



Celebrate the Power of Girls and Girls' Schools at ICGS Educating Girls Symposiums Around the World



LOS ANGELES: Early Bird Registration for the ICGS Educating Girls Symposium at Marlborough School is open through January 15, and group rates are available—register today! Set to take place February 15, the Symposium will feature a broad array of programming. Along with hearing from inspirational [keynote speakers](#), delegates will have the opportunity to participate in their choice of [breakout presentations](#) that focus on a variety of timely topics of interest for girls' school educators. There is still time to register for the [Girls' School College Counseling Forum](#)—which will take place concurrently with the Symposium—as well. Learn more [here](#).

ABOUT THE EDUCATING GIRLS SYMPOSIUM AT MARLBOROUGH SCHOOL:

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MELBOURNE: We are thrilled to announce that Djapirri Mununggirritj, Director of Culture College Arnhem Land Aboriginal Corporation, Member of the Indigenous Engagement Team for the Department of Prime Minister and Cabinet, educator, futurist and visioneer, will be presenting both a keynote address and workshop at the first Australian [Educating Girls Symposium at Melbourne Girls Grammar](#). Don't miss this opportunity to gain insights from one of our leading First Nations voices April 26 and 27. Djapirri will help bridge the understanding between Indigenous and non-Indigenous knowledge and give perspective on educating and inspiring the young women of today.



Djapirri is a powerful educator determined to bring balance to the relationship between Indigenous and non-Indigenous, she teaches how to learn, grow and share through reciprocity, humility, openness and patience. Additionally, **Stephen Holmes**, Principal and Founder of [The 5Rs Partnership](#), will be sharing his expert insights and perspective about reputation management in both a plenary session and a post-event workshop for Symposium delegates.

ABOUT THE EDUCATING GIRLS SYMPOSIUM AT MELBOURNE GIRLS GRAMMAR:

ADDITIONAL UPCOMING ICGS EDUCATING GIRLS SYMPOSIUMS:

- **September 6** - [Westlake Girls High School](#), Auckland, NZ
- **November 8** - [Wimbledon High School GDST](#), London, England, UK

Registration for [these events](#) will open soon. Coalition members are encouraged to contribute their own perspectives, insights, and expertise to the ongoing thought leadership dialogue as well. Visit our [Open Call for Proposals](#) to learn more.

RESEARCH CORNER

Participate in the 2024 ICGS Research Webinar Series

Sign up to hear from practitioner researchers on their findings in classroom research. Learn more about topics ranging from academic resiliency and debunking perfectionism, to creativity, collaboration, and self-directed learning. The webinars will be recorded, and links shared with those who register. More details coming soon!

February 20 | 3-4 p.m. ET / 8-9 p.m. GMT

March 5 | 3-4 p.m. ET / 8-9 p.m. GMT

March 19 | 3-4 p.m. ET / 7-8 p.m. GMT

April 2 | 3-4 p.m. ET / 8-9 p.m. BST

[register now](#)



Headways: South Africa and Australasia

ICGS members in South Africa and Australasia are invited to build a network of trusted colleagues as you share best practices and learn about the latest trends and innovations in girls' school education. Join the ICGS discussion series [Headways™](#) today! Each cohort will address multiple topics of interest over the course of five one-hour virtual sessions throughout 2024.

Space is available in the following cohorts that begin in early 2024:
SOUTH AFRICA: [Deputy Heads and Heads at Girls' Schools](#) and [Hot Topics at Girls' Schools](#).

[learn more](#)

[Australasia: Artificial Intelligence in Schools, Cultures of Thinking: Approaches to Teaching and Learning, Girls as Healthy Members of High-Achieving Communities](#), and [Global Citizenship](#).

Advising Non-US Students on US College and University Admissions

US universities are increasingly of interest to girls from around the world, but their admission process differs greatly from that of other countries and can be hard to understand from a distance. [Join us for this webinar series designed to introduce you to the information and tools you need to help guide your US-bound applicants through the admission process.](#) Our first session will provide an overview of the process and will be followed by three "deep-dive" sessions on The Timeline for a US University Search; Researching Schools and Building a Strategic Application List; and The Common Application and Essay Writing. This webinar series will be led by Amy Rogers, Dean of College Counseling at [Miss Porter's School](#) in Farmington, Connecticut, USA.

