

# Time\*line

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Dear Reader! We would like to introduce you our newsletter 'Time\*line', please feel free to send us any feedback/news/articles/ideas or things that you are interested in! News will be shaped to your needs: you will find open calls for conferences, academic issues, activities, part-time job opportunities and things that just happen to us every day...enjoy☺

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## *Upcoming Event*

### **ACADEMIC PRESENTATION**

Topic "Where is the wisdom we have lost in knowledge?: What influence is technology having on the way we think?" by Professor David Turner. You are invited to join on **Wednesday 28 May 2014, at 5:30 pm.-7:00 pm. Yingdong Building 454.**



# Academic Presentation

Where is the wisdom  
we have lost in knowledge?:  
What influence is technology  
having on the way we think?

By Prof. David Turner

The 2006 winner for World Education Fellowship  
Book Award: book entitled "Theory of Education"

Wednesday, May 28, 2014

5:30 PM - 7:00 PM

Yingdong Building 454

*"Where is the wisdom  
we have lost in knowledge?  
Where is the knowledge  
we have lost in information?"  
T.S. Eliot*



Hosted by International Students Association, Beijing Normal University

### *Upcoming Lecture*

#### **HISTORY OF PRIMARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION IN U.S.**

There are several guest professors giving lectures at the Faculty of Education. Professor Adam R. Nelson, who gave a series of lectures last semester too, is specialized in Educational Policy and history. Therefore his lectures are focusing on the historical perspectives of American education and in particular, black people's education. He is a charismatic presenter who knows how to earn his audience's attention. If you have some free time, check out the timetables with more details.



Time	Place	Topic
05/27/14 at 2 – 6 pm.	Building 10, 108	John Dewey and the Rise of Progressive Education
05/28/14 at 2 – 6 pm.	Building 2, 215	Depression, War, and the Fall of Progressive Education
05/29/14 at 2 – 6 pm.	Building 2, 215	Racial Segregation and the Federal Role in Education
05/30/14 at 2 – 6 pm.	Building 2, 203	Special Education, Bilingual Education, and Civil Rights



### *Upcoming Lecture*

#### **LECTURE FROM DR. WEIDMAN**

Dr. Weidman is Professor of Higher and International Development Education, University of Pittsburgh. His research and consulting focuses on issues of comparative education reform, with an emphasis on policy and finance in nations undergoing the transition to a market economy. He will give two lectures:

1. Conceptualizing Teacher Education in Comparative and International Context at Yingdong 851, Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> May, 2-4 pm.
2. The Weidman Model of Undergraduate Socialization: Continuity and Change at Yingdong 851, Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> May, 6:30-8:30 pm.



## *Upcoming Party*

### **POOL PARTY**

This semester has been very busy and tiring, therefore, we need relaxation and comfort to release tension as the whole academic year is coming to an end, so I'm excited to announce to everyone to join us to party at the pool side on Saturday, 7th June 2014.

Attached is the details of the party. To grab your ticket, contact Frank on WeChat (lofrank45).

You can't be left out of this great and unprecedented pool party of summer 2014. **BE FAST AND GRAB YOUR TICKET NOW!!!**

Frank Larbi

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# Dream Splash

pool party

SATURDAY JUNE 7<sup>TH</sup> 2014

THE GREATEST POOL PARTY OF SUMMER 2014  
3PM-11PM PURPLE JADE LAGUNA RESORT

No.1, East Ziyu Road, Chaoyang Area, Beijing, BJ

紫玉山庄地址:朝阳区紫玉东路1号

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FOR TICKETS AND OTHER INQUIRIES CONTACT RSVP'S ABOVE !!!





***Congratulations!***

### **THESIS DEFENSE 2014**

Dear 2012 Master cohorts,

You did it, and did it well! Thesis defense went smoothly and easy. Enjoy your well-deserved freedom, and be the proudest people ever, you have a Master degree in Comparative Education!

***This Happened!***

### **CULTURAL PRESENTATION: KOREA & PAKISTAN**

Last week we had a chance to taste Korea and Pakistan! Korean girls introduced their surely tasty national drinks first, creating a loud-funny-alcoholic atmosphere that even Abid could hardly handle. But his secret weapon (who remembers what?) food gave us some relief, so some of the Chinese girls could stand up for dance :) Many thanks for all of you, presenters and participants who made this great event happen! See you next time ;)



***This Happened!***

### **COOKING FESTIVAL**

We were full by international foods from Chinese, Liberian, Pakistani, and Thai students. It was such a great chance to taste different kinds of food! The Chinese students were really nice. Thanks to the participants and the Chinese students who arranged this activity!

