

TWSIA09 Planning

Teaching With Sakai Innovation Award 2009 Planning

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Sponsorship Opportunities

(posted 10-29-2008)

We are in the midst of our sponsor search for the support level. If your company or a company with which you have a contact might be interested, indicate it by updating this page and getting in touch with Josh Baron josh.baron@marist.edu or Susan Roig susan.roig@cgu.edu.

Sponsorship plan and potential sponsors' table are [a scroll away on this page](#).

2009 Committee

NOTE: The TWSIA Committee "meets" weekly on **Wednesdays at 11:30 AM EDT** during the regular T&L Group conference call. Dial-in information is located on the main [T&L Group confluence site](#).

Name	Email	Institution	Title	Responsibilities/Interests
Susan Roig	Susan.Roig@cgu.edu	Claremont Graduate University	Director Academic Technology	Chair of the TWSIA '09 preliminary judging
Mathieu Plourde	mathieu@udel.edu	University of Delaware	Instructional Designer	Wiki Expert Sponsorship plan
Josh Baron	josh.baron@marist.edu	Marist College	Director, Academic Technology and eLearning	Sakai Board Liaison Sponsorship plan preliminary judging
Janet de Vry	janet@udel.edu	University of Delaware	Manager, IT-User Services	Last year's Chair preliminary judging

Maggie Lynch	lynchmagg@ohsu.edu	Oregon Health & Science Univ	Director Statewide Teaching & Learning Svcs	Whatever is needed preliminary judging
Kate Ellis	kdellis@indiana.edu	Indiana University Bloomington	Instructional Technologies Consultant	Preliminary judging process
Hannah Reeves	hreeves@rsmart.com	rSmart	Senior Educational Consultant/Prod Mgr	Whatever is needed
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Fawei Geng	fawei.geng@oucs.ox.ac.uk	University of Oxford	Learning Technology Support Officer	Pedagogy and user support
Salwa Khan	sk16@txstate.edu	Texas State University	Coordinator, Instructional Technologies Projects	Whatever preliminary judging
Johann Moller	JMoller@unisa.ac.za	University of South Africa (UNISA)	Change Manager and Deployment Specialist	I would love to help and participate wherever I can be of use for the TWSIA 09 but I have one problem and that is I can not make the conference calls. I would therefore have to participate using e-mail and whatever we can do on the confluence site.
Leonie Steyn	Steyn1@unisa.ac.za	University of South Africa (UNISA)		I would love to help and participate wherever I can be of use for the TWSIA 09 I can not make the conference calls. I would therefore have to participate using e-mail and whatever we can do on the confluence site. preliminary judging
Charles Shelton	cshelton@unicon.net	Unicon, Inc	Client Implementation Manager /Project Manager /Trainer	Whatever is needed Sponsorship plan
Lorie Shuck	lshuck@iupui.edu			preliminary judging
Salim Nakhjavani	Salim.Nakhjavani@uct.ac.za			preliminary judging
Aileen Huang-Saad	aileenhs@umich.edu			preliminary judging
Add your name here				

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TWSIA09 Timeline

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	tentative date(s)	confirmed date(s)
Official announcement		Nov. 11, 2008
Online application becomes available	Nov. 17, 2008	
Application process closes	Feb. 27, 2009	March 2nd, 11:59 GMT
Orientation for committee for voting process	late Feb	March 5, 12-1 EST
Committee review of applications begins		March 3
Committee review, deadline	March 23rd	March 20th, 11:59 GMT
Committee conference call to select finalists	March 25th	March 25th conf call
Finalists selected, interviews arranged	March 25th - 31th	
Technology orientation for finalists and judges		

Web conferences with finalists	early April-first three weeks	
Winner Announced	May 1st	
Sakai Conference		July 8-10

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Sponsorship Plan

[TWSIA 2009 Final Sponsorship Plan](#) - Updated 10-22-2008

List of Sponsors to be Approached

Enter your ideas/actions here. Make sure you send an email to Josh and Sue with any progress.

