

# Leading in Complex Times:

# Finding the Way Forward

## A THREE-PART WEBINAR SERIES

This leadership series is designed for senior educational leaders and is built on evidence-based research, problem-based learning, professional publications and practical strategies for leading during these complex times.

Participants in the program will increase their understanding of how to lead during this volatile and uncertain time in education. Despite this prolonged pandemic period, many organizations are experimenting with different approaches to re-evaluate, make changes and emerge in a strong and effective way. Guest presenters will focus on leadership initiatives to consider implementing within your organization.

*The series consists of three modules, each 90-minutes in duration, delivered online, in an interactive webinar format. Each session connects and builds on the next. \*All sessions will be recorded and provided to all participants within 24 hours of the webinar.*

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# Module 1

## The Way Forward: Strategic Management & Ruthless Consistency

with Michael Canic, PhD  
President, [Making Strategy Happen](#)

As we entered 2020, many organizations mapped-out a multi-year strategic plan. Then, the COVID-19 pandemic hit. Well thought out plans were, in many cases, set-aside as leaders dealt with the myriad challenges that emerged.

Michael Canic, author of *Ruthless Consistency: How Committed Leaders Execute Strategy, Implement Change, and Build Organizations* draws on 20 years of experience as a strategy + execution consultant, detailing a comprehensive yet intuitive approach that has helped leaders turn their goals into strategy and strategy into reality. It consists of: Developing the right focus; Creating the right environment; Building the right team; Demonstrating the right commitment.

As you re-engage your organization, your leaders and your Trustees, you will be equipped and inspired to lead the way forward through strategic management and ruthless consistency.

**February 23rd**  
**at 11:00am EST**

Module includes a copy of Michael's Amazon #1 Bestselling book, *Ruthless Consistency*



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# Module 2

## Moving Beyond COVID-19 - Resilient Leadership

with Michaela Kerrissey, PhD  
Harvard University

The unprecedented COVID pandemic has sharply clarified what good leadership looks like during a crisis. But what will good leadership look like as we transition away from crisis toward a post-pandemic working environment?

Because the road to a “new normal” is likely to be long, uncertain, and bumpy, building resilience will be vital. Resilience is a capacity to recover and grow as a result of challenging times. Leaders have a key role to play in helping their teams to learn from the past year and to incorporate new ways of working that enable rapid recovery as new problems emerge. I will discuss key aspects of building team resilience in the wake of crisis, including practical tips for establishing psychological safety and joint problem-solving orientations to enable learning and growth.

To learn more about Michaela's work, read through *What Good Leadership Looks Like During This Pandemic* by Michaela J. Kerrissey and Amy C. Edmondson

**March 25th**  
**at 11:00am EST**

Module includes take-away practical strategies and resources to implement with your team.



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# Module 3

## Developing An Extraordinary Future For Education

with Tony Ryan  
Learning Futurist

The COVID-19 impact on education services has been significant, and yet it also may become the most powerful stimulant for dramatic enhancement in our professional lifetime. From advanced remote learning, to the reconceptualization of education's contribution to society, to a reformed clarification of the teacher role, the next few years may be both challenging and extraordinary.

Is it possible for us to predict this complex future? In part, yes we can. This provocative webinar will clarify some of the possible and probable changes in our pedagogical world up ahead, and how best we can reimagine and redevelop a post-pandemic future for our students and our educators.

**April 14th**  
**at 2:00pm EST**



Module includes a copy of Tony's book, *The Next Generation: Preparing Today's Kids For An Extraordinary Future*

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# About

## The Series Facilitator & Moderator

### Catherine McCullough CMC Leadership

Catherine McCullough of CMC Leadership, is a recognized educator, presenter, speaker, and facilitator. She is an expert in conducting leadership workshops for a wide range of organizations in both the business and public sectors. In addition to her Leadership Development expertise, Catherine specializes in Strategic Planning, Organizational Relationships, and Change Management. She is also a certified Executive Leadership coach.

Catherine has an extensive background of senior leadership roles in public education – including Director of Education for two Canadian school boards in Ontario – as well as serving as Board of Directors Chair for non-profit organizations

Catherine was coordinator of the “Strong Districts and Their Leadership” project with Dr. Kenneth Leithwood, education researcher at the Ontario Institute for Studies in Education at the University of Toronto, and continues to leverage this pivotal research in her training programs.

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