Abundant Offerings for Educators at the 2024 ICGS Conference

In less than three months, girls' school educators, advocates, and allies from around the world will gather in Baltimore, Maryland, USA for the 2024 ICGS Conference. With abundant thanks to our knowledgeable girls' school colleagues, more than 100 Breakout and INSPIRE! sessions have been added to the Conference Program, with professional development and thought leadership offerings available for every member of your school team to choose from.

Three terrific Pre-Conference Workshops have been added to the Conference lineup as well: Burn In, Not Out: How to Propagate Well-Being to Fuel Student Success with Burn-in Mindset; Let's Discuss Discussion: Building a Whole-School Skills-Based Approach to our Conversation Crisis with R.E.A.L. Discussion; and Finding Your Shine in a Land Full of Mines with House of Shine.

Several opportunities for networking and experiencing the culture of "Charm City" are available during the Conference, including a special Opening Reception to take place at the iconic National Aquarium, walks and cultural tours around Baltimore's iconic Inner Harbor, Dine Arounds at nearby restaurants, the chance to take in a Baltimore Orioles baseball game, post-Conference School Visits to girls' schools located in the area, and more. If you have already registered to attend the Conference and you'd like to add one or more of these complementary opportunities to your Conference experience, please email Kathleen Osborne, ICGS Director of Strategic Communications & Programming, at kosborne@girlsschools.org.

Representatives of more than 150 schools and organizations in 10 countries have registered to attend the 2024 ICGS Conference. Add your name to the list today!

Schedule of Programming | Pre-Conference Workshops | Networking Opportunities | Keynote Speakers | Breakout Sessions | INSPIRE! Sessions | Post-Conference School Visits | Hotel Accommodations | While You're in Baltimore | Participating Schools/Organizations | Conference Sponsors | Registration

Introduction to Girls' Schools Course - Perfect for Educators New to Girls' Schools

Registration is now open for this innovative professional development opportunity developed specifically for educators at girls' schools. This three-week online course is led by accomplished, respected girls' school
Participants will explore research on girls' education and hear directly from experts in the field on how girls learn best. They will then apply this new knowledge to classroom and school setting scenarios and receive feedback on their thoughts from expert mentors. By the end of the experience, educators will gain a clear sense of what it means to work in a girls' school; understand research related to girls' education and demonstrate they can apply it to their own practice; and connect to a worldwide community of educators.

Session I: June 10-23, 2024  
Session II: July 15-August 2, 2024  
Session III: January 13-February 1, 2025

Registration for the EGS in Melbourne Closing Soon; Early Bird Registration for EGS in Auckland Now Open

Hundreds of girls' school educators will have the opportunity to be in community with one another to build their professional networks and share best practices at the April 26 ICGS Educating Girls Symposium at Melbourne Girls Grammar in Melbourne, AUS. It's not too late to add your name to the list—registration is open through April 19. Learn more by following the links below:

- Symposium Overview  
- Registration  
- Accommodation  
- Keynote Speakers  
- Post-Symposium Workshops  
- While You're in Melbourne

Be among the first to register to attend the inaugural ICGS Educating Girls Symposium in New Zealand, set to take place September 6 at Westlake Girls High School in Auckland. Early Bird pricing is available through August 6. The day's program will include keynote, breakout, and hands-on workshop sessions focused on the theme of Celebrating the Power of Girls and Girls' Schools.

And don't forget to mark your calendars and make plans to join us for the 2024 ICGS Educating Girls Symposium in the UK: September 8 at Wimbledon High School GDST in London.
The International Coalition of Girls' Schools is proud to make available to member schools a robust, user-friendly Research Library of scholarly articles, white papers, Coalition-commissioned studies, videos, research guides, and other materials related to girls' schools and the education and growth and development of girls.

With 650 resources cataloged, the ICGS Research Library is the premier collection of its type related to girls. This information is available exclusively to ICGS members, and it has been curated by the Coalition and our newly merged partner, the Alliance of Girls' Schools Australasia, over the course of many years. Please check back often, as the Research Library is continuously updated.

To access the Research Library, please click here. You'll also find the link at www.girlsschools.org, under the Research menu. Member login is required.

Are You LinkedIn With Us?
ICGS maintains a robust presence on LinkedIn, where we share news and information about professional development events and initiatives, along with timely resources that make the case for the important work of girls' schools around the world. Connect with us today!

Items of Interest

ICGS RESOURCES & OPPORTUNITIES
ICGS Events Calendar
Coalition-sponsored events and programs hosted by member schools and partner organizations

On Educating Girls Podcast Shorts
Featuring actionable ideas and takeaways, all delivered in 10 minutes or less

ICGS Streaming Channel

New on the ICGS Blog
Through our Raising Girls' Voices blog, ICGS is pleased to provide our member schools with a platform to share information about their unique perspectives and programming. The blog is also a great resource for families and others in the broader community, as it highlights the advantages of a girls' school education.

Check out (and share!) our most recent posts:
Dozens of on-demand professional development recordings suitable for faculty, students, parents, and others

NEWS & USEFUL LINKS

Why young men and women are drifting apart
The Economist

Girls, Health, and Digital Media
Institute of Digital Media and Child Development

Articulation Challenge for UK Students
The National Gallery

Women's share of executive jobs falls for first time in years, study finds
The Washington Post

Fueling Girls' Success: Top insights from the largest survey on social media and tech's impact on student well-being and learning—by The Social Institute

We're all in this together, with girls' schools leading the way—by Megan Murphy, ICGS Global Executive Director

Harnessing the Leader Within—by Jennifer Johnson, Co-Founder of Captains & Poets

ICGS accepts proposals for guest submissions or guest opportunities related to advocacy resources hosted by the Coalition, including the Raising Girls’ Voices blog, On Educating Girls podcast, Coalition Connection newsletter, and social media platforms. Email kosborne@girlsschools to learn more.