[learn more and register](#)

What the World Needs Now – Girls Who Know Themselves

February 7 | 2-3 p.m. ET / 7-8 p.m. GMT

When girls learn to bring their inner Captain and Poet into partnership, they get ready access to their inner knowing and are empowered with self-leadership, heightened authenticity, deeper connection to self and others, and an inner compass to navigate challenges – now and in the future. Join us to:

- **Learn** a simple language that can be woven into daily student life to enhance self-awareness and inspire a greater sense of agency and purpose in the world.
- **Harness** students' unique abilities to promote success and fulfillment in their personal, academic, and professional life.
- **Ignite** authentic approaches to leadership that enable students to collaborate more effectively with others.
- **Bridge** Well-being and Inclusion & Belonging programming for heightened impact.
- **Enrich** teachers with a self-discovery tool they can explore alongside students.
- **Create** a positive culture from students themselves!

[This webinar, offered in partnership with Captains & Poets, is free for ICGS members.](#)

[learn more and register](#)

2024 ICGS Conference Call for Proposals

All ICGS members are encouraged to [submit presentation proposals](#) for consideration for the 2024 ICGS Conference. Proposals that showcase thought leadership and pose interesting questions across all aspects of girls' education, growth, and development will be considered, as will proposals that address the philosophical and operational considerations of girls' schools.



All ICGS programming is designed to deliver global excellence and regional relevance. Presenters are selected by ICGS for their subject-matter expertise, engaging content, and alignment with the Coalition's [vision and principles](#). The submission deadline is January 31, 2024.

submit your proposal



Support Girls' Schools: Join the ICGS Team!

The International Coalition of Girls' Schools is seeking to hire a full-time, remote **Digital Marketing, Media & Events Manager**. This position reports directly to the Director of Strategic Communications & Programming.

Responsibilities Include:

- Helping develop and maintain the visual identity and voice of ICGS across all platforms
- Assisting in all aspects of maintaining the ICGS website
- Assisting in implementing communication plans to enhance the public image of ICGS
- Strategizing social media campaigns and managing the Coalition's social media channels
- Developing content for dissemination via media releases, social media, website and other channels
- Building relationships with journalists and influencers

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Items of Interest

ICGS RESOURCES & OPPORTUNITIES

[Enroll in the ICGS-R.E.A.L. Discussion Pilot Cohort](#)

Registration Open Through January 17

[Baret Scholars Opportunity for ICGS Students](#)

Global Gap Year Experience Scholarships Available - Info Sessions January 16 and 24

[Understanding Student Well-Being, Engagement, and Belonging](#)

Research Study Presented in Partnership with Stanford University Challenge Success

[ICGS Streaming Channel](#)

Professional Development Videos for Educators

[Nominations Open for 2023-2024 Ransome and H. William Christ Educator Prizes](#)

Submission Period Open Through January 26

NEWS & USEFUL LINKS



Join us as we dive into the treasure trove of wisdom from our On Educating Girls vault! Our ICGS Podcast Shorts feature curated content offered in informative episodes that give you actionable ideas and takeaways, all delivered in 10 minutes or less.

Tune in now:

[Women leaders weigh in on how to move the needle in 2024](#)

The Globe & Mail

[The impact of intersectional racial and gender biases on minority female leadership over two centuries](#)

Nature

[How women's sports are breaking through and scoring big wins with mainstream audiences](#)

PBS NewsHour

- [Five Ways to Help Girls Grow in Resilience](#)
- [Can AI Make Us Better Humans?](#)
- [Healthy Ways for Girls to Handle Everyday Pressure](#)

COMING SOON: The Connected Girl, a compelling six-episode On Educating Girls podcast series that offers expert insights into important aspects of girls' healthy development in a world that can often feel disjointed.

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