



Inaugural Conference

Wheelock College, Boston

April 20 & 21, 2018

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Friday, April 20

- 8:00-8:45 **Registration & Continental Breakfast**
- 8:45-9:15 **Welcome** – Josh Golin, Diane Levin, Ph.D., Jean Rogers, M.S.Ed.
- 9:15-10:00 ***This IS Brain Science! Multiple Effects of Media on Children***, Douglas Gentile, Ph.D.
- 10:00-10:45 ***Commercialism is the Missing Link***, Jenny Radesky, M.D., Josh Golin, Nathan Dungan
- 11:00-12:15 **Breakout Session I:**
- Get Outside! Nature's Antidote to Screen Time**, Cheryl Charles, Ph.D., Lais Fleury
 - "Teaching Naked" Right from the Start: Keeping Screen Media Out of Infant/Toddler Classrooms**, Patricia Cantor, Ed.D., Mary Cornish, Ph.D., Susan Linn, Ed.D.
 - A Method for Reducing Screen Time: Encouraging Parents to SPOIL their Children**, Meghan Owenz, Ph.D.
 - Biophysics to the Rescue: 'Embodiment' Repair for Damaged Nervous Systems**, Bill Softky, Ph.D.
- 12:15-1:15 **Lunch: Working Groups & Roundtable Discussions**
- Screen Time Impact on Literacy and Language Learning** with Nikki Shearman, Ph.D., Jean Fahey, Ph.D.
 - Screen-Free Families and Media Lite Living Initiatives** with Dr. Barbara Brock, Sara Michelson
- 1:15-2:00 ***Screen Schooled: Two Veteran Teachers Expose Screen Overuse in Schools***, Matt Miles, Joe Clement
- 2:00-2:30 ***The Tech Industry's Psychological War on Kids***, Richard Freed, Ph.D.
- 2:45-4:00 **Breakout Session II:**
- Screen Time, ADHD, & Attention Issues: How to Help Families Cope**, Emily Cherkin, M.Ed.
 - Moving Forward with Real Solutions in Our Schools**, Matt Miles, Joe Clement, Melanie Hempe, RN, Holley East
 - It's Not You It's Your Phone: Talking with Parents and Their Children about Persuasive Design**, Criscillia Benford, Ph.D.
 - Online Preschools: "Innovation" or Exploitation?** Roxana Marachi, Ph.D., GERALYN Bywater-McLaughlin, M.Ed.
- 4:00-5:00 **Reception and Networking**
- 5:00-6:30 **Special Guest Presenter:** Paula Poundstone (with book signing, *The Totally Unscientific Search for Human Happiness*)

Saturday, April 21st

- 8:00-8:30 **Registration & Continental Breakfast**
- 9:00-9:15 **Welcome** –Nathan Dungan
- 9:15-10:00 ***Young Children and Technology: Risks and Hopes***, Nancy Carlsson-Paige, Ed.D.
- 10:15-11:30 **Breakout Session III:**
-Digital Disconnect: Teens Agreed to Participate and Survived, Jacques Brodeur
-Why Can't Children Sit Still: Importance of Movement to Enhance Attention and Learning, Cris Rowan
-Have Children Lost Their Ability to Play? Why Does It Matter? What Can We Do? Diane Levin, Ph.D.
-On the Front Lines: Using Your Knowledge and Passion to Effectuate Change, David Monahan, J.D.
- 11:30-12:30 **Lunch: Working Groups & Roundtable Discussions**
-Screens and Early Childhood with Nancy Carlsson-Paige, Ed.D.
-AAP Family Media Plan with Kathleen Clarke-Pearson, M.D.
- 12:30-1:30 ***The Overstimulated Child***, Victoria Dunckley, M.D.
- 1:45-3:00 **Breakout Session IV:**
-Reset Your Child's Brain, Victoria Dunckley, M.D.
-E-books, Tablets, and Parent-Child Social-Emotional Engagement, Jenny Radesky, M.D., Tiffany Munzer, M.D.
-Who's Raising Our Kids: Nurturing Human Values in a Snapchat World, Sharon Maxwell, Ph.D., Chelsea Maxwell, Ed.M.
-Working Across Difference: Tech, Access, & Screen Use in Diverse Populations, Makeda Keegan, Ph.D., Velma LaPoint, Ph.D.
- 3:00-3:30 **Closing**
- 3:30-4:00 **Book Signing with Conference Authors**

To register, please go to: <https://screentimenetwork.org/conference>
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