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EDUCATION BEYOND THE HUMAN: Toward Sympoiesis

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Welcome from CIES President Elect

On behalf of the CIES2020 conference planning committee, it is my pleasure and privilege to welcome you to the 64th Annual Meeting of the Comparative and International Education Society! For the last year and a half, we have been actively preparing for this year’s conference “Education Beyond the Human” with the goal of coming together to radically reimagine the role of education in the context of the human-induced climate crisis. Signaling the end of human exceptionalism, this era calls for an urgent redefinition of what it is to be human and a reconfiguration of the relationship between human and Earth. How should education respond to a world of shifting planetary boundaries and collapsing ecosystems? What education policies, frameworks, practices, and pedagogies can help re-situate the human within the relational flow of life where everyone and everything – both human and non-human – are deeply interconnected? How can we learn to responsibly encounter and fully engage with a more than human world? The conference is an urgent invitation for all CIES members to step up to the planetary challenges we face and explore a broad range of questions pertaining to the adequacy of our vocabularies, theories, methods, practices, movements, and ways of being in these precarious times.

We had planned an exciting program for the conference, which was supposed to take place in Miami, Florida, carefully locating CIES within the local community. This program would also extend a part of the conference virtually in an effort to reduce our carbon footprint and address inequities related to international travel. We put a lot of creative energy into curating the program in such a way that every single person who would come to the conference - no matter how interested or engaged they were in the conference theme, no matter whether they joined in person or virtually - would be touched by it, in one way or another, through intellectual engagement, through visual and experiential aspects of the program, or simply through spatial awareness.

However, the COVID-19 global health pandemic had abruptly disrupted these plans, requiring us to cancel the onsite portion of the conference and shift into a virtual space in a matter of weeks. Despite all the challenges associated with the COVID-19 response, I believe that the goals of the conference have already been achieved, even without travelling to the conference site. The idea of human exceptionalism has been dramatically challenged not by us... but by a virus. And every single CIES member, whether they were willing to engage with the conference theme or not, have been directly and personally affected. Underscoring the urgency of the conference theme, COVID-19 also triggered an alarming realization that the future is already here. It is happening now. We can no longer afford small, incremental steps. We need to radically transform our vocabularies, theories, methods, practices, movements, and ways of being in these precarious times, now.

While there is a lot of uncertainty and anxiety about the immediate future, the success of our virtual conference and future activities will depend on all of us working together and creating a common space – and a common purpose – as we mobilize ourselves to think and act differently at this conference and beyond. Using Donna Haraway’s words, we invite you to ‘stay with the trouble’ and sit in the discomfort that comes from the awareness of the immediate health epidemic and the looming environmental crisis that is unwinding us. This is an unprecedented challenge and an opportunity to reimagine life – and education – on a damaged Earth. I hope that we can take on this challenge together, sympoietically.

Welcome to vCIES!

– Iveta Silova, President Elect CIES2020
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Watch welcome video here to learn more!
Since the 1950s, our association has promoted scholarship and engagement in part through its annual meetings. Convivial gatherings such as in Miami this year allow us to exchange ideas for research and action in education worldwide. As CIES President 2019-20, I hope you will find ways to use the networks you find here to become involved in our organization beyond the conference, though joining a committee, a Special Interest Group, by writing a column for our newsletter, or by submitting a scholarly article to the Comparative Education Review. I congratulate my successor, Iveta Silova, on reframing our educational activity with this year’s theme such that we attend not only to the human consequences of our endeavors but also to the planetary impact of education and miseducation. Can education and education conferences ever be sustainable? What new agenda should our association pursue if we are to help in our own way to create a future for education? This conference would not have been possible without the tireless efforts of our partners at Indiana Conferences and Institutes, led by Cheryl Gilliland, and our new team at the University of Pittsburgh, led by our Executive Director Najeeb Shafiq. Finally, thanks go to the hardworking officers and board members of the CIES, whose support through a difficult year of transition has made this conference so inspiring.

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Congratulations to our 2020 Bereday Award winners **Amy Jo Dowd** and **Lesley Bartlett** for their article:


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Dr. Joyce Lynn Cain, teacher, researcher, practitioner, and international scholar, was one of the early researchers who combined her extraordinary skill as a public school teacher with research focused on the preparation of teachers to teach minority children in school settings. She was a forerunner in conducting comparative research on minority students in the USA and Africa. It was her love of the African cultures and heritage that led her to be an advocate and an advisor to African countries, particularly Zimbabwe. She was inspired to plan study trips to Africa for others in the USA and was called on as a consultant for international agencies, such as the U.S. Agency for International Development.

She was a loyal member of the faculty of Michigan State University, where she served as an Associate Professor of Teacher Education until her passing in 1996. Her focus on, and attention to, the importance of Africa has inspired many researchers and practitioners.


