

INDEPENDENT CURRICULUM GROUP

ACADEMIC LEADERS RETREAT PACIFIC 2017

April 19–21, 2017
Asilomar Conference Grounds
Monterey, California

Wednesday, April 19

- 2:00 – 5:00 P.M. Arrival and check-in; informal gathering
5:00 – 6:00 P.M. Beverages and hors d'oeuvres
6:00 – 7:00 P.M. Dinner
7:15 – 7:45 P.M. Welcome and opening thoughts—Peter Gow, ICG Executive Director
8:00 P.M. Movie on an educational theme, with snacks and discussion
post-9:30 P.M. Campfire (weather permitting)

Thursday, April 20

- 8:00 A.M. Breakfast; **setting of UnConference Topics, Round 1**
9:00–10:45 A.M. **Learning Session A**—Jonathan Martin, presenter and facilitator. *Each Learning Session Topic, still to be decided, will focus on cutting-edge strategies for leading school change and implementing strategically designed policies and practices in conformity with the ICG's Principles of Independent Curriculum and the highest ideals of "21st-century" teaching and learning.*
11:00 – 12:00 P.M. **UnConference Session I**
12:00 P.M. Lunch; **setting of UnConference Topics, Round 2**
Free time until 2:15
2:15 – 3:45 P.M. **Learning Session B**—Martin
4:00 – 5:00 P.M. **UnConference Session II**
5:30 P.M. Beverages and hors d'oeuvres
6:30 P.M. Dinner
post-8:00 P.M. Movie with snacks or Campfire (weather permitting)

Friday, April 21

- 8:00 A.M. Breakfast; **setting of UnConference Topics, Round 3**
9:00 – 9:45 A.M. **The Next Big Things**—Gow
10:00 – 11:00 A.M. **UnConference Session III**
11:15 A.M. **Next Steps** and closing ceremonies
12:00 P.M. Box lunches available; fly-out