## TEACHING INNOVATION:

GIVING CHILDREN RESPONSIBILITY FOR THEIR LEARNING AND FOR OUR WORLD

Thursday, November 15th, 9:00 AM – 4:00 PM at Blue School, 241 Water Street, New York City

THIS FALL, PLEASE JOIN US TO EXPLORE THE FOLLOWING TOPICS AND OTHERS:

- How can we give children (and teachers) responsibility for learning in our classrooms? In our city? Our world?
- How can we support children to become innovators and change-makers, starting in elementary school?
- What findings in neuroscience support the learning of creativity, responsibility, courage, and resilience?
- What learning strategies, programs, initiatives promote student responsibility in elementary classrooms?
- How can children practice creativity, innovation and courage in school, and what does that mean for our classroom cultures?

## TO DATE, PRESENTERS INCLUDE:

LELLA GANDINI & AMELIA GAMBETTI Reggio Emilia (keynote)

**BEGINNINGS NURSERY SCHOOL** 

**RHONDA BONDIE** Fordham University, author of Well-Developed Classroom

SAM CHALTAIN educator and the author of American Schools: The Art of Creating a Democratic Learning Community

RENEE DINNERSTEIN author of "Investigating Choice Time" blog and BILL FULBRECHT teacher

**DAVID ROCK** NeuroLeadership Institute

## JOIN US! PLEASE VISIT OUR WEBSITE WWW.BLUESCHOOL.ORG OR CLICK HERE TO REGISTER. SPACE IS LIMITED, SO SIGN UP EARLY!

Interested in presenting? We would like the conversation to be broad and inclusive, and invite schools and educators topresent and join in the dialogue around these questions. If you intend to create a presentation, please send an email to Allison Gaines Pell, Head of Blue School allisongp@blueschool.org summarizing the topic you wish to present on and a bulleted list of outcomes you anticipate for those in attendance.

## **REGISTRATION FEES**

\$75 per participant (\$50 per person with 3 or more from the same location) \$40 per presenting participant