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CIES recognizes an outstanding book annually with the Jackie Kirk Award to honor the professional life and deep dedication of Jackie Kirk to our field and to CIES. The award is supported by the Jackie Kirk Memorial Fund, established in 2010 under the presidency of Gita Steiner-Khamsi—through a generous donation by Andrew Kirk, the husband of Jackie Kirk, and by the International Rescue Committee—and consolidated in 2012 under the presidency of Ratna Ghosh. The Jackie Kirk Award annually honors a published book that reflects one or some of the varied areas of expertise represented in Jackie Kirk’s areas of commitment, primarily gender and education and/or education in conflict (fragile states, post-conflict, peace education). Jackie Kirk was also committed to work on identity (particularly of girls and teachers), globalization as a context for local practice, and visual participatory research methodologies. Furthermore, Jackie Kirk was professionally committed to encouraging dynamic and equitable collaboration between academics and practitioners, the global South and the global North, and comparative/ international educators and teachers on the ground. While the award will be granted primarily on the basis of the two main areas of commitment (gender and/or conflict), these additional areas of commitment will be used as a secondary set of criteria so that the award reflects the spirit of Jackie Kirk’s legacy.


Congratulations to all of the 2020 Award Winners!
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Speculative and Science Fiction in Comparative and International Education
Malka Older, Tricia M. Kress, Casper Bruun Jensen, Karen Mundy as discussant, Francine Menashy & Euan Auld as moderators

DIALOGUES WITH MORE-THAN-HUMAN WORLDS
Approaches to Writing, Methodologies, and Pedagogies
AnaLouise Keating, Kakali Bhattacharya, and Mildred Boveda as moderator

UNPACKING THE GEOPOLITICS OF BEING
On Being and Knowing Otherwise
Vanessa Andreotti, Sarah Amsler, Riyad A. Shahjahan, and Sharon Stein as moderator
# vCIES Program Schedule

**vCIES 2020**  
**Education Beyond the Human**  
**March 22 - April 30, 2020**

## Weekly Overview - March 22-28, 2020

### March 22, 2020 (Sunday)

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| 10:00-14:00 EDT | How to ace results in reading and math? Secrets you won’t hear elsewhere | Workshop Organizers:  
Helen Abadzi, University of Texas at Arlington  
Aglaia Zafeirakou, Senior Consultant - The World Bank |
| 14:00-17:00 EDT | Perennial and New Ecological Ethics, Paradigms and Practices, and Envisioning a Sustainable Future | Workshop Organizers:  
Jing Lin, University of Maryland; Tom Culham, Beedie School of Business Simon Fraser University; Denise McHugh, University of Maryland; Annie Rappeport, University of Maryland; Amanda Fiore; University of Maryland |

### March 23, 2020 (Monday)

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| 8:15-9:45 EDT | Language Issues SIG Business Meeting | Language Issues SIG  
Chairs:  
Kara Brown, University of South Carolina  
Laura Valdiviezo, University of Massachusetts Amherst |
| 8:15-9:45 EDT | Preparing Teachers for Ambitious Goals: How diverse education systems support pedagogies to educate the whole child | Preparing Teachers for Ambitious Goals: How diverse education systems support pedagogies to educate the whole child  
Fernando Reimers, Harvard Graduate School of Education; Eleonora Villegas-Reimers, Boston University, Wheelock College of Education and Human Development  
Panelists: Eleonora Villegas-Reimers, Clinical Professor of Boston University, Wheelock College of Education and Human Development; Fernando M. Reimers, Ford Foundation Professor of the Practice of International Education. Harvard Graduate School of Education. |
| 9:00-10:30 EDT | Migration, Community, and Collaboration in a Changing World | Digital storytelling with refugees in formal and non-formal settings: A comparative spatial analysis N. Noor and M. Syed, University of Toronto; M. Syed, University of Toronto  
Identifying barriers to and proposing recommendations for pro-environmental behaviours among corporate employees by using psychological theories Juthi Jamila, OISE, University of Toronto  
Transdisciplinary collaboration on sustainability challenges: Toward new approaches for higher education institutions Blane Harvey, McGill University; Hannah Chestnutt, McGill University; Shaemaa Essa, McGill University  
Marimba, territoriality and Black identity; The power of music in assimilating and resisting Emilia Soto Echeverri, University of Sussex  
Recollect / Reconnect: In search for a decolonial collective biography methodology Zsuzsa Millei, Tampere University, Finland; Iveta Silova, Arizona State University; Nelli Piettoeva, University of Tampere, Finland  
Bullying in Irish schools: Testing the effect of question wording and school diversity on prevalence rates Georgiana Mihut, Economic and Social Research Institute  
Discussant: Vanessa Hughes, London School of Economics and Political Science |


March 23, 2020 (Monday)

10:00-11:30 EDT

Sexual Orientation and Gender Identity and Expression SIG
Highlighted Session: Applying comparative approaches to SOGIE and LGBT+ research

Sexual Orientation and Gender Identity and Expression SIG

Chair: Naomi A Moland, American University
What do SOGIE NGOs do? Mission statements as global and local narratives
Hyungoo Lee, Teachers College, Columbia University
LGBTQ Student Experiences across Eastern Europe: Comparative Results from Six National School Climate Studies
Joseph Kosciw, GLSEN; Adrian Zongrone, GLSEN
“You will want to be better in every aspect.” A narrative inquiry of Tongzhi [Gay] student identities in Mainland China
Kai Ren, Shaanxi Normal University; Gerardo Blanco, University of Connecticut

