# **Upcoming Events**

Making a Difference: BL Speaker Series January 14th, 1:30 pm ADT: Designing for Wellbeing: Socio-emotional learning, Biowearable Technologies, and Ethics

We are pleased to announce our next speaker series session with professor Alissa N. Antle.

Alissa N. Antle is a professor in the School of Interactive Arts and Technology at Simon Fraser University. As an innovator and scholar, her research investigates how new forms of interactive technologies can support, change, and augment the ways that children learn, develop, and connect.

In this session, Alissa will share an overview of the Mind-Full project, describe some of the ethical issues that arose during the project and introduce a new bio-wearable "maker" workshop for children in which children can learn more about designing and thinking ethically about biowearables.

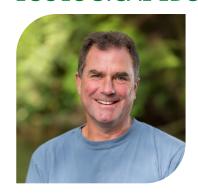


Learn more and register Individually or as a Group HERE

Grade 7 and up

Read Brilliant Labs Magazine: **Making Connections** 

## Join in on the Conversation PLACE-BASED IMAGINATIVE AND **ECOLOGICAL EDUCATION**



Natural Maker Speaker -Clayton Maitland, founder and the first principal of the only 100% outdoor PUBLIC school in Canada and is an educator in 'place-conscious' and ecological practices. Clayton Maitland has been an active outdoorsman his whole life.

He believes that a person has to participate in activities and fully experience them to understand them, and to understand nature, one has to be immersed in nature.

### January 26th 8pm ADT Learn more and register Individually or as a Group HERE





Do you know a teacher who inspires students by trying new teaching methods, projects, technology or other hands-on learning activities? If so, email info@brilliantlabs.ca SUBJECT: Inspiration Maker, to be recognized in our monthly newsletter & social media channels. Remember to tell us why & include a photo!

## **More Upcoming Events**

#### **Asynchronous Professional Learning**

Our team of Brilliant Pedagogues led by Natacha Vautour, Alisha Collins, and Jacob Lingley developed a series of 22 sessions available to teachers from across Atlantic Canada.

View Here or contact jacob@brilliantlabs.ca

#### Monthly Coding Challenges

This year Brilliant Labs will be challenging teachers and students to code stories, games, apps, robots, and more! Visit

brilliantlabs.ca/codingchallenges monthly for new code-to-learn challenges and resources!

#### Share your Brilliant projects with us!

Share what your class is working on with Brilliant Labs and we can feature your project in our upcoming newsletter and on social media!

Contact: natacha@brilliantlabs.ca



#### Natural Making and Outdoor Education

Are you looking for help implementing outdoor education with your curricular outcomes? Let us help you! Please contact michelle@brilliantlabs.ca for more information and see how you can get started with Natural Making!

### BECOME A JUNIOR ASTRONAUT WITH THE **CANADIAN SPACE AGENCY!**

Canada is going to the Moon! Our country is part of the NASA-led Lunar Gateway program, and the Junior Astronauts campaign will allow Canadian youth to test their skills and knowledge, understand how they can play a role in this important endeavour and get excited about space and science.

Register your class or group in the Junior Astronaut programme and get access to innovative activities designed for grades 6-9. These activities are designed to build skills targeted in existing curricula from across the country. They are adaptable to multiple abilities and are linked to astronaut missions!



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**BUSINESS 101** 

**BIO-MAKING** 

**CYBER SECURITY** 

WEB DEVELOPMENT

**UNREAL ENGINE** 

**BUILD A YOUTUBE CHANNEL** 

CODING AND DIGITAL SKILLS PART 1 (INTRO)

CODING AND DIGITAL SKILLS PART 2

Click **HERE** for more info and registration