

**4. Session cancelled: Lea Ann Fairall - Featured Speaker - Monday**

**5. Addition: Featured Speaker – Monday – New Orleans Ballroom**

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**BREAKOUT SESSIONS:**

- **Monday, Dec. 7**                    **Visual Literacy and 21st Century Skills**  
9:40 AM - 10:40 AM  
New Orleans Ballroom
- **Monday, Dec. 7**                    **Balanced Literacy and Technology**  
10:55 AM - 11:55 AM  
New Orleans Ballroom
- **Monday, Dec. 7**                    **Visual Literacy and 21st Century Skills**  
1:15 PM - 2:15 PM  
New Orleans Ballroom
- **Monday, Dec. 7**                    **Balanced Literacy and Technology**  
2:30 PM - 3:30 PM  
New Orleans Ballroom

**Visual Literacy and 21st Century Skills**

What are 21st Century Skills? Why are they important not only for students but for teachers as well? In this session we will explore 21st Century Skills with an emphasis on Visual Literacy, and their importance in today's classrooms.

Grade Level: All

Audience: Teachers

40% interactive, 60% lecture

**Balanced Literacy and Technology**

In this session we will look at the components of a balanced literacy framework, and then look at ways that technology can be used to enhance literacy learning in your classroom.

Grade Level: K-6,

Audience: Teachers

40% interactive, 60% lecture