10:00-11:30 EDT

Universities as Symposia in Building an Innovative Talent Ecosystem in the Guangdong-Hong Kong-Macao Greater Bay Area

An Empirical Study on the Correlation between University Discipline and Industrial Structure in the Guangdong-Hong Kong-Macao Greater Bay Area
Kejin Zhu, Southern University of Science and Technology; the University of Hong Kong
Academic Mobility and Higher Education Innovation: an Empirical Study on International Faculty in the Guangdong-Hong Kong-Macao Greater Bay Area
Qiongqiong Chen, Southern University of Science and Technology; Yuan Li, Southern University of Science and Technology
Discussant: Rui Yang, University of Hong Kong

10:00-11:30 EDT

Strengthen Countries to Boost Early Grade Reading results: Curricula Reform down to the Classroom

Global Literacy SIG

Chair: Monica Gadkari, Social Impact
Strengthen countries to boost Early Grade Reading results: Curricula reform down to the classroom
Aglaia Zafeirakou, Senior Consultant - The World Bank
Student Performance Tracking (SPT) – USAID Pakistan
Reading Project Initiative That Contributes Towards Improvement of Students' Reading Skills
Ruman Ijaz Malik, International Rescue Committee
Understanding the Systems of Success: A Holistic Impact Evaluation of a Successful Early Grade Reading Program in Ghana
Monica Gadkari, Social Impact
Impact of Armed Conflict on Literacy Education: Empirical Analysis using Literacy Tests in Afghanistan Literacy Education Programme
Yuji Utsumi, Nagoya University; Christian Otchia, Natoya University

11:00-12:30 EDT

Sustainability, citizenship and equality in education around the world

Content Analysis of Environmental Sustainability in Images of Elementary School Textbooks: The case of Iran
Mariana Shekarian, University of Ottawa
The Mariposa DR Foundation and Mariposa Center for Girls Eco-brick Construction Project
Minseung Kim, The Lawrenceville School
Thinking global, acting local: An exploration of place-based education in rural Wales
Mark Ford, Welsh Government and ERW regional consortia (Wales); Rachael Fitzpatrick, Education Development Trust
Trees, networks, and clocks: Metaphors of solidarity and diversity in Romanian social studies textbooks
Elena Negrea Busuioc, National University of Political Studies and Public Administration; Simona Elena Szakacs-Behling, Georg Eckert Institute for International Textbook Research
Who can afford to play in the woods? Broadening our imaginary of the nature-loving learner
Nomisha Kurian, University of Cambridge (Faculty of Education)
Discussant: Dante J Salto, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee


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**March 23, 2020 (Monday)**

11:45-13:15 EDT

**Education in violent conflict and post-conflict settings: A cross-national panel including Mexico, US, and Kosovo**

Chair: **Greta Olivares**, Stanford Graduate School of Education

Descriptive findings on the relationship between living in cartel-run areas on the educational attainment of children in Mexico

**Greta Olivares, Stanford Graduate School of Education**

Aiming for Safety: The role of schools in mitigating the effects of community violence on socio-emotional development in early childhood

**Kate Hoffman, Stanford Graduate School of Education**

Divided Schools, Divided State: The parallel education system and national identity formation in post-war Kosovo

**Arnela Colic, Stanford University**

11:45-13:15 EDT

**Citizenship and Democratic Education (CANDE) SIG Business Meeting**

**Citizenship and Democratic Education SIG**

Chairs:

**Krystal Strong**, University of Pennsylvania

**Patricia K Kubow**, Indiana University

11:45-13:15 EDT

**Domestication, decolonization, and diversity of discourses: Implementing, indigenizing, and interrogating imported ideas**

Chair: **Maya Satlykgylyjova**, Kent State University

The transition of Master degree graduates from university to work: Multilingual education misconstrued by employers in Kazakhstan

**Dirabo Jonbekova, Nazarbayev University; Sulushash I Kerimkulova, Nazarbayev University; Bridget A. Goodman, Nazarbayev University Graduate School of Education; Jason Sparks, NU; Gulfiya Zhasulanovna Kuchumova, Nazarbayev University**

Student learning outcomes and competencies: how are they determined and evaluated?

**Chynarkul Ryskulova, American University of Central Asia**

Global forces, national policies and institutional responses in Central Asia:

**A discoursal analysis of Kazakhstani universities’ missions and strategic development plans Zumrad Kataeva, Nazarbayev University**

Discussant: **Martha Merrill**, Kent State University

11:45-13:15 EDT

**International perspectives on school climate for LGBT+ students**

**Sexual Orientation and Gender Identity and Expression SIG**

Chair: **Joseph Kosciw**, GLSEN

Interactive Effects of Homophobic and Racist Victimization on Well-Being Among Latinx LGBTQ Students in U.S. Schools

**Adrian Zongrone, GLSEN; Joseph Kosciw, GLSEN**

School climate for Israeli LGBT+ students through the test of time

**Avner Rogel, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem and Magnus Hirschfeld Institute - IGY; Oren Pizmony-Levy, Teachers College, Columbia University**

Teachers’ perspectives on addressing LGBT+ issues in primary and secondary education: A systematic literature review

**Sarah Julianne Lewinger, Teachers College, Columbia University; Cody Freeman, Faculty of Learning Sciences & Education, Thammasat University; Caitlin Thomas, IREX**

Why are they so mad? Queer women college students navigating Chilean higher education

**Ximena Canelo, University of Texas at Austin**

12:00-13:00 EDT

**Live Film Festivalette Launch**

Participants: **Adriana Cepeda**, MobilizArte; **Jorge Baxter**, Universidad de los Andes.

