



# Have you Thought About...

Becoming part of the Strategic Educational Alliances (SEA) family is about more than signing agreements. As Fowler Elementary School District has discovered, it's about creating programs and opportunities for students while building relationships between Grand Canyon University (GCU) and its participant schools. Read about the ways FESD is succeeding.



## **Lopes Latest**

While Arizona continues to struggle with a teacher shortage and available education funds, GCU's College of Education has partnered with the Rodel Foundation of Arizona to help develop young teachers gain invaluable classroom experience. Anthony Perez is among dozens of teachers and hundreds of children who benefit.



#### **SEA Standout**

Approximately 20 school choirs, bands or talented individuals were invited to perform "The Star-Spangled Banner" before GCU athletic events throughout the 2014-2015 school year. <u>Learn more</u> about these performers and how their array of background experience made for some memorable renditions.



## **Canyon Community**

The GCU community brings people from a variety of backgrounds and circumstances, including homeschool students. Did you know one of the men's basketball team's best and most well-known players was home schooled? Daniel Alexander and Makalie Zdenek are among many who've successfully adjusted to campus and student life. **Read more** 



## **Upcoming Events**

Commencement is coming in late April followed by Mutt-i-Grees workshops and the Learning with Engagement=Retention workshop in May presented by Ava Genung and Debbie Voll. Summer is going to sizzle with activities and campus events for all walks of life. See the full calendar



# **SEA Recent Event Highlights**

Feb. 24, 2015: From Tuning Out to Turning On workshop presented by Dr. Rich Allen

March 6-8, 2015: EdTechTeam Arizona Summit featuring Google for Education April 1-4, 2015: FIRST Robotics Championship



## **Participant Corner**

Beginning in April, Annunciation Catholic School in Cave Creek, Ariz., has adopted the STREAM to provide students an education that incorporates religion and the arts into science, technology, engineering and math (STEM) subjects which already comprise students' curriculum. Read more

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