



# Annual General Meeting Ohio Association of IB World Schools

Wednesday, February 15  
9:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

**Columbus Alternative High School**  
**2632 McGuffey Rd.**  
**Columbus, OH 43205**  
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The OAIBWS Annual General Meeting is for the IB school coordinator, head of school and other district personnel such as Superintendents and Curriculum Directors. The agenda for the AGM will include an address to the group, [Emerging trends in Global Education: The IB in a Changing American Landscape](#), by Dr. Robert Harrison, IB Curriculum Manager for Continuum Development.

\*Popular vendor IB Source will return and will have on display their large selection of new, and tried and tested, IB texts and other materials. IB Source will again donate \$1000 for scholarships for Ohio IB students. We are proud to announce that, this year, EF Tours will also be joining us. We welcome both Andrew Culley (IB Source) & Jessica Paugh (EF).

Keynote speaker **Robert Harrison** is Curriculum Manager for Continuum Development with IB. Working from the IB's new Global Service Centre for Africa, Europe and the Middle East in The Hague, Netherlands, Robert supports the IB's commitment to global engagement in more than 3,000 schools in over 130 countries. Developing curriculum frameworks, resources for teaching and learning, and educational processes that support inquiry, action, and reflection on global challenges, Robert collaborates with a team of curriculum and assessment specialists serving students ages 3-18 in the IB Primary Years Programme, Middle Years Programme, Diploma Programme, and Career-related Certificate.

Before joining the IB's academic staff, Robert worked with highly-diverse, economically-challenged schools implementing IB programmes of international education. A licensed secondary social studies and special education teacher, Robert has developed curriculum, led professional development, and consulted with schools in Africa, Europe, Asia and throughout the United States and Canada. He teaches in the IB Teacher Award Program as Adjunct Faculty with George Mason University's Center for International Education. He holds a Ph.D. in Religion and Sociology (Ancient Near Eastern Studies) from Duke University, Durham, North Carolina.

Register online! at [www.ohioib.org](http://www.ohioib.org)

Registration Deadline: Friday, February 10.



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**AGENDA**

- 9:00-9:45                    Hospitality, IB Source Book Fair, EF Tours Display
- 9:45-9:50                    Greetings
- 9:50-10:00                  Welcome, Introductions, & Approval of Agenda  
Cynthia Ballheim, OAIBWS President
- 10:00-10:15                “A brief history of OLIBS”  
Nate Maier, OAWIBS Historian
- 10:15-11:45                Emerging trends in Global Education: The IB in a Changing  
American Landscape  
Dr. Robert Harrison, IB Curriculum Manager for Continuum  
Development
- 11:45-12:45                Lunch and Q & A with Robert Harrison
- 1:00-1:30                    Raffle and Follow up with Robert Harrison
- 1:00-2:30                    OAIBWS Business Meeting
- Approval of minutes from 2011 AGM  
at Dublin Coffman H.S. January 14, 2011
- Election of new Executive
- Reports from Executive/ Group sharing  
and collaboration
- Set next meeting date and time

**\*Raffle prizes from IB Source Include the following:**

Complete set of DP Study Guides courtesy of NTK Press  
Complete set of MYP Math books courtesy of Haese Mathematics  
Complete Set of DP textbooks courtesy of Anagnosis Press  
Complete set of DP Course Companions courtesy of Oxford University Press  
A Complete set of DP textbooks courtesy of Hodder Education  
A copy of Taking the PYP forward by John Catt Education  
A copy of Taking the MYP forward by John Catt Education  
Two packs of Pearson PYP readers  
An ipod shuffle!

**\*Raffle prizes from Education First include**

A \$400 Apple Gift Card  
A Full paid travel scholarship for our 2013 Ohio Association Tour for a student from your school

**\*You must be present in order to win!!!**