13:45-15:15

**Regional cooperation and capacity building for sustainable development: Teaching and learning approaches in Eurasia**

**Eurasia SIG**

Procedure of localization student achievement monitoring in Armenia

**Aleksan Yesayan, Center for Assessment and Testing under the Ministry of Education and Science in Armenia**

Methodology of analysis and comparison of math textbooks in Kyrgyzstan

**Zeynep Zhamakeeva, National Assessment Center Kyrgyz Republic**

Diagnosing teaching practices for finding best approaches and their further dissemination

**Vasily Rusetksiy, National Institute of Education Belarus Republic**

Teacher involvement in the improvement of educational achievements according to the results of Student Achievement Monitoring

**Savzali Jafarov, National Assessment Center under the President Republic of Tajikistan**
March 23, 2020 (Monday)

15:30-17:00 EDT

Maestras, jóvenes y campesinos como productores de nuevos conocimientos y resistencias frente al capitalismo neoliberal en México y Brasil

Chair: ORESTA LOPEZ, El Colegio de San Luis
Agendas internacionales y apropiaciones locales de saberes campesinos en las escuelas rurales brasileñas y mexicanas
Rony Rei Nascimento Silva, Universidade Estadual Paulista (UNESP)

Estrategias de los jóvenes para la formación y prácticas profesionales en las nuevas reglas del capitalismo industrial en México Jennifer Anne Eckerly Goss, El Colegio de San Luis, A.C.

Nuevas competencias y resistencias de las maestras de primaria mexicanas en las nuevas relaciones neoliberales del trabajo educativo Adriana Zavala, Colegio de San Luis

15:30-17:00 EDT

Religion, belonging and minority groups

Religion and Education East SIG

Chair: Shrey Devalkumar Choksi, Institute of Leadership and Governance
Understanding Islamic Schooling Practices Through Their Selfportrayal in Digital Media With Examples From Turkey and the U.S. Derya Dogan, Indiana University

Religious education in public schools in Ukraine and Russia: Interpreting regional and cross-national differences Elena Lisovskaya, Western Michigan University; Viktoriia Kryshmarel, The Institute of Pedagogy of the National Academy of Pedagogical Sciences of Ukraine

Anti-religious education or countering violent extremism? – a look at the re-education camps in the Uyghur region of China Maihemuti Dilmurat Dilimulati, McGill University

Discussant: Drissa Alimamy Patience Kargbo, Office of the Ombudsman Sierra Leone

16:00-18:00 EDT

AGORA – SPECIAL EVENT! Academic Conferences during Climate Crisis: Agora on Carbon Free and More Equal Conferencing

Chairs:
Iveta Silova, Arizona State University
Zsuzsa Millei, Tampere University, Finland
Robyn B. Read, University of Toronto

Discussants:
Caroline Manion, University of Toronto
Will Brehm, University College London Institute of Education
Michael C. Russell, Lehigh University College of Education
Radhika Iyengar, Earth Institute, Columbia University
Oren Pizmony-Levy, Teachers College, Columbia University
Janna Goebel, Arizona State University
Marianne Larsen, Western University
Supriya Baily, George Mason University
Gustavo E. Fischman, Arizona State University
Jayson W. Richardson, University of Kentucky
Lynn Murphy, Independent

17:15-18:45 EDT

The Education of Incarcerated Children: Towards a Global Understanding of Effective Policy and Practice

Association between educational outcomes and mental/behavioural disorders among incarcerated adolescents: realities in and perspectives from Lagos Nigeria
Olayinka Atilola, Lagos State University College of Medicine Ikena

Exploring learning disabilities and access to education in custody, in a sample of young offenders and non-offenders in South Africa Leigh Schrieff, University of Cape Town

The impact of the secure custodial setting on re-engaging incarcerated children with education and learning - a case study in the UK Dr Adeela ahmed Shafi, University of Gloucestershire, UK

Discussant: Huw Williams, University of Exeter, UK
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17:15-18:45 EDT

Student Engagement and International Students

Chair: Lou L. Sabina, Stetson University
Influences of Chinese Students’ Undergraduate Experiences in China on Their US Graduate Studies
Weiyan Xiong, Lingnan University School of Graduate Studies; Xi Wang, University of Pittsburgh School of Education
Rethinking Chinese international student engagement in Canadian graduate schools: From a comparative analysis
Meng Xiao, OISE, University of Toronto
Whose support is most important for international students’ well-being: faculty, domestic students, or other international students? A quantitative study.
Nelson Brünsting, Wake Forest University; Sonali Kathuria, Wake Forest University; Fanyi Zeng, Wake Forest University; Kline Harrison, Wake Forest University
Discussant: Kun Dai, Peking University

