

Texas K-12 CTO Council Board Member Induction for Frankie Jackson and Jennifer Miller

Frankie Jackson and Jennifer Miller were inducted as Board members for the Texas K-12 Chief Technology Officer (CTO) Council on June 21, 2017.

Frankie will be serving a two-year term as the Texas large district representative. Jennifer will be serving a two-year term as secretary!





Both participated in a Board meeting on the morning of June 21st. That afternoon, Frankie gave a report on the Professional Learning subcommittee accomplishments for the 2016-2017 year.





Texas K-12 CTO Council Will Richardson Key Note Speaker

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More links are available in the following.

- <u>Change.School</u> our new online coaching community for educational leaders
- Books: <u>From Master Teacher to Master</u> <u>Learner</u>, and <u>Freedom to Learn</u>.
- 10 Principles for Schools of Modern Learning
 Whitepaper
- An <u>interview</u> at Hundr.ED, one of 100 Global Visions (1/17)
- My latest <u>essay</u> in Educational Leadership
- My latest TEDx talk from Vancouver
- Why School? The #1 Best Selling TED Book
- My blog at <u>willrichardson.com</u>.
- My <u>Twitter feed</u> which has 68,000+ followers.
- Modern Learners is our chock full of good stuff site and newsletter for educators
- New Facebook group: Global Community of Changeleaders







Texas K-12 CTO Council Summer Clinic Student Data Privacy and Northside ISD's Phishing Attack

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The Texas K-12 CTO Council will be leading the student data privacy alliance for Texas. Any CoSN/ CTO Council member district will get a free membership into this consortium. The goal of this alliance is to work with other organizations to develop a standard agreement for vendors and districts to use when completing the privacy portion of their contracts. This will be a great way to participate in a state-wide collaboration!

On August 12, 2016, Northisde ISD staff were victims of a phishing attack. Presenters shared their experience of how our District's staff and students were affected as well as their team's response.





Texas K-12 CTO Council Summer Clinic Student Holistic IT Strategy

Scott Monroe presented on a Holistic IT Strategy. As portfolio director for Public Sector Portfolio, Scott talked about on Cloud, Advanced Security Threats, Mobility, and Big Data. He focused on how the IT landscape is changing at faster pace than ever before. He advocated using a strategic and holistic approach to technology investment, and offered ideas as to how to stay out in front of it.



