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25th Annual Teaching & Learning Innovations Conference

Making Connections: **25 Years of Critical Analysis and Reflection**

Tuesday May 1st 2012

Rozanski Hall, University of Guelph

This year's Teaching and Learning Innovations Conference looks at the past, present and future of teaching and learning. To get you in the spirit of the conference's 25th anniversary year, make sure to watch a series of podcast interviews created especially with five of our 3M Teaching Fellows:

- **Trev Dickinson**, **Dana Paramskas** and **Fred Evers** discuss the changing landscape of teaching and learning over the past 25 years;
- Provost **Maureen Mancuso** talks about the present classroom; and,
- President **Alastair Summerlee** looks at the future of teaching and learning.

To view, visit <http://www.tss.uoguelph.ca/tli/podcasts.html>

**NEW
THIS
YEAR**

The TLI Conference will hold its first Student Poster Session. Graduate and Undergraduate students are encouraged to submit posters showcasing their research or course projects. For more information regarding the poster session please contact Alison Crerar (acrerar@uoguelph.ca) or Patricia Presti (ppresti@uoguelph.ca).

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Keynote Speaker: Dr. Stephen Brookfield

Since beginning his teaching career in 1970, Stephen Brookfield has worked in England, Canada, Australia, and the United States, teaching in a variety of university settings. He has written fifteen books on adult learning, teaching, critical thinking, discussion methods and critical theory, five of which have won the Cyril O. Houle World Award for Literature in Adult Education (in 1986, 1989, 1996, 2005 and 2011). He holds a number of honorary degrees and awards for research, teaching and learning. Brookfield currently serves on the editorial boards of educational journals in Britain, Canada and Australia, as well as in the United States. In 2009 he was inducted into the international Adult Education Hall of Fame. He is currently a Distinguished University Professor at the

University of St. Thomas in Minneapolis-St. Paul, Minnesota.

Website: www.stephenbrookfield.com

Theme: "Becoming a Critically Reflective Teacher"

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