17:15-18:45 EDT

Factors affecting educational trajectories of youth

Eurasia SIG

Chair: Chris Whitsel, North Dakota State University
Does private tutoring affect students’ academic and nonacademic achievement? Evidence from Russia
Anastasia Getman, National Research University Higher School of Economics, Moscow, Russia
Factors affecting the decision of female students to enrol in undergraduate STEM majors in Kazakhstan
Ainur Almukhambetova, Nazarbayev University; Aliya Kuzhabekova, Nazarbayev University
Parental involvement and educational trajectories of youth in Russia
Ilya Prakhov, HSE University; Olga Kotomina, HSE University; Alexandra Sazhina, HSE University
Should I stay or should I go: Students’ migration intentions in Russia
Volha Chykina, University of Michigan; Tatiana Khavenson, National Research University Higher School of Economics; Katerina Bodovski, Penn State University

19:00-20:30 EDT

Educating during the Anthropocene

Values diversity as action inhibitor: Educating a generation threatened by human nature
Mark W Langager, International Christian University
Engaging young people in science education through socioscientific issues of biosecurity
Rajesh Ram, University of Auckland, Faculty of Education and Social Work
Discussants:
Marianne Larsen, Western University
Marcia McKenzie, University of Saskatchewan
### March 24, 2020 (Tuesday)

#### 8:15-9:45 EDT

**Business Meeting: Higher Education Sig**  
*Higher Education SIG*

Discussant:  
*Helen Abadzi*, University of Texas at Arlington

#### 8:15-9:45 EDT

**Tablets and Texting to Improve Teaching: The endline results of a large-scale mixed method experiment using ICT to improve early grade reading in South Africa**  
*Global Literacy SIG*

- Can Teacher Technology and Texting Improve Learning  
  Outcomes? Main Results of a Randomised Control Trial in South Africa  
  *Brahm D. Fleisch, University of Witwatersrand; Stephen Taylor, Department of Basic Education, South Africa; Janeli Kotze, Department of Basic Education, South Africa; Jacobus Cilliers, Georgetown University; Nompumelelo Mohohlwane, Department of Basic Education, South Africa*

- Helping early grade reading teachers to learn the hard stuff:  
  Large-scale classroom observation study in the EGRS II  
  *Janeli Kotze, Department of Basic Education, South Africa; Tshegofatso Thulare, South African Department of Education*

- How and why video-clip technology works to improve the teaching of reading. Case studies in the EGRS II  
  *Kaitlin Alsofrom, University of the Witwatersrand; Brahm D. Fleisch, University of Witwatersrand*

Discussant:  
*Nathan M. Castillo*, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

#### 10:00-11:30 EDT

**KEYNOTE Futures of education: UNESCO initiative to reimagine knowledge and learning**  
*Youth Development and Education SIG*


Participants:  
*Arjun Appadurai, New York University  
Karen Mundy, Toronto University  
Fernando M. Reimers, Harvard Graduate School of Education  
Sobhi Tawil (moderator)  
Noah W. Sobe, Loyola University Chicago*

Discussants:  
*Sobhi Tawil*, UNESCO  
*Noah W. Sobe*, Loyola University Chicago

#### 10:00-12:00 EDT

**Integrity of human and financial resources in education: results of locally-led integrity assessments in Georgia, Kyrgyzstan, Moldova and Mongolia**  
*Eurasia SIG*

- Misappropriation of parental donations to public schools in Kyrgyzstan  
  *Nina Bagdasarova, Foundation for Education Initiatives Support; Aleksandr Ivanov, Foundation for Education Initiatives Support*

- Favouritism in staffing policies for schoolteachers in Georgia  
  *Giorgi Machabeli, TPDC; Maia Gelashvili, International Institute for Education Policy, Planning, Management*

- Integrity of human and financial resources in education in Georgia, Kyrgyzstan, Moldova and Mongolia: cross-country synthesis of findings  
  *Mihaylo Milovanovitch, European Training Foundation; Center for Applied Policy and Integrity; Olja Jovanovic Milanovic, University of Belgrade*

Discussants:  
*Tinde Kovač Cerovic*, Independent Researcher  
*Kate Lapham*, Open Society Foundations

#### 8:15-9:45 EDT

**Business Meeting: Teaching Comparative and International Education Sig**  
*Teaching Comparative and International Education SIG*

**Chairs:**  
*Anne Campbell*, Middlebury Institute of International Studies at Monterey  
*Laura Wangsness Willemsen*, Concordia University, Saint Paul  
*Evan Mickey*, Indiana University  
*Florin Daniel Salajan*, North Dakota State University
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**Young Children and Nature: A qualitative Collaborative Case Study with a nature-based preschool program**

*Early Childhood SIG*

Jyotsna Pattnaik, California State University, Long Beach; Natalia Silva, California State University; Felissa Silva, sol y luna nature preschool; Lana Tran, California State University, Long Beach; Alice Bubentsova, California State University, Long Beach

**Spotlighting the Diversity of Curriculum Development and Implementation Practices**

*Higher Education SIG*

Chair: Antigoni Papadimitriou, Western Kentucky University

Liberal Arts Education in East Asia Societies: A Case Study of Three Universities in Mainland China, Hong Kong, and Taiwan

