

# **Workshop: “Education in the Digital Age: A Reorientation for Parents” Dalian June 8, 7 to 9pm, InterContinental Hotel | ICDalian - The International Club of Dalian**

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This FREE workshop is for parents, both the tech savvy and the less technically inclined, who would like a guided tour of the ways our children use (or could be using) technology to prepare for their futures.

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A major shift has occurred in education in the last ten years, and both teachers and parents are struggling to catch up to students who have taken over the learning on the Internet, and who are connecting, collaborating and competing with each other across the classroom and across the world. They use laptops, iPods and mobile phones in ways that many parents don't take advantage of in interacting with their children to keep abreast of their lives and learning.

In this 2-hour workshop, presented by David Truss, principal of Dalian Maple Leaf Foreign Nationals School, and a leading expert in education, technology and learning, participants will:

\* Examine children's use of technology

- \* Increase awareness of the potential challenges around technology use
- \* Learn practical, proactive parenting strategies to maintain connections with children using the media they are using, including hands-on exploration of commonly used social networking and gaming websites
- \* Learn how to guide children in appropriate and safe interactions on the Internet.
- \* Find support and resources to better understand these issues

If you would like to interact more effectively with your children regarding the use of technology and create meaningful guidelines to help them use digital technology safely, this workshop is for you. Help your children become proactive "digital citizens" and prepare for rapidly changing future.

Register today!

By email: [info@icdalian.com](mailto:info@icdalian.com), or call 3966-9075

--Space is limited due to the hands-on nature of the workshop. Participants should bring their laptops to the workshop, or let ICD know if they need to borrow one.

Please specify the location of your choice in your email:

Tuesday - Intercontinental Hotel, Youhao Square, Zhongshan District, Dalian 中国大连中山区友好广场

Thursday - Jayland Learning, No.90 Huanghai west road, Dalian Development Zone 中国大连经济技术开发区 黄海西路90号 佳朗外语

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