

AcademicInfluence.com's YouTube Channel Features Interviews with the World's Most Influential People and More

FORT WORTH, TEXAS, USA, August 10, 2021 /EINPresswire.com/ -- Who are the most influential people in the world? How did they get to the pinnacle of their academic fields? And what can they tell us about their work and its impact on our future?

Announcing the Academic Influence channel at YouTube, packed with interviews with Nobel Prize winners, DBEs, and the leading minds in everything from anthropology to university admissions, as well as artificial intelligence, climate change, cybersecurity, economics, free speech, marijuana research, political science, quantum physics, vaccines, volcanology, and much more:

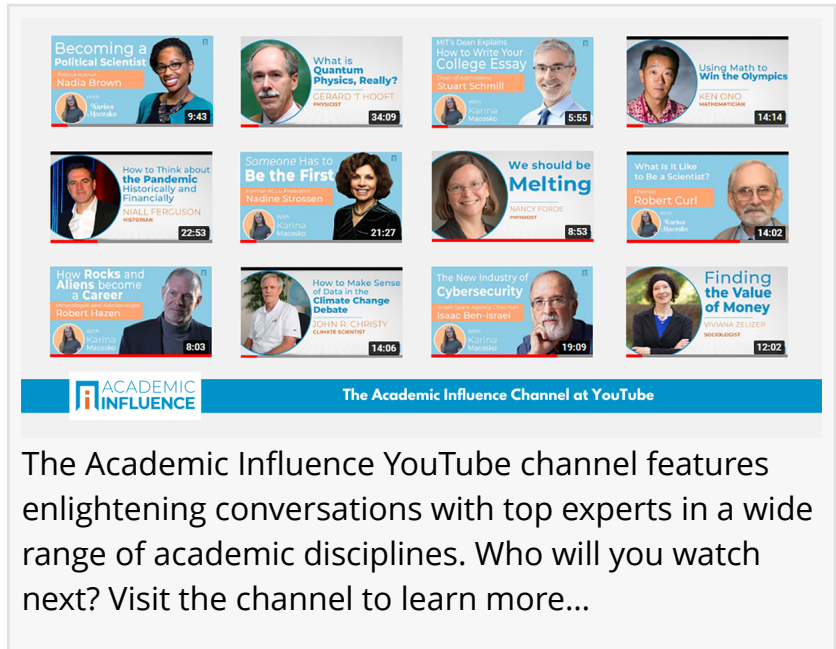
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"Using the proprietary ranking technology our team of data scientists and academics developed, we've found the real movers and shakers in academia. Naturally, we wanted to learn about their research and how they achieved notoriety in their field," says Dr. Jed Macosko, academic director of AcademicInfluence.com and professor of physics at Wake Forest University. "This glimpse into the minds of the world's most brilliant people is both illuminating and inspiring for anyone who wishes to grow in scholarship and understanding."

The growing library features more than 130 videos, including interviews with these experts and academics:

ADMISSIONS, COLLEGE PREP & EDUCATION

- Michael Poliakoff, president of the American Council of Trustees and Alumni
- Stuart Schmill, dean of admissions, MIT



The Academic Influence YouTube channel features enlightening conversations with top experts in a wide range of academic disciplines. Who will you watch next? Visit the channel to learn more...

- Paul Tough, author of *The Inequality Machine: How College Divides Us*

ANTHROPOLOGY

- Marcia Inhorn, Yale University
- Marshall Sahlins, University of Chicago
- Nancy Scheper-Hughes, University of California, Berkeley

BIOLOGY

- Niles Eldredge, American Museum of Natural History
- Marcus Feldman, Stanford University
- Robert Hazen, George Mason University

CHEMISTRY

- Carolyn Bertozzi, Stanford University
- Robert Curl, Rice University
- Eric Scerri, UCLA

COMPUTER SCIENCE & CYBERSECURITY

- Isaac Ben-Israel, Tel Aviv University
- Zvi Galil, Georgia Institute of Technology
- Eric Larson, author of *The Myth of Artificial Intelligence: Why Computers Can't Think the Way We Do*

CRIMINAL JUSTICE

- Lorraine Mazerolle, University of Queensland
- Lawrence Sherman, University of Cambridge
- David Weisburd, Hebrew University / George Mason University

EARTH SCIENCES

- Michael Mann, Penn State University
- Clive Oppenheimer, University of Cambridge
- Naomi Oreskes, Harvard University

ECONOMICS

- Ha-Joon Chang, University of Cambridge
- Paul Krugman, City University of New York
- Gregory Mankiw, Harvard University

ENGINEERING

- Bin He, Carnegie Mellon University
- Robert Langer, MIT
- Matthew Tirrell, University of Chicago

HISTORY

- Dipesh Chakrabarty, University of Chicago
- Niall Ferguson, Stanford University
- Eric Foner, Columbia University

LAW

- Nadine Strossen, New York Law School

MATHEMATICS

- Keith Devlin, Stanford University
- Ken Ono, University of Virginia
- Ian Stewart, University of Warwick

PHILOSOPHY

- Khaldoun Sweis, Olive Harvey College

PHYSICS

- Dame Jocelyn Bell, University of Oxford
- Gerard't Hooft, Utrecht University
- Mikhail Shifman, University of Minnesota

POLITICAL SCIENCE

- Nadia Brown, Georgetown University
- Norman Finkelstein, author of *I Accuse!*
- Francis Fukuyama, Stanford University

SOCIOLOGY

- Omar Lizardo, UCLA
- Viviana Zelizer, Princeton University

OTHER DISCIPLINES

- Nancy Forde, biophysics, Simon Fraser University
- Allyn Howlett, neuropharmacology, Wake Forest University
- Alex Rogers, entrepreneurship, CEO of the International Cannabis Business Conference

Our student correspondent—and Dr. Macosko's daughter—Karina Macosko conducted her own series of interviews, examining the educational path that ultimately led these influencers to their greatest successes.

AcademicInfluence.com's YouTube channel hosts quick access to all the current videos in the interview series, including playlists for the various disciplines, and additional videos explaining the mission of AcademicInfluence.com. For transcripts and more, see the [complete series of influencer interviews](#) at the AcademicInfluence.com website.

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“Whether you're looking for specific direction, current insights, or are simply curious to learn more about each interviewee, we're excited to feature amazing people as they talk about their own personal growth and learning,” says Macosko. “I know I learned a lot, and we believe you will too.”

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