Leping Mou, OISE, University of Toronto

Analysis on the implementation plight of General Education — — experience from a research-oriented university in China

Lingmei Huang, Beijing Normal University

Curriculum Relevance in Higher Education: A Case Study of the Undergraduate Environmental Science Curriculum at a South African University

Ntokozo Lwandle, University of Western Cape

Kenyan Competency Based Curriculum: A Pathway to Civic Engagement and Global Citizenship

Mary Gathogo, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign; Peter Mwangi, Northwestern University

10:30-12:00 EDT

**Business Meeting: Post-foundational Approaches to Comparative & International Education SIG**

*Post-foundational Approaches to Comparative and International Education SIG*

Chairs:

Jieun Sung, University of Virginia

Christopher Mark Kirchgaesser, University of Wisconsin–Madison

Chenyu Wang, Hamilton College

10:40-12:15 EDT

**Learning for/in a risky planet: Consequences for children in highly unfavorable educational contexts**

*Globalization & Education SIG*

Chair: Dan Wagner, University of Pennsylvania

The Abidjan Principles: from a unique drafting and adoption

Teachers and teacher education for improving learning in poor and marginalized communities

Kwame Akyeampong, University of Sussex

Technology design for accelerating learning equity in low-income countries

Nathan M. Castillo, University of Illinois

Discussants:

Suzanne Grant Lewis, International Institute for Educational Planning (IIEP) UNESCO

Benjamin Piper, RTI International

11:45-13:15 EDT

**A holistic approach to girls’ education: Emerging findings from the Girls Education Challenge**

Chair: Anfal Saqib, DFID

Creating an enabling environment for skills development

Deborah Haines, Girls Education Challenge

Learning without fear: A holistic approach to ensuring girls are safe and well in their learning environments

Anita Reilly, Girls Education Challenge

Strengthening education transition pathways for adolescent girls

Freda Wolfenden, The Open University, UK

An enabling environment for lasting change

Sally Rosscornes, Girls’ Education Challenge

Discussant:

Rachel Hinton, DFID

**Equity targeting: Raising learning profiles for those at the bottom of the pyramid**

Link: [https://youtu.be/d7aZpBNTajs](https://youtu.be/d7aZpBNTajs)

Author: Safaa El Tayeb El-Kogali, World Bank, Luis Crouch, RTI International, Lauren Pisani, Save
11:45-13:15 EDT

Citizenship and Democratic Education SIG Highlighted Session: Belonging, citizenship, and education in an era of displacement and migration

Chair: Kristina Brezicha, Georgia State University
Trusted connection?: Exploring the relationship between belonging and political trust for immigrant students in four Nordic countries Kristina Brezicha, Georgia State University; Audrey Leroux, Georgia State University
“Strategically Welcoming:” Critical Ethnographic Narrative Analysis in a Small Midwestern-American High School Heidi Fahning, University of Minnesota
Citizen identity discourse amidst displacement and conflict migration: multiple nationalisms among Jordanian boys in Amman’s public schools Patricia K Kubow, Indiana University
Complicating Civic Identity: Exploring the Identities of Undergraduate Students Attending a Hispanic-Serving Institution Sherrie Rhodes Beeson, Florida International University; Sarah Mathews, Florida International University; Jose Alberte, Florida International University; Joselyn Naranjo, Florida International University; Ginelle Rosenberg, Florida International University; Genese Lapaix, Florida International University; Emmanuela Stanislaus, Florida International University; Alex Page, Florida International University; Adriana Cundar, Florida International University; Renata Pereira, Florida International University

11:45-13:15 EDT

Eurasia SIG Highlighted Session: Education affects development affects education

Eurasia SIG

Chair: Chris Whitsel, North Dakota State University
How do universities from the Caucasus and Central Asia support global development? Maia Chankseliani, University of Oxford; Ikboljon Qoraboyev, KAZGUU University; Dilbar Gimranova, KAZGUU University
Shared model of human capital development: Example of Georgia Magda Magradze, Millennium Challenge Account-Georgia; Halil Guven, Dean of San Diego State University - Georgia
Social impact of economic development and urban renewal in Nur-Sultan City: Implications for development education Munyaradzi Hwami, Nazarbayev University
Returning scholars as the objects and agents of neocolonial oppression in post-Soviet Kazakhstan Aliya Kuzhabekova, Nazarbayev University; Ainur Almukhambetova, Nazarbayev University
Discussant: Daniel Pop, Open Society Foundations

11:45-13:15 EDT

Context matters: Experiences from education technology research in three countries

ICT4D SIG

Lessons learned from the Global Learning XPRIZE Emily Church, XPRIZE Foundation
Jordanian teachers’ experiences with technology to support differentiated instruction Carmen Strigel, RTI International
The last mile: ensuring meaningful technology integration in schools and classrooms Mary Burns, Education Development Center (EDC)
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**11:45-13:15 EDT**

**Chinese and American Social Studies Preservice Teachers’ Perceptions of National and Global Issues at Times of US-China Trade War**

PISA-D and the Prosperity Tree: A review of rationales, results and recommendations  
**Paul Morris, UCL, IOE; Euan Auld, The Education University of Hong Kong**