Sponsor	Who's Contacting Them?	Company Contact Person	Why this sponsor would be a good fit?	Follow-up	Confirmed
IBM	Josh	Mick	Last year's sponsor.	Leader-level sponsor.	✓
TurnItIn	Charlie Shelton10-24	David Wu davidw@iparadigms.com	Currently integrating w/ Sakai	Is out of the office until Nov 11. Contacting his backup Allen Chen (achen@iparadigms.com) Allen gave me a "will check with management, but probably not" response.	
Eluminate	Charlie Shelton10-24	Rajeev Arora rajeeva@illuminate.com	Is integrated w/ Sakai	No response as of Nov 19, 2008	
Oracle	Charlie Shelton 10-24	Cary Brown carroll.brown@oracle.com	Is integrated w/ Sakai (SACORA)	Declined via Charlie	✗
Giunti Labs	Maggie				
Lenovo			Could give a tablet PC to the winner. IBM partner.		
rSmart	Josh	Mike Zackrison	Sakai CA, active in the community	Need to address rSmart question with Michael Korcuska, waiting for reply	
Unicon	CharlieShelton 10-24	Jim Layne	Unicon is a commercial affiliate	Mr. Layne declined via Charlie	✗
Sungard	Sue		Sue works for Sungard 🇺🇸		
Sorensoft					

Content of our Plan (tentative)

1. Front Page
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6. Letter of Support from the Sakai Board or Executive Director
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NOTES from Debrief:

- Updates/changes to application process on OpenEdPractices.org
 - Do we need to change the application itself
 - Allow for easier screenshots
 - Address issues of setting word count
 - Should we re-think OpenEdPractices in terms of how things are entered and displayed? UI changes?
 - Could we use this for capturing "functional visioning" or other use cases
 - How could we make the information more useful to developers and designers
 - Look at workflow and how it might be improved in terms of improving interactions between developers/designers
 - Could be used locally for institutions to record best practices

- End-user-support might be interested in using it as well, they are interested in engaging more on T&L issues/needs
- John will talk with Nate about improvements
- Teaching with Sakai Innovation Award feedback
 - How do we encourage folks who are not extreme innovators to submit award application
 - Should we create an "exemplary" category that provided a lower bar
 - We could use the current rubric but not ask for significant innovation
 - Sloan has an award that is aimed at "effective practice"
 - We could consider bringing student from the 1st and 2nd place winners classes to the conference
 - This would be great for ePortfolio projects
 - We only had two active judges this year but had wanted three
 - Maggie Lynch may be interested in being third judge
 - Keep Karen and Ken if they are interested
 - We would not have an international representative, but we could try and get folks involved in the first round of judging
 - Moving some of the work to the Foundation
 - Getting the word out internationally has been a challenge, Foundation could likely get the word out better
 - Sue would be open to chair but could also co-chair
- Pre-conference workshop
 - We might want to shift the focus from a lot of short presentations to a few in depth hands-on activities
 - Workshop on how to create a course and leverage tools for innovation
 - Approaches would be grounded in teaching and learning theory
 - Problem-based courses, active learning, student-centered, etc.
 - We need to consider the audience, are the faculty or instructional technologist /designers

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Come Join the 2009 Teaching with Sakai Innovation Award Committee!

If you were at the Paris Conference you hopefully got a chance to see the 2008 Teaching with Sakai Innovation Award Winners present how they are using Sakai to transform the teaching and learning process at their institutions. If you missed these wonderful presentations you can view them online at http://www.cpm.jussieu.fr/CPM/activites/visioconf/sakai_conf.htm (see the Wednesday morning sessions in Durand).

The Teaching and Learning Group hopes to build on this year's success and is in the process of forming the 2009 Award Committee. If you are interested in working on the committee you can sign up on this page (see the next point below). Add your name to the list and take note of our meeting time on Wednesdays.

If you would like to view last year's entries they are available on the OpenEdPractices.org web site <http://openedpractices.org/courses>. The evaluation rubric, which will be updated for next year's award program, is also available from this web site http://openedpractices.org/files/TWSIA_Rubric.pdf.

We hope to have representation from many different groups within the community so please don't hesitate to sign up even if you don't have a teaching and learning background!

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