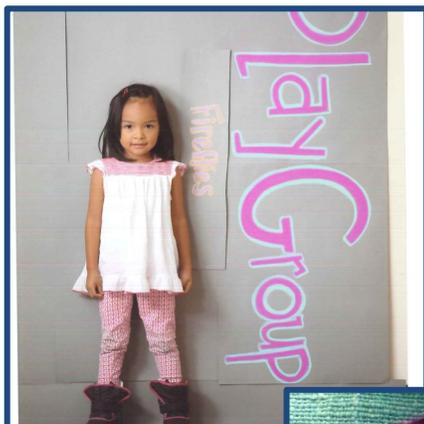


EMMA UPDATE =]

A little hard for us to believe, but Emma has completed her first year of school—and her parents are so proud! Here is her first official school picture:

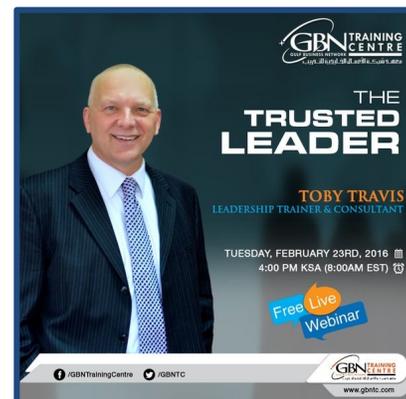


We are also so very thankful that over this past week we finally have Emma's new Ecuadorian I.D. card and Ecuadorian passport as **EMMA TRAVIS!** Now, we can **move forward on her USA citizenship!** We are told the application, interview, and processing could take

up to another 6 months. Please be praying with us for a smooth and quick process for Emma, and for favor with the USA Embassy. Thank you!



February 23: While in Panama, Toby will also be presenting a live online leadership development webinar sponsored by the [GBN Training Network](#) out of Saudi Arabia! This is an amazing opportunity as the primary audience for the webinar are business leaders living and working in the Gulf region. You can also join in for free, and you can invite anyone you know who is in a leadership position or role to participate in the webinar. All you, or they, need do is pre-register at: <http://goo.gl/lgyQBT>. Please be praying that this opportunity will open other doors for Toby to work with other leaders around the world.



March 11: Over 1,000 educators from all over Ecuador have already pre-registered for the [Teachers Teaching Teachers](#) event,



which will be held in Quito. Toby, along with dozens of other workshop presenters will be providing professional development training. Toby's session is entitled: **"TRUST, the Essential Element in Student/Parent Relationships."** The all-day event is being sponsored by the 8 international schools that serve both expat and national families here in Ecuador. This is a great opportunity to connect with many of Toby's peers working in the field of education. Again, your prayers for the day are sincerely appreciated.

TRAINING OPPORTUNITIES

In the coming weeks and months Toby has been given a number of opportunities to provide training sessions in a wide variety of settings.

February 21-24: Toby will be traveling to Panama City, Panama where he will be working with the faculty and staff members from 3 Christian schools operated by the [Fundación Bern](#). The focus of these days will be on Christian Faith Integration in the Classroom. Topics will include Evidential Apologetics and Christian Worldview.



September 22-25: Later this year Toby has been invited to be a keynote speaker and seminar leader for the [PAIDEIA INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE](#) to be held on September 22-24. This event will take place in either the Dominican Republic or Panama. PAIDEIA, Inc., is a consulting firm dedicated to a biblical worldview in all areas of leadership in education. During this event Toby will have the opportunity of working with and training Christian school leaders from throughout Latin America.



So, as you can see, life and ministry are full and exciting as ever. **Thank you so much for your continuing support** that allows us to continue serving so many here in Ecuador and around the world!

Yours for Christ, - Toby, Tannia & Emma too!