School leadership and academic performance  
**Maria Gil-Izquierdo, University Autonoma of Madrid; álvaro Choi, University of Barcelona; Javier Valbuena, University of Zaragoza**

**Chinese and American Social Studies Preservice Teachers’ Perceptions of National and Global Issues at Time of US-China Trade War**  
**Yali Zhao, Georgia State University; Lin Zheng, Beijing Normal University; Lin Zhang, Capital Normal University**

Assessment System and Learning Achievement of Pupils at Primary Schools in Afghanistan  
**Ali Wasiq Bakhtiari, Syracuse University, Fulbright**

**Discussant:**  
**Inyang Udo-Um.** Teaching at the Right Level (TaRL)  
Africa – Nigeria

**11:45-13:15 EDT**

**Increasing equitable opportunities for learning: Technology and the provision of learning materials**

Chair: **Penelope Bender, BurdaEducation**

Track and Use: Using intelligent data mining to improve supply chain management for teaching & learning materials  
**Maureen Ochako, blueTreeGroup**

Expanding access to high quality learning materials: Creating storybooks offline with Saide’s new African Storybook Maker  
**Dorcas Wepukhulu, Saide**

The role of technology in increasing access to reading materials:  
The example of the Global Digital Library (GDL)  
**Christer Gunderson, Global Digital Library**

**Discussant:**  
**Rebecca Lege, Worldreader**

**11:45-13:15 EDT**

**Equity targeting: Raising learning profiles for those at the bottom of the pyramid**

Chairs: **Luis Crouch, RTI International**  
**Safa. El Tayeb El-Kogali, World Bank**

Diversity and equity in education: Policy, practice, and options for reaching children at the bottom of the pyramid  
**Lauren Pisani, Save the Children; Amy Jo Dowd, LEGO Foundation**

Inequity in learning outcomes: setting baselines and measuring changes  
**Ma. Tri Punjabi, RTI International; Jennifer K. Pressley, RTI International**

Tanzania: short term gains in learning scores - what matters?  
**Ravinder Gera, World Bank; Salman Asim, World Bank**

Deep Data Dive into Malawi’s Education System: Insights for targeting equitable outcomes  
**Salman Asim, World Bank; Ravinder Gera, World Bank**

**11:45-13:15 EDT**

**Educating global citizens: Education, study abroad and citizenship across contexts**

A tale of two friendship cities: Citizen diplomacy & the Burmese diaspora as conduits for reimagining education in Myanmar  
**Mary Encabo, Purdue University Fort Wayne**

Facing Rural Education Challenges: When Civil Society Works Together for a Greater Goal  
**Patricia Garcia, Vanderbilt University - Hubert Humphrey Fellow**

Student conceptions and enactments of global citizenship in Japan: the case of Waseda University  
**Lauren Noelani Nakasato, Waseda University (Japan)**

Intercultural experiences of Chinese mobile students in the Era of Internationalizations of higher education  
**Shamo Thar, University of Massachusetts Amherst**

**Discussant:**  
**Hang Minh Le, University of Maryland**

**11:45-13:15 EDT**

**M&E SIG Inaugural Meeting and Elections**

**M&E SIG**

Participants:  
**Hetal Thukral, STS; Chris Cummiskey, RTI, Paige Morency Notario, BEC; Kirby Henslee, BEC**
March 24, 2020 (Tuesday)

11:45-13:15 EDT

Producción feminista de conocimiento para crear mundos plurales y no violentos en instituciones de educación pública en México y Brasil

Chair: Zuleide Fernandes Queiroz, Regional University of Cariri
Laboratorio social y metodologías colaborativas: Nuevos espacios académicos interdisciplinarios para problemas emergentes en temas de género, interculturalidad y derechos humanos. ORESTA LOPEZ, El Colegio de San Luis

VIOLENCIA CONTRA LA MUJER NEGRA EN EL NORESTE DE BRASIL: prácticas de resistencia de mujeres por una universidad inclusiva Zuleide Fernandes Queiroz, Regional University of Cariri; Maria Moraes Soares, Federal University of Ceará (Brazil); Lourdes Rafaela Santos Florêncio, Federal Institute of Education, Science and Technology of Ceará

Aporte críticos a la enseñanza y teoría del derecho desde los horizontes feministas latinoamericanos. Urenda Queletzu Navarro Sanchez, Universidad Autónoma de San Luis Potosí

13:45-15:15 EDT

Post-Soviet secondary education reforms

Eurasia SIG

Chair: Abbas Abbasov, Teachers College, Columbia University
Reforming education in Azerbaijan: Soviet legacy reconsidered

Zahra Jafarova, University of Toronto
Support to gifted children: Questioning the Russian policy priority Elena Lenskaya, Moscow School of Social and Economic Sciences (MSSES); Andrey Samoylov, Moscow School of Social and Economic Sciences (MSSES)

The effects of organizational and cultural hierarchy on education reform efforts in post-Soviet Azerbaijan Samira Hajiyeva, ADA University

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Digital solutions for community-based entrepreneurship: Evidence from Brazilian favelas in Rio de Janeiro

ICT4D SIG

Participant: Armando Jose Torres, University of Illinois

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Technology, Humanity, and Policy

