

Tuition is \$1480 for one person or \$990 for two to five. The price includes all meals but one, workshop materials and ground transportation to and from the airport. In order to insure quality of discussion, group size is limited. Seats are available on a first-come, first-serve basis in the order in which the tuition payment is received. Other restrictions may apply. To register, visit the secure online registration form at www.dustormagic.com/institute/register or you can fill out this form and fax it to 908-284-0405 or info@childrenstech.com.

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CANCELLATIONS

Tuition is 100% refundable up to October 1; 50% refundable from October 2 to October 18; and non-refundable after October 18. Your Inn room can be cancelled up to 48 hours prior to the start of the event. In the event the Institute is postponed, you will have the option to receive a tuition refund or keep your seat for the next proposed date.

INN RESERVATIONS

Participants stay at The Inn at Lambertville Station, 11 Bridge Street, Lambertville, NJ 08530. Rooms cost \$140/night or \$155/night (deluxe). Suites are \$180. Call the hotel at 800-524-1091 (ask for "Dust or Magic" or visit www.lambertvillestation.com).

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

PHOTOGRAPHS & VIDEO

Sessions and discussions may be audio or video recorded unless you specify otherwise, and could be on YouTube. Dust or Magic is a free exchange of information.

WHAT TO BRING

- 1. <u>Literature to share</u>. Participants are welcome to bring papers, samples or promotional materials. Send 50 copies to DUST OR MAGIC, c/o *CTR*, 126 Main Street, Flemington, NJ 08822. You can also bring materials with you.
- 2. A device, such as a laptop or tablet for notes, testing and sharing projects.
- 3. Something to demonstrate. Bring a product or project that could be classified as either "dust" or "magic"—for on-the-spot feedback or a five minute spotlight demo with laser feedback.

ATTIRE

Dress is informal/casual.

OUESTIONS

More information can be found online at www.dustormagic.com, or by calling Warren Buckleitner at 908-284-0404. Email warren@childrenstech.com

The title of this institute comes from Bob Hughes' book Dust or Magic:
Secrets of Successful Multimedia Design. The book makes excellent reading, either pre- or post-conference. Follow Bob's blog, at www.dustormagic.net.



PRIOR ATTENDEES

360KID
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Children's Technology Review
Cinekia
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Computer Explorers
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DreamBox Learning
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Electronic Arts, Inc. ESRB ETC at Carnegie Mellon University Evan-Moor FableVision

Facebook Fairlady Media, Inc. Fisher-Price Frog Design Georgia Tech Google Her Interactive

Highlights for Children
Houghton Mifflin Harcourt
Ignite Learning

iThrive TCNJ's IMM Program Joan Ganz Cooney Cente Kidos Inc.

Knowledge Adventure L'Escapadou LeapFrog Legacy Interactive LEGO Group Lifelong Kindergarten Group, MIT

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NMSU Learning Games Lab
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Parents' Choice Foundation
PBS Kids Sprout
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Schell Games
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The New York Times

Thirteen/WNET THQ, Inc. Tiggly Tinybop, Inc. Toca Boca Touch Press

TTPM Ululab USA Today Victory Productions Viva Media

Viva Media Vtech Waterford Institute WGBH Interactive Wonder Workshop Woot Math

Dust or Magic

THE 18TH ANNUAL CHILDREN'S NEW MEDIA DESIGN INSTITUTE

-with-

Chris Byrne, TTPM; Alice Cahn, Power of Zero/No Bully; Daren Carstens, Carstens' Studios; Barbara Chamberlin, NMSU; Vikas Gupta, Wonder Workshop; Jim Marggraff, LeapPad Inventor; Krista Marks, Woot Math; Carolyn Handler Miller, Digital Storytelling; Emmet O'Neill, Touch Press; Robin Raskin, Living in Digital Times; Susan Rivers, iThrive Games; Jesse Schell, CMU & Schell Games; Emily Schlemmer, Facebook; Mark Schlichting, Noodleworks ... and others.

