barak, University of Haifa (Israel)  The Multifaceted Character of Ethical Dilemmas in Teaching: The Israeli Case</p>	
	<p><b>Session W:</b>  Chair, Pauline Leonard, Louisiana Tech University</p> <p>Tom Culham, Simon Fraser University  The Leader's Role in Cultivating Virtue and Knowledge in Education</p> <p>Pamela Bishop, University of Calgary  Helen Maloney, University of Calgary  Believable leadership and believing leaders: Why they matter for public education in the 21<sup>st</sup> century</p> <p>Frank Van Hesteren, University of Saskatchewan  Keith Walker, University of Saskatchewan  Higher is Better: Tennis as a Metaphor for Authentic Compassionate Leadership</p> <p>Daniel Vokey, University of British Columbia  Topic to be Arranged (TBA)</p>	Salon D
	<p><b>Session X:</b>  Chair, Jillian Reese, Penn State University</p> <p>David N. Wagner, Bowling Green University  Ethical Considerations Regarding the Infusion of Personal Values into the Educational Processes of Higher Education</p> <p>Jim Parsons, University of Alberta  William Frick, University of Oklahoma  Why as Professors We Hate Our Jobs: A Critique of Disengagement in the Academy</p> <p>William Hanson, Clemson University  Ethical Leadership Dynamics Within the Higher Education Institution</p>	Oceanside
	<p><b>Session Y:</b>  Chair, Wanda Cassidy, Simon Fraser University</p> <p>Emma Staples, Simon Fraser University  The Dilemma of Activist Teachers: Visual Metaphors and Lived</p>	Breakout ABC

	<p>Experiences of Conflicted Professional Identity</p> <p>Kel McDowell, Simon Fraser University Walls that Divide – Exploring Barriers in Relationships Between Teachers and Economically Disadvantaged Students</p> <p>Tom Wilson, Chapman University La Escuela Freire: Academy for Culture, Leadership and Civic Engagement</p> <p>Darlene Ciuffetelli Parker, Brock University Moral Literacy in an initial teacher education program: Teacher candidates’ literacy narratives over four years.</p>	
2:00 – 2:15	<b>Break</b> - Final Gift Draw	
2:15 – 3:00	<p><b>Final Keynote Session:</b> <b>Sponsored by the Willower Center for the Study of Leadership and Ethics of UCEA</b></p> <p>Gail Furman, Washington State University Michelle Young, UCEA <i>Observations</i></p> <p>Introduction: Paul Begley, Penn State University</p>	Salon AB
3:00 – 3:15	<p><b>Closing Remarks:</b> Ed Hickcox, Professor Emeritus, OISE /UT Paul Begley, Penn State University</p>	Salon AB
3:15	<b>2008 Conference Adjourns</b>	