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Simon is recognised internationally as a leading thinker on educational futures, innovation and change leadership. As an educational researcher, consultant and acclaimed keynote speaker, Simon works with school and system leaders to challenge the status quo, inspire fresh thinking and leverage new solutions in order to radically improve learning.

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Numbers are strictly limited. All staff and educators from Government, Independent and Catholic organisations are encouraged to attend.

Tickets: $220.00 (inc gst) per person
Venue: Charles Darwin University, Casuarina Campus
Date: Saturday 15 October 2011
Time: 8.30am—4.30pm
UNLEASHING TEACHER TALENT

How to build creative, collaborative and sustainable workplace cultures that will retain and develop incredible teachers and emerging leaders.

The capacity of your school to improve learning and adapt to rapid global change is largely dependent on the talent and engagement of your staff.

Unfortunately, young talented teachers are rapidly leaving the sector and many experienced educators feel uninspired and like they are ‘going through the motions.’ Courageous and innovative leadership is required to re-imagine school cultures in the Northern Territory and unleash the passions and abilities of talented staff, regardless of their career stage.

Ask yourself:
1. What qualities define the talented teacher and educational leader of the future?
2. What workplace culture and leadership will attract and engage that talent in the NT?
3. What can leaders do to reinvigorate and inspire their teams to innovate learning and improve performance?

Leading Talent Cultures will shift your mindset, equip you for action and inspire you to mobilise others for change

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- Expose the entrenched school cultures that drive your talented Gen Y staff to leave or disengage.
- Unpack global trends on workplace motivation and employee expectations.
- Examine the 5-Core elements of a ‘Talent Culture.’
- Outline tactical strategies to reinvent your organisational culture and reinvigorate your staff.
- Showcase global examples of innovative workplace design from education, non-profits and business.
- Help you to strategically attract the next generation of talent to your school and develop your own leadership pipeline.
- Examine future-focused strategies for leading multi-generational teams.
- Move beyond theory with an approach that is grounded in the real change that leaders are aiming to drive in their own contexts.