

# WL - WH CONFERENCES INVITATION 2025

*6th International Conference on Spirituality and Mental Health*

*Dr. Wendy Muhlhauser-Tingblad*  
**Author, Founder- SissyMarySue Education Fund,  
 Podcast- "Educating Empathy"**

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**PRESENTATION INFO**

**Date** : March 08-09, 2025  
**Time slot** : 19:10-19:35 / 12:35-13:00  
**Location** : Paris, France

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**KEY WORDS**

Social-emotional well-being  
 creative play  
 social justice  
 SissyMarySue Education Fund  
 Ecological awareness



**SPEAKER ABSTRACT:**  
**Prioritizing Social-Emotional Well-Being through  
 PLAY with Empathy and Inclusion: Empowering  
 Social and Ecological Justice Worldwide**

Dr. Wendy Muhlhauser-Tingblad (Ed.D), founder of the SissyMarySue Education Fund, is a passionate advocate for social-emotional well-being, empathy, and inclusion. With nearly three decades of experience, her work integrates social justice, eco-consciousness, and educational empowerment, focusing on the transformative power of play in cognitive and emotional development. Her initiatives bridge environmental and social justice through partnerships with organizations like the Cheetah Conservation Fund and H2O For Life Schools, emphasizes the importance of representation in media and female empowerment, particularly in aviation through events like Walk/Run To FLY!

**On This International Women's Day**  
**"Together, we rise. Together, we lead."**

Dr. Wendy Muhlhauser-Tingblad (EdD)  
 Emphasis Leadership for Change with concentration in Media,  
 Technology and Innovation. **Honoring Dr. Marie Fielder**  
 as Fielder Fellow Alumna on International Women's Day!

**Social Entrepreneurship:** nonprofit and for profit for social and ecological justice

Dr. Muhlhauser-Tingblad passionately maintains, demonstrates and substantiates


the **Intersection of PLAY**

(with it's inherent Social/Emotional & Cognitive Development Outcomes)

with **EMPATHY, EQUITY, PRESERVING CHILDHOOD** and the **NATURAL WORLD!**

She further maintains that representation in books, technology and in all media is crucial, so that all children see themselves represented, consequently, feeling their value. Female empowerment is of great importance to Dr. Muhlhauser-Tingblad too. She leads initiatives in SissyMarySue Education Fund 501 (c) (3) especially in the area of aviation.

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**March 8<sup>th</sup>**

CREATIVE PLAY  
IDEAS

DR. WENDY MUHLHAUSER-TINGBLAD

PRIORITIZING WELL-BEING


PRESERVING CHILDHOOD THROUGH PLAY


SOME IDEAS

CLEAN WATER - DIORAMA

BOOK RE-CREATIONS

PUPPET STAGE & MORE LEARNING





Creative Play for Teaching Empathy to Young Children - Dr. Wendy Muhlhauser (SissyMarySue)

**March 9<sup>th</sup>**