ICT4D SIG

Chair: Euiryeong Jeong, The World Bank Group

Educational Research of College Students in Physical Environments versus Digital Environments: A Human and Non-Human Exploration

Jingtong Dou, Univ. of South Carolina; Erin York, University of South Carolina

Implementation of the Technology oriented Educational Policy Ivana Batarelo Kokić, Univ. of Split, Humanities & Social Sciences

Korea’s education reform for the 4th industrial revolution

Euiryeong Jeong, The World Bank Group

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Políticas de inclusión LGTBI+ en Chile: avances para pensar la justicia de reconocimiento a nivel global y en América Latina

Violencia contra les jóvenes LGBTI+ en el contexto educativo chileno: distanciarnos del concepto de homofobia JAIME Barrientos, Universidad Alberto Hurtado

Docentes gays y lesbianas en las escuelas chilenas: ¿confrontan o reproducen la violencia homofóbica en su lugar de trabajo? PABLO Astudillo, Universidad Alberto Hurtado

Estudiantes LGBTI+ en un colegio católico de elite. Los límites de una política de inclusión escolar Carolina Stefoni, Univ. Mayor

Abriendo espacios de reconocimiento y seguridad en contextos difíciles: el caso de un liceo técnico-profesional Maria Beatriz Fernández, Universidad de Chile

Discussant: Caitlin Thomas, IREX

15:30-17:00 EDT

Countering violent extremism through humanistic education: Cases from Canada, Quebec and Afghanistan

Chair: Ratna Ghosh, McGill University

Preparing professionals to dialogue about extremism and radicalization: a look at the ERC programs in French and English Montreal Ratna Ghosh, McGill University

The Radicalization of youth in the West – how can Canadian teachers effectively approach this issue in their classrooms? Dilimulati Maihemuti, McGill University

Social-ecological portrait of two females from Montreal who joined ISIS Helal Dhali, McGill University

The Social impact of contradictory textbooks in Afghanistan Narjes Hashemi, McGill University

Discussant: Ratna Ghosh, McGill University
March 24, 2020 (Tuesday)

8:00-9:00 EDT

Eurasia SIG BUSINESS Meeting

Eurasia SIG

Chairs:
- **Chris Whitsel**, North Dakota State University
- **Abbas Abbasov**, Teachers College, Columbia University
- **Zhuldyz Amankulova**, University of Minnesota, Twin Cities

8:15-9:45 EDT

Business Meeting: Youth Development & Education SIG

Youth Development and Education SIG

>Link

Chairs:
- **Leesa Kaplan-Nunes**, Creative Associates International
- **Emily Morris**, American University

10:00-11:30 EDT

Addressing underlying causes of poor learning outcomes in fragile settings

Improving literacy and numeracy in remote areas of Papua New Guinea

-Marleen Knijff, CARE Papua New Guinea; Lotte Renault, CARE International

The price of hunger: malnutrition’s impact on literacy skills development in Timor-Leste

-Gwenelyn O’Donnell, CARE USA; Lotte Marianne Pires Renault, CARE USA

Expanding post-primary learning opportunities in Afghanistan

-Abdul Naser Salamyar, CARE International; Shoaib Danish, CARE USA

Why aren’t they learning? A case study from rural Somalia

-Lotte Marianne Pires Renault, CARE USA; Kenneth Marimira, CARE Somalia

Discussant: **Amanda Moll**, CARE USA

10:00-11:30 EDT

Pathways to Achieving Gender Equity and Equality in Education

Chair: **Andrea Bertone**, FHI 360

‘Safe and Nurturing Schools:’ Transforming Social and Gender Norms to Create Positive Learning Environments

-Alisa Michelle Phillips, World Vision International

Towards Gender Equality Through Education: Results of a Randomized Control Trial on the Impact of Life Skills Education for Adolescent Girls

-Linda Tran, Room to Read

‘Educate for Equality:’ An Experience of Translating the Gender Equality Approach into Practice

-Maria Jose Castillo, Juarez & Associates

Using Life Skills Training to Unlock Youth Agency and Promote Gender Equity in Education and Workforce Development

-Sarah Jonson, International Youth Foundation

Discussant: **Andrea Bertone**, FHI 360

10:00-11:30 EDT

Mediatic sympoiesis: Outdistancing Comparative Education

Chair: **Benjamin Baez**, Florida International University

Do Software Objects Dream of Life-Long Education?

-Ester E. Gottlieb, The Ohio State University

Getting “in the zone:” The empty concept of innovation space

-Gerardo Blanco, University of Connecticut

“Love is Calling”: International research collaboration in and of the art gallery

-Amy Scott Metcalfe, University of British Columbia

10:00-11:30 EDT

Business Meeting: Sexual Orientation & Gender Identity & Expression SIG

Sexual Orientation & Gender Identity & Expression SIG

Chairs:
- **Oren Pizmony-Levy**, Teachers College, Columbia University
- **Naomi Moland**, American University
- **Joseph Kosciw**, GLSEN

10:00-11:30 EDT

UREAG Business Meeting

Chairs: **Pavan John Antony**, Adelphi University

- **Anize Appel**