

# RENZULLI CENTER NEWS



## *Upcoming Events*

### **Teaching and Learning with Technology Conference**

Join us for the 14th Annual Teaching and Learning with Technology Conference one day event at the University of Connecticut's Storrs campus designed for K-12 educators. There are 30 different workshops offered this year.

**Tuesday, May 12, 2026 (9:00 a.m. – 3:10 p.m. EDT)**

For more information and registration please visit: <https://ipad.education.uconn.edu>

### **CT Gifted Coordinators Forum**

The Renzulli Center at UConn welcomes leaders of advanced learning programs in Connecticut to our third gathering! This is an opportunity to connect with educators from across the state about organizing and leading programs and services for advanced learners.

**Please** register by May 7 at the link below:

[https://uconn.co1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV\\_0HfM0dGUEXcWtzo](https://uconn.co1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_0HfM0dGUEXcWtzo)

UConn's Renzulli Center is pleased to provide this event, including **lunch** and **parking** for Forum attendees. The event will be held in conjunction with the [Teaching and Learning with Technology Conference](#), at McHugh Hall on the Storrs campus. Forum attendees are invited to attend the Technology Conference Keynote with Alexander Solod before joining the Gifted Coordinator Forum.

For more information, contact: Catherine Little at [catherine.little@uconn.edu](mailto:catherine.little@uconn.edu)

# Wallace Symposium – Hotel Discount Ends Soon!

Join us for the Wallace Research Symposium on Talent Development, organized by the Renzulli Center at UConn and the Belin-Blank Center at the University of Iowa! Registration closes May 8. Book hotel by April 15 for conference rate!

More conference details and registration is available at: <https://gifted.uconn.edu/wallace/>

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## Confratute Announcements

### Confratute: Register Now for Super Saver Rate!

Join us this summer for **Confratute 48** from July 12–16, 2026. Confratute is a combined CONFERENCE, and an instiTUTE with a lot of FRATernity in between. Confratute provides educators with research-based practical strategies for engagement and enrichment learning for all students, as well as meeting the needs of gifted and talented students.

For more details visit: <https://uconnuecs.cventevents.com/event/Confratute2026/Summary>



## Awards, Publications, and Presentations

### Renzulli Center Team at AERA

Members of our team will attend and present this week at the Annual Meeting of the American Educational Research Association - we hope to see some of you there!

[Check out our presentation list here.](#)

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# The Cebeci Test of Creativity (CTC)

The Cebeci Test of Creativity (CTC) is a fast, equitable way for schools to identify and understand student creativity. In just 20 minutes, students complete a nonverbal, figural assessment that measures fluency, flexibility, originality, and elaboration, along with an overall creativity score.

Because it reduces language barriers and broadens access, the CTC can help schools recognize strengths in students who may be overlooked by traditional measures. It has also been approved or recognized for gifted identification use in multiple state contexts, including Ohio's approved gifted assessment resources and Colorado's matrix of commonly used gifted assessments.

Educators receive clear percentile-based results at the student, classroom, school, and district levels, making it easy to identify creative potential and connect students with meaningful enrichment opportunities.

The CTC is backed by a scientific validation study published in the Journal of Creative Behavior, supported by a 3-year longitudinal study showing strong growth in student creativity through SEM and Type III experiences, and protected a U.S. Patent. Information about how to obtain the CTC can be found at: <https://renzullilearning.com>

## Speak for Success!

### How Clear Are You? — How to Speak with Clarity for Leadership

*By Gary Genard*  
The Gerard Method  
Feb 15, 2026

Are you clear when you speak to employees, customers, and stakeholders? How about memorable? Here's how to speak with clarity for leadership.

How compelling a speaker are you?

Many presenters fail to impress, not because they don't know their material or their business. They leave out a crucial ingredient: getting across to one's audience in a clear, concise, and compelling manner. Doing so is the first step to speaking for leadership.

Read more at <https://www.genardmethod.com/blog/how-clear-are-you-how-to-speak-with-clarity-for-leadership>

