

## More from Glenn Reynolds on the Higher Education Bubble

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This past weekend Professor Glenn Reynolds, University of Tennessee Law School, published another <u>newspaper article</u> on the college debt bubble. Reynolds is one of the best writers on the college debt "bubble" – as he calls it. He believes that the market for exorbitantly priced higher education is getting soft as market forces and public awareness take hold.

He also takes note of 21<sup>st</sup> Century alternatives to the old brick and mortar education model. He mentions a number of high-tech ventures that are taking off: Harvard/MIT edX, Minerva University, "Stanford professor/Google bigwig Sebastian Thrun"'s Udacity.

New thinking abounds: Glenn references Andrew Coulson (Cato Institute) who proposes that it is becoming more practical for students to educate themselves via online methods. *See George Leef*'s brief discussion of Coulson's idea <u>here</u>.