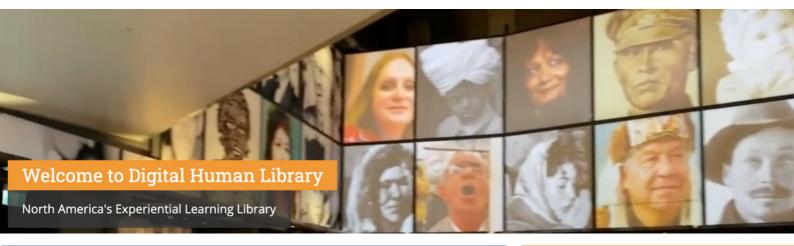


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Curriculum Coordinators Needed for New Indigenous Educational Video Library

Digital Human Library (dHL) the International Indigenous

<u>Speakers Bureau (IISB)</u> have come together to help elevate Indigenous voices and perspectives in primarily non-Indigenous spaces by offering educational institutions access to the world's first Indigenous Educational Video Library of **IISB Knowledge Nuggets.**

Digital Human Library is looking for teachers (currently employed and retired) and B.Ed students in every province and territory who would like to take reconciliACTION by contributing to this important project. Join us and connect IISB Knowledge Nuggets (KN) to the K-12 Canadian Curriculum in service of youth and learning.

Compensation:

- Contribute to reconciliation and positive world change for Indigenous peoples
- · Gain access to the IISB Knowledge Nugget educational video library
- Learn from extraordinary Indigenous speakers, leaders, and knowledge keepers from around the world
- Gain access to all of Digital Human Library's resources to use with your students
- Become part of a passionate, enthusiastic family working hard to elevate Indigenous perspectives and voices around the world

How to Apply:

Please send your resume and cover letter to Leigh Cassell: leigh.cassell@digitalhumanlibrary.com

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Meet a few of our talented dHL Experts and organizations available to connect and collaborate with your K-12 students. Curious? Login to dHL and browse our entire library where you will find hundreds more!



Have you ever wondered how products in your online shopping cart get from **Amazon** to you? Book a live Virtual Tour with an Amazon Tour Guide and go behind the scenes at Amazon's fulfillment centers, using a combination of live streaming, videos, and real-time Q&A.

Omar Allison engages students in the process of content creation, branding, marketing tactics in the digital era, and the importance of social media engagement when running a business. Students will also will be exposed to financial literacy, budgeting and financial planning.







Lindz Amer (they/them) is a queer and trans nonbinary author, creator, performer, and activist! They are the creator of the beloved preschool webseries, Queer Kid Stuff where Lindz explain all things LGBTs to all ages! Join Lindz as they perform songs and stories, facilitate professional development seminars, give talks, and so much more!

Jude Alexander is an analytical hardware/software developer with hands-on skills and experience in the nuclear industry. Areas of expertise encompass BIG DATA analysis and statistics, Machine Learning, Quantum Computing, design and development of hardware/software, test system development using BASH scripting, LAMMPS, Perl, PHP, bio informatics, machine learning, and more...



Jane Ji engages students with environmental challenges through game based learning, getting them excited about the impact they can create by visualizing our collective impact, and empowering them to take climate action by making more ecofriendly choices.



Get Inspired!



1800+ Virtual Tours & Virtual Reality Experiences for K-12!

Our team of dHL Community Curators have been sourcing hundreds of new tours featuring art and culture from around the world, animals, exhibits, museums, the environment, how things are made, STEM, and more! Join us and enhance your classroom program in ways that provide students with an immersive digital window to the world.

What is a Virtual Tour (VT)?

Virtual tours are the simulation of an existing location with the help of sequential videos or still images. Other multimedia elements like music, sound effects, floor plans, etc., could also be used. They help in recreating a realistic representation of reality. Virtual tours help in presenting views to inaccessible areas and provide an interesting and excellent alternative to fieldwork when expenses, time or logistics are a barrier.

What is Virtual Reality (VR)?

Virtual Reality (VR) is a 3D computer generated 'virtual' environment that users explore and interact with in an immersive way. The feeling of being present in these environments requires the use of a VR headset. Some examples include: Oculus Rift, Samsung Gear VR, HTC Vive, Google Daydream View, or Google Cardboard.

While immersing yourself in VR requires a headset, the foundational component of all virtual reality is 360° video, which means that dHL tours can be navigated on desktop computers or mobile devices.

