Learning Organisations for Sustainability Society for Organisational Learning in Hungary



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INVITATION

TO AN INSPIRING WORKSHOP ON EDUCATION AND LEARNING FOR FUTURE WITH GÖRAN CARSTEDT, EXPERT ON BUSINESS&EDUCATION

FRIDAY, 19. NOVEMBER 2010, 3.00 PM - 6.00 PM

AT OMBUDSMAN'S OFFICE, 1051 BUDAPEST, NÁDOR UTCA 22.

By now we all have become aware of the fact that to respond to the global crisis, we actually need to make a shift in our thinking and attitude to life. We do need to develop this new, collective paradigm and this is where our cooperation in business and education is essential to the affective creation of our future. The aim of the workshop is to inspire dialogue, cooperation for a sustainable and systemic change.

The structure of the workshop:

Introductory talk by Göran Carstedt on

The Natural Step, Systems Thinking and Deep Dialogue, A learning history on business & education cooperation

The Learning cafe method offers us space and time both to enjoy inspiring learning histories of some best practices as well as sharing our thinking and practice, vision and opportunity for the work we need to cultivate. Some short input is also offered by

Agota E. Ruzsa, SoL-Hungary on the concept of *Collegium Peregrinus*, *Sustainability and Systems Thinking in Schools*;

Dr Erzsébet Noszkay, Knowledge Management Subcommittee of the Hungarian Academy of Sciences on *Communities of Knowledge* and

Katalin Czippán, office of the Ombudsman of Future Generation on *Leverage points for Systemic Change*

Participants will have an opportunity

- to have an outlook at new developments in the global setting
- to understand the strong link between business and education in order to change our thinking and practice in our institutions,
- to share and strengthen new developments among ourselves

After the event you are invited to share dinner with us at your own expenses.

Ágota E.Ruzsa, Chair of SoL Hungary

Registration is required for the event by sending an E-mail to bodorkos.barbara@gmail.com .

The registered participants will be informed about the location electronically.

The workshop is organized in partnership with



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Contribution to the event - with the exception of SOL e-members and SoL partners - is **1500 HUF** recommended donation, which will contribute to the development of our project on systems thinking in developing learning capacities at schools.

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The guest speaker, Göran Carstedt Ph.D.

is invited by **SoL**, **Hungary** and **Piac&Profit magazine** to share experience and knowledge at the "First Hungarian Sustainability Summit".

Göran Carstedt is an excellent and inspiring lecturer with openness to participation of the audience. He teaches Leadership and Organisational Learning on the <u>Blekinge Institute of Technology</u>.

Dr Carstedt is also a successful and inspirational leader in developing and supporting learning and education that leads towards sustainable development. He is a chairman of The Natural Step International, a non-profit organization with a scientific approach to sustainable development. Dr. Carstedt joined the Clinton Climate Initiative in January 2007 as Senior Director of the C40 initiative and is engaged in the formation of the Society for Organizational Learning (SOL) Global Network.

Dr. Carstedt is also an advisor and coach to various European, US and Asian organizations and serves as chairman and board member for several corporations. He is the former head of IKEA Retail Europe and acted as a member of the IKEA Group Management Board from 1990-1997 and as President of IKEA North America from 1990-1995.

Before joining IKEA, Dr. Carstedt served for many years in different executive positions with Volvo. He joined Volvo in 1974 as Manager of Market Planning at the Car Division in Gothenburg, Sweden. He was Manager of the Corporate Planning Office at Volvo Headquarters, President of the Car Division at Volvo France SA in Paris, and President of Volvo Svenska Bil AB, the Swedish Volvo sales organization for cars, trucks, buses, spare parts, financial and computer services and car rentals. Dr. Carstedt has also served as a member of the Volvo Group Management Committee.

Society for Organisational Learning

chaired by Peter Senge was formed in the mid 90's as an inspirational off branch of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Sloan School of Management, which has incorporated many learning initiatives both for sustainability and systems thinking in education and school learning as well as in business. By now it has grown into a global network of fractal organisations all over the world with a growing emphasis on systemic large scale transformation of organisations in all three sectors as well as cultivating cooperation and inspired creativity enhanced by these sectors of government, business and education.

The Learning Societies for Sustainability Foundation is an affiliated non-profit member organisation of Global SoL. <u>SoLHungary</u> a not for profit organisation whose aim is to contribute to regenerate sustainable societies based on systems thinking and eco-conscious principles and practice while supporting personal, organisational and community learning that opens the heart, stimulates the mind and uplifts the spirit of the people.



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