> November 4-6, 2018 Sunday through Tuesday

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ABOUT THE INSTITUTE

Designers of children's interactive products (apps, toys, games) are invited to come to Lambertville, NJ, for the 18th annual Dust or Magic Institute. This relaxing three-day



meeting brings a small group of leading designers, educators, reviewers, digital artists and researchers to get and give feedback, review the trends, brainstorm and share ideas.

UNIQUE OPPORTUNITIES

This year's agenda includes a mix of reviewers, researchers and publishers who will share what they've seen this year and explain what they'd like to see more of in 2019. Don't miss the chance to:

- Relax and take notes as you view the latest interactive products by way of fast, critical demonstrations.
- Personally try new techniques to see how they can be harnessed for children.
- Apply known principles of child development to the latest technologies in order to "capture the magic" that can launch a new line of products, or a company.
- Contribute your own vision of a product that represents either "dust" or "magic."
- Leave inspired to create more engaging products that work with children, with practical techniques and specific design ideas that you can apply—tomorrow.



DON'T DELAY!

The Institute has room for just 50 participants, and has sold out every year. Check for availability at WWW.DUSTORMAGIC.COM



WHEN TO ARRIVE

Check in starts at 4:00 PM at the Creekside Room on Sunday, Nov. 4 at The Inn at Lamberville Station Lobby, followed by the first formal session, at 5:00 PM. Dinner is served at 6:30 PM followed by a presentation at 8:00 PM. The Institute will end formally at 1:30 PM on Tuesday, Nov. 6, following lunch.

YOUR TRIP

Plan to arrive at Newark Liberty Airport the morning of Sunday November 4. Take the Trans-Bridge Bus (www.transbridgebus.com) directly to Lambertville. Ticket are sold at the Olympia Trails bus counters are located in the ground transportation levels of every terminals. Tickets cost \$35 one way. There are two bus options, each stopping within four blocks of the Inn.

Newark Airport—> Lambertville Bus 1 10:55 AM—> 12:40 (arrive) Bus 2 3:00 PM—> 4:25 (arrive)

RETURN

Check out of the Inn on Tuesday morning, bags ready to go in the Riverside room. The luncheon will end at 1:30, and the bus will depart for Newark airport at 1:55 PM, arriving at Newark at 3:15 PM. If you need to leave earlier, please let us know in advance. To be safe, plan for your flight to leave after 4:15 PM on Tuesday.

DRIVING DIRECTIONS

Set your GPS to 11 Bridge Street, Lambertville, NJ 08530. From New York City: (approx. 90 minutes) via the NJ Turnpike South to Exit 14. I-78 West to I-287 South (exit 29). Merge onto US-202 South (exit 17) on the left- toward US-22 Somerville/Flemington for about 25 miles. Take the last exit before the toll bridge, Rt. 29. Watch for Bridge street. The Lambertville Station is 11 Bridge Street, on the edge of the Delaware river. There are no parking fees.



Warren Buckleitner and Daren Carstens will keep things moving.



EVENTS & SPEAKERS

Cundays' events start with hors' d'oeuvres at 4:00 pm in the Creekside Room, and at 5:00 pm, the **2018 State of Children's** Interactive Media panel. After an amazing banquet in the old train station, we'll examine Facebook Messenger Kids with Barbara Chamberlin and Emily Schlemmer.

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tion to the Interactive Designers Cookbook, with

the latest magical ingredients. Morning ses-

spaces (Carolyn Handler Miller) and dise-

quilibration (Mark Schlichting). After lunch,

we'll have some case studies on Woot Math

by Krista Marks and Wonder Workshop by

Vikas Gupta. New for this year: a field trip

to The College of New Jersey (where Warren now teaches) for a talk on AR/VR by Jesse

Schell, plus a

panel discus-

sion that

includes

Jesse Schell

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O'Neill of

Touch Press.

Tuesday will start with

■ some frank feedback

on the year from TTPM's

Chris Byrne, followed by

thoughts from media vet-

eren Alice Cahn. Next.

Robin Raskin will share

which technologies she

generation, and Susan

Rivers of iThrive Games

will discuss designing for

teens. The day ends with

the return of LeapPad

The institute will conclude with a lunch buf-

fet and a ride to the airport.

inventor Jim Marggraff.

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The Inn at

Lambertville Station

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