Questions? Contact us!

Featured Indigenous Virtual Tours

The Australian Museum's Unsettled Exhibition- Australia

Discover the Unsettled exhibition in virtual reality! The online experience above is a 360 degree interactive tour featuring embedded audio guides and multimedia content on display in the exhibition. NOTE: Topics and multimedia content in this virtual tour may be sensitive for some viewers. If you are 13 years of age or younger, please ask an adult to preview this tour before you go any further. CW: massacres and genocide **Explore this Virtual Tour:** https://australian.museum/learn/first-nations/unsettled/

Celebrating Indigenous Languages

A shared language is one of the most important connections among groups of people. According to the United Nations 2,680 Indigenous languages are at risk. Indigenous communities around the globe are working to preserve and revitalize their languages by teaching them to future generations and sharing them with non-Indigenous speakers.

Explore this Virtual Tour: https://bit.ly/3OD9dOl

Education for Social Innovation

What is Education for Social Innovation?

Education for social innovation is about recognizing and acting on the power we have for making a positive difference in the world. By creating opportunities for students to experience how positive change happens, and more importantly, how they can be both designers and leaders in creating change, we raise awareness through empathy and give students choice and voice in ways that affect positive change in the world right now. Join us to explore the theme of social innovation in your classroom!

GLOBAL STUDENT CHAT





Connecting K-12 students around the world to lead & learn

Global Student Chat (@GlobalEdSsChat) is a student-led social media chat that connects K-12 students around the world to discuss topics related to character education, social justice, and citizenship. #GlobalStudentChat creates opportunities for students to network with others, build relationships with new learning partners in a literacy-rich learning environment, experience social media as a powerful platform for learning, and establish a positive digital footprint.

GLOBAL STUDENT CHAT LIVE

Participate in our monthly YouTube live events, or send us a request to join our Student Leadership Team on panel.



LEADERSHIP TEAM

Join our Leadership Team and use social media to share positive difference in the

Scan the OR code to learn more about joining our Student Leadership Team!



Join in the conversation on Twitter all month long using

SLOW CHAT

hashtag #GlobalEdSsChat

A voice is the first step to change. Without a voice, people will feel powerless and hopeless in the face of adversity. GlobalEdSsChat gives voices to students on issues that impact the entire world. That's why it's so important.

~ Gobi Mathi, Student Leader, 2019 ~

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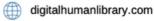
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Why Use Digital Human Library?

I like video conferencing because we get to meet lots of cool people who know lots of cool stuff. I got to meet a zoologist, a real artist and a video game designer. I didn't know I could be a video game designer. That's what I want to be when I grow up.

It's not about *WHAT* you know, it's *WHO* you know...

Support K-12 student learning with access to hundreds of industry leaders, experts and organizations in every curriculum subject area.

Benefits for Students:

- $\hfill\square$ Build relationships for learning
- $\hfill\square$ Access experts across industries from around the world
- $\hfill\square$ Explore new career paths
- $\hfill\square$ Discover new passions
- Acquire valuable networking skills
- Build character
- Develop global competencies/ transferrable skills/ digital literacies
- Learn new content

Grow as digital citizens

~ Alyssa, Grade 5

Why? Because building relationships with others is how we learn.

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Download your badge to display on your website, blog or socials! Find your badge on the Teacher or Expert section of the dHL website.



Volunteer With Us

The important work we do at Digital Human Library would not be possible without our 20+ incredible volunteers and B.Ed student interns. As dHL continues to grow, so does our need for volunteers. If you are looking for opportunities to make a long-lasting, positive difference in the lives of students, then we need you!

Learn more: https://www.digitalhumanlibrary.com/join-our-team/

Volunteering with dHL has allowed me to give back to an industry that has molded me into the designer, researcher, and educator that I am today: Education. I was so happy to support education for youth across Canada with virtual reality educational content that fosters active and contextualized learning. The personalized training that I received at the onset, along with monthly meetings to converse and share ideas on new virtual reality educational tour categories made me feel valued as a team member; it was great knowing that my input mattered and had positively impacted teachers and students across the country! This has truly been an incredible opportunity to leave an indelible mark in Education. ~Stephie Hare, 2022

Update Your dHL Profile!

It's that time of year again! Please update your dHL profile.

Be sure to check your profile description, contact information, profile picture and social media links. Including a profile picture improves the appearance of your profile and will result in more connections!













