

Day 2: Tuesday 8th December

09.00 **Introduction** *(William Turner Suite)*
Ger Graus - Chief Executive, Children's University

09.15 **Keynote Address:** *(William Turner Suite)*
*Dr James Bradburne - Architect, Educationalist and Director General of the
Fondazione Palazzo Strozzi, Florence (Italy)*

A time to reflect on the 5 Ws and 1 H (the *What, Where, When, Who, Why* and *How*) from a very different point of view. Dr James Bradburne will introduce his thoughts on new approaches to informal learning and to the time and space of learning, including the changing landscape of learning, learning in the wild, where the wild things are and remagicalising the world!

"Learning in the wild - The future of learning in the 21st century"
(part 1) *(William Turner Suite)*

10.00 *Coffee* *(Brabazon Bar)*

10.15 **"Learning in the wild - The future of learning in the 21st century"**
(part 2) *(William Turner Suite)*

11.00 **Rapid Information Exchange (learning from each other)** *(William Turner Suite)*
Ger Graus

Find out more about each other's Children's Universities through our own version of 'speed-dating'. Learning from each other through sharing practice - from the curriculum to validation and from data management to ...?!

12.30 **And finally ...** *(William Turner Suite)*
Ger Graus

12.45 *Lunch and Departure* *(Lunch at the Orangery)*



Dr James Bradburne

Dr James Bradburne is a British-Canadian architect, designer and museum specialist who has designed World's Fair pavilions, science centres, and international art exhibitions. Educated in Canada and England, he developed numerous exhibitions, research projects and symposia for UNESCO, national governments, private foundations, and museums worldwide during the course of the past fifteen years. In 1994 he was invited to join new Metropolis Science and Technology Center in Amsterdam as Head of Design, Research and Development, and was responsible for the planning of new exhibits, exhibitions, programmes, and products for new Metropolis. From January 1st, 1999 until the end of 2002 he directed the Museum für Angewandte Kunst in Frankfurt am Main and from 2003 - 2006 was Director of the Next Generation Foundation, an independent foundation to promote innovation in informal learning initiated by the president of LEGO, Kjeld Kirk Kristiansen. James is presently Director General of the Fondazione Palazzo Strozzi, Florence's largest temporary exhibition space and one of Florence's most important Renaissance palaces. He currently sits on several international advisory committees and museum boards, and has curated and designed exhibitions including 'Rudolph II' (Prague Castle) and 'Blood: perspectives on art, power, politics and pathology' (Frankfurt am Main Schirn Kunsthalle). He lectures internationally about new approaches to informal learning, and has published extensively. In 2005 and 2006, Dr Bradburne was the E. Desmond Lee Distinguished Visiting Professor at Webster University, St. Louis, Missouri, where he taught a graduate programme in informal learning, and hosted an international symposium entitled 'The Time and Space of Learning'.

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Professor John MacBeath

Professor John MacBeath, OBE, is the Chair of Educational Leadership at the University of Cambridge and until 2000 was the Director of the Quality in Education Centre at the University of Strathclyde in Glasgow.

He is Director of Leadership for Learning: The Cambridge Network and the Wallenberg Centre. He is also Chairman of the International Network for Educational Improvement and consultant to the Hong Kong Education Department on school effectiveness. As well as his interest and research on leadership John has for the last decade worked with schools, education authorities and national governments on school self-evaluation. He has led on and published research on the impact of out-of-hours learning on attitudes, attendance and attainment.

John has acted in a consultancy role to the Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development (OECD), UNESCO and ILO (International Labour Organization), the Bertelsmann Foundation, the Prince's Trust, the European Commission, the Scottish Executive, the Swiss Federal Government, the Varkey Group in Dubai (Emirates) and the Hong Kong Education Department. He was a member of the Government Task Force on Standards from 1997-2001 and was awarded the OBE for services to education in 1997.

Professor MacBeath and his team are responsible for the national evaluation of the Children's University™ (CU). He has also led on the development of the CU's national 'Planning for Learning' framework.

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