

# The Global Crisis and Promise of **Higher Education**



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Session Leader for Feb. 11, 2013 | 3:20-4:30 pm (Eastern Time)

## Advocating the Humanities: Values & Strategies For the Digital Age

Dr. Liu is Professor of English at the Univ. of California, Santa Barbara, and coleader of 4Humanities, co-sponsor of this webinar series. Among his publications are The Laws of Cool: Knowledge Work and the Culture of Information (2004); "Where Is Cultural Criticism in the Digital Humanities?" (2012), and "The State of the Digital Humanities: A Report and a Critique" (2012). He directs the Univ. of California's Transliteracies Project, which promotes online reading.

Recognizing the growing cracks in the conventional structures of higher education, this series will explore the dimensions of the sea change that is transforming the way faculty teach and conduct research. The project's purpose is to determine where and how change is occurring, its implications for pedagogy and scholarship, and its benefits and liabilities.

Key observers at universities, foundations, and the media, as well as education entrepreneurs, are invited to speak and participate in this monthly video conference conversation. In addition, the series will produce a white paper on new directions in higher education, a compendium of recorded presentations, a Web page of resources, and other social media for further discussion.

### **Event Schedule and Speakers**

September 10, 2012 Debbie Morrison, Online Learning Insights October 15, 2012 James Lerman, Kean Univ. November 12, 2012 Jeffrey Toney & Corina Hernandez, Kean Univ. December 10, 2012 Philip Schmidt, Western Governors Univ. Alan Liu, 4Humanities & Univ. of California, February 11, 2013 Santa Barbara March 18, 2013 Mia Zamora, Kean University April 8, 2013 Michael Horn, Innosight Institute May 13, 2013

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