*[Sherry, when Linda answers about the Trump administration, please cut out where she says something like “I don’t expect the Trump admin to do much.” Just leave the answer as something like “most work will be done at the state level.”*

**FreshEd #102 – Empowered educators (Linda Darling-Hammond)**

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Intro

This is FreshEd, a weekly podcast that makes complex ideas in educational research easily understood. I’m your host, Will Brehm.

We’re back. Happy 2018 everyone. We have a lot in store for you this year. I’ll be making several announcements about some of our plans over the coming weeks. For today, I’d like to welcome Lushik Wahba to the FreshEd team. Lushik is an undergraduate student at Bennington College in Vermont where she is studying education and social justice. We’re excited to have her help produce the show.

So, to kick off the new year, we have a special show for you. Today, Linda Darling-Hammond joins me to talk about her new co-authored book *Empowered Educators: How high-performing systems shape teaching quality around the world.*

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The book explores how several countries and jurisdictions have developed comprehensive teaching and learning systems that produce a range of positive outcomes, from student achievement to equity and from a professionalized teaching workforce to the integration of research and practice.

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**Outro**

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Thanks for listing. I’m Will Brehm and I’ll be back next week.