

Burnaby Mountain Community of Educators onference 2014

Featuring Ann Pelo



Professionals in the **Education Community** Early Childhood Educators:

Teacher educator, program consultant, and author **Ann Pelo**



and in Ourselves" "A Sense of Wonder: Identity in Young Children Cultivating an Ecological

> talism. But first: wonder. ness and critical thinking to their literacy repable to add the tools of reflective consciouspulsing life. As children grow older, they are towards and connection to the earth and its hood—the development of a sense of wonder in being alive in a mysterious, beautiful world." tor David Orr describes ecological identity as Eco-philosopher and environmental educathat is at the heart of committed environmenertoire, and, so, develop the ecological identity This is the particular task of early child-"driven by a sense of wonder, the sheer delight

place of ecological identity in children's – and ing, pedagogical leadership, and the necessary them about inquiry-based teaching and learnyears at Hilltop Children's Center, a full-day as a teacher and teacher mentor for sixteen focuses on Reggio-inspired, social justice, and consultant, and author whose primary work adults' – lives. ica, Australia, and New Zealand, thinking with educators and administrators in North Amer-Currently, Ann works with early childhood childcare program in Seattle, Washington. ecological teaching and learning. She worked Ann Pelo is a teacher educator, program







Keynote address:

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patory research with young children. well as conducting and advocating for include: exploring young children's exp Simon Fraser University. Her research ir pursuing her Doctoral degree in Educat es within natural and forest environme

versity. She is curre program at Ryerso

Saturday, February 22, 2014

8:30 - 9:00AM - Registration 9:00 - 3:30 PM - Conference

(Light lunch included)

Centers 3:30 - 5:00 PM - Tour of SFU Childcare Soc

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