

### **ARTICLES OF INTEREST**

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On behalf of the National Creativity Network, rest in peace to our founder and our friend. You made us think, you made us laugh, and you made us stronger advocates for imagination, creativity, and innovation. Comfort and peace to your family and many friends.

The official announcement may be found on his website.

#### **QUOTES**

"Creativity is as important as literacy and numeracy, and I actually think people understand that creativity is important - they just don't understand what it is." – Ken Robinson

"If you're not prepared to be wrong, you'll never come up with anything original." – Ken Robinson

"I believe this passionately: that we don't grow into creativity, we grow out of it. Or rather, we get educated out if it." – Ken Robinson

"Many highly talented, brilliant, creative people think they're not - because the thing they were good at at school wasn't valued, or was actually stigmatized." – Ken Robinson

"The arts, sciences, humanities, physical education, languages and maths all have equal and central contributions to make to a student's education." – Ken Robinson

"You can be creative in anything - in math, science, engineering, philosophy - as much as you can in music or in painting or in dance." – Ken Robinson

"Whether or not you discover your talents and passions is partly a matter of opportunity. If you've never been sailing, or picked up an instrument, or tried to teach or to write fiction, how would you know if you had a talent for these things?" – Ken Robinson

"You can't be a creative thinker if you're not stimulating your mind, just as you can't be an Olympic athlete if you don't train regularly." – Ken Robinson

#### **VIDEOS**

Sir Ken Robinson: Do schools kill creativity? (2006) TED Talks

Sir Ken Robinson: Bring on the learning revolution! (2010)

TED Talks

Sir Ken Robinson: Changing education paradigms (2010)

RSA Animate

Sir Ken Robinson: How to escape education's death valley (2013)

TED Talks Education

Sir Ken Robinson (still) wants an education revolution (2018)

The TED Interview

How to encourage creativity among students (2019)

TED Ideas That Matter | CBS This Morning

**Sir Ken Robinson: Finding Your Element** (2019)

King Rose Archives

Ken Robinson: 10 talks on education

Playlist | TED.com

## Remembering Sir Ken Robinson: Through His Own Words

The Call to Unite

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#### Ken Robinson (educationalist)

Wikipedia

Ken Robinson, Who Preached Creativity in Teaching, Dies at 70 The New York Times

Tribute to the late Sir Ken Robinson, renowned education reformer whose 2006 TED talk remains the most popular ever

The Washington Post

Goldie Hawn mourns heartbreaking death of close friend Hello!

'Our Ken' - John Baldacchino

Times of Malta

Tributes to Sir Ken Robinson as Liverpool-born TED talk star dies aged 70 Liverpool Echo

Remembering Sir Ken Robinson

TED Blog

WATCH: Sir Ken Robinson - 'His voice will be missed'

Tes

With Passing Of Education Luminary Sir Ken Robinson, His Call For Creativity Lives On

Forbes

How Ken Robinson's TED Talk Attracted 65 Million Views With No PowerPoint

**Forbes** 

Tributes Pour in for Sir Ken Robinson, a 'Source of Insight, Inspiration and Joy for Millions'

EdSurge

A loss for education

Ideasroom | Newsroom

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The **National Creativity Network** believes that by fostering creativity in our society as a whole, and specifically with future generations, America can remain a leader in innovation and free enterprise. The very future of our communities and institutions depends on our ability to nurture and harness imagination to creatively solve problems. If creativity is to be nurtured, systems, institutions and networks must be transformed.

The opportunities that emerge to transform our nation are largely dependent upon the degree to which we are connected to each other. Our connection will become a catalyst:

- to enhance the flow of relevant information,
- and to improve the ease with which key nodes of creativity, be they in the domains of Education, Commerce, Culture or across disciplines, can gain access to the best thinking, best questions, and most successful practices as well as other resources their ventures may require.

Our strategy is to engage thought leaders across North America to create a powerful network for transformation.

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