

# Kathleen Naglee

Director, CEO, Executive Coach, Educational Consultant



### **Inspiring Leadership**

Sustainability Leadership: Lead, Adapt Fail AmCham Finland, Moderator; Helsinki, Finland; October 2018

Founder: CEESA Aspire Program- Defining A Vision 2 day Women in Leadership Retreat Program, Sofia, Bulgaria; March 2017 Prague, Czech Republic; March 2018 Helsinki, Finland; November 2019

Promoting Employee Leadership Opoint Corporation Retreat, Workshop leader; Tallinn, Estonia; February 2017.

Creative Leadership Center for Innovation in Education, Workshop Leadership; Tallinn, Estonia; February 2017.

Compassionate.Space: a Geography of Student Well-Being Consultant and workshop leader;

Creativity for Change Forum: Skills for the Future Featured Panelist; Tallinn, Estonia; April 2016.

Beijing, China; September 2016.

Embracing Internationalism Sisters in Charge Conference, Keynote Speaker; Tallinn Estonia; August 2015.

An Aspiring Leader's Educational Toolkit Global Women's Leadership Assembly, CEESA pre-conference workshop leader,

CEESA pre-conference workshop leader, Dubrovnik, Croatia; March 2015

Design Thinking and Leadership

Center for Innovation in Education, Workshop Leader;

Tallinn, Estonia; February 2015.

Women in Leadership, Entrepreneurship and Innovation

AmCham Event Moderator; Tallinn, Estonia; February 2014.

History and Memory- Deeper TOK Connections IBEAM Conference; Workshop Leader; Rome, Italy; October 2014.

How to Become a Creative School Director Education Futures Conference, Center for Innovation in Education, Tallinn University, Estonia, February 2013.

Fostering Creativity

Nordic-IB Regional Conference, Tallinn, Estonia, October 2011

#### Head of School 2018- present

International School of Helsinki

Leading strategy as a future-focused, exceptional school in Finland and the world. Facilitated a visionary new Mission, Vision and Strategic Plan grounded in neuroscience to ensure the social and emotional well-being of all learners.

- Renovation of space to enhance modern teaching and learning
- 20% increase in enrollment
- Re-branding of school

# Director & CEO 2012-18

International School of Estonia

Developed the most innovative school in Estonia. Maintained high standards for teaching and learning that included continuous improvement of program and delivery of the International Baccalaureate program in PYP, MYP and DP. Developed the fiscal and operational plans for the School. Networked with community, business, government and educational institutions.

- Pedagogical and Innovative Learning initiatives that have brought in 30+ visiting schools including the Ministries of Thailand, Finland, Estonia and Japan.
- 100% Diploma Program pass rate 2009-2016
- Facilitator of new Mission, Vision and Strategic Plan
- Successful initiation and authorization of MYP program
- 40% increase in enrollment

#### High Impact Teaching in Impoverished Communities

Wide and varied experience teaching Native populations (Navajo/Pueblo) in New Mexico, urban and migrant populations in California, and the rural poor of West Virginia. 1991- 2002.

## IB Educator

Fifteen years of IB participation in multiple positions including: IB World School Director, DP Coordinator, Teacher (Theory of Knowledge, DP History, DP English A, MYP English Language & Literature, MYP Humanities) and IB conference workshop leader. 2002-2017

#### Global Leadership

- Chair of the Central and Eastern European Schools Association
- NEASC Commissioner for Int'l Education
- American Chamber of Commerce of Estonia: Vice President 2015-2018

#### **Awards and Recognition**

2019 "Exceptional Contributor to Education" Award: Future of Learning Unconference; 2017 "Best Practice Pioneer School" recognition: Cambridge University Student Union; 2014 "Smart Owl" Award for Innovative Management Practices in Education; Center of Innovation in Education, Tallinn University, Estonia; 2015 IB World Magazine- noted for promoting balance in schools; 2011 IB World Magazine- noted for professional development in the promotion of creativity; 2007 West Virginia University "Coming Home" Poetry Award; 2004 Community and Service Award- International School of Estonia; 1999, 2000 & 2001 Teacher of the Year- Moreno Valley High, Moreno Valley HS, CA, USA