

The New Hampshire State Council on the Arts Invites You to

Save the Dates: October 19 and 20, 2012 Opening Minds to the Arts

NH Statewide Arts Education Conference

The conference brings big thinkers to New Hampshire for an exchange of ideas among school administrators, arts educators, teaching artists, arts advocates, scientists, parents and community arts supporters.

A work of art is above all an adventure of the mind. ~ Eugene Ionesco

Conference highlights include:

- Keynote speaker: Sandra Ruppert, Executive Director, National Arts Education Partnership. Learn about ArtsEdSearch, the nation's first online arts education research and policy clearinghouse.
- Presentation & media arts workshop: Colleen Macklin, Associate Professor, Design and Technology, Parsons the New School for Design and Design Director of PETLab, a project of Games for Change and Parsons, supported by the MacArthur Foundation
- **STEM** to STE**A**M (STEM + Art & Design = STE**A**M): A conversation with professional artists, scientists and educators about the essential role of Art & Design in Science, Technology, Engineering and Math (STEM).
- Arts Advocacy Luncheon with a celebratory launch of The New Hampshire Arts Learning Network & website

Plus

• Workshops & Seminars • Information on Grants Opportunities • Arts Education Best Practices & Model Programs • Exhibits of Artists in Residence Projects • updates on emerging standards for Media Arts • Leadership & Arts Advocacy • Discussion of current and emerging issues in arts education • Post conference dine-abouts & arts experiences in the Upper Valley • Meet teaching artists from NH and New England.

For information or to submit a workshop proposal, check the New Hampshire State Council on the Arts website www.nh.gov/nharts or email Catherine.R.Obrian@dcr.nh.gov; 603-271-0795. To register, visit www.aannh.org.

Conference Partners include:









