

Thirteenth Annual Institute for Emotional Intelligence

Teaching, Learning, and Leadership Excellence

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2016 - Thirteenth Annual Institute for Emotional Intelligence

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When: April 18-22, 2016

Where: Emerald Beach Hotel
Corpus Christi, Texas

We are very pleased to announce the 2016 Thirteenth Annual institute for Emotional Intelligence to be held in the beautiful sparkling city by the sea, Corpus Christi, Texas! By integrating the skills and skills sets of transformative emotional intelligence (EI) in its institution's quality enhancement plan (QEP)-the Learning Environment Adaptability Project-LEAP, McLennan is modeling the way of using EI to pursue excellence in higher education, community support, and organizational development/culture. South Texas College has also used the Emotional Skills Assessment Process® (ESAP®) with students, and ESAP®, Personal Excellence Map® (PEM®), and Skills for Career and Life Effectiveness® (SCALE®) with staff, faculty, and leadership for professional development.

We hope you will join us April 18-22, 2016, and participate meaningfully in and help celebrate the pursuit of excellence using transformative EI to enhance teaching, learning, career programs, personal well being, and community initiatives.

Why Attend?

- Learn about and share EI research related to teaching, learning, institutional effectiveness, and leadership development.
- Learn about and share EI curriculum innovations that address THECB core curriculum.
- Learn about and share how transformative EI is being used in business and government settings.
- Learn about and share how a research-based transformative approach for professional coaching was planned, developed, and implemented.
- Learn new ideas and approaches for pursuing excellence in your professional practice.
- Learn everyday practical applications of EI for personal well being, effective relationships, and career success.

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2016 Annual Institute for Emotional Intelligence Week At A Glance

The thirteenth Annual Institute for Emotional Intelligence is scheduled for the week of April 18, 2016 in Corpus Christi, Texas. A brief outline for the week's events is provided below.

- April 18-19, 2016: Two-Day EILS EI Certification Workshop
- April 20, 2016: Well Being and Career Success Institute with Darwin Nelson, Ph.D.
- April 20, 2016: Teaching and Learning Excellence with Gary Low, Ph.D.
- April 29, 2016: EI for Success Coaching with Rick Hammett, Ed.D. and Margo Murray, MBA, CPT
- April 21-22, 2016: Two-Day EI Conference

All events will convene at the Emerald Beach Hotel.



EI Research and Applications

Current doctoral, institutional, and organizational research is shared in conference and pre-conference institutes to demonstrate the practical applications and enhance the scholarship and professional practice of transformative EI. Over 65 doctoral dissertations have been completed using our research derived EI assessments. Applied research provides the foundation and framework for improving teaching and learning, designing EI based curriculum, maximizing college and student success, strategic planning for positive change, and making interdisciplinary connections for people and organizations. One specific example is a current and inside look at the innovative Quality Enhancement Plan of McLennan Community College (MCC) to improve student effort/engagement and course completion/retention by embedding and integrating EI into the college's institutional culture.

EI Curricula

Emotional Intelligence as a learned ability is the defining feature of our person-centered, relationship-focused learning models from the very beginning of our research emphasis on personal and

emotional skills (1977-present). The education and transformative learning models of emotional intelligence provide structured learning processes (Emotional Learning System) important for teaching, learning, and leadership excellence. Programs illustrate the essential nature of innovative education and training curricula to positively impact achievement, career excellence, college success, personal well being, and lifelong learning. The Learning Environment Adaptability Project (LEAP) at MCC provides a current model to incorporate EI into college success, learning frameworks courses in education and psychology, interdisciplinary gateway classes, and support programs.

EI in Business, Government, and Organizational Settings

Developing human potential in organizational settings is an important and guiding vision for successful learning organizations in the 21st century. The intricate relationship of transformative emotional intelligence competencies, skill sets, and skills to leadership, performance, and building healthy people, organizations, and communities is presented and highlighted in programs presented by experienced and skilled professionals. Self and leadership

development provide a focus for programs and courses designed to enhance the education, training, and renewal of people in business and government settings. Featured programs include:

- Innovations in Business
- Exemplary Leadership
- Aspirational Learning

EI in Professional Coaching

Professional Coaching is an emerging, rapidly growing, and diverse profession in the U.S. and globally. With much encouragement and specific requests to develop a professional coaching program with transformative emotional intelligence, we have developed a high quality program based on our positive assessment approach and Personal Excellence Model. A pre-conference seminar is scheduled, and program presentations during the conference will present and illustrate this new professional coaching program. A special feature will include programs on the University of Houston-Victoria graduate sequence of four courses in the Adult and Higher Education unit of the College of Education and Human Development and EILS professional certification program.

CONFERENCE AT A GLANCE. A central feature of our annual conference is to provide a collegial forum to share and disseminate emerging and evidence-based research and programs related to transformative emotional intelligence. A goal of our annual conference is to present innovative practices in EI research and professional practice, educational and curriculum developments for teaching and learning EI skill sets and skills, model program applications in business, organizational, and government settings. Individuals interested in presenting programs or posters should contact Rick Hammett at rick@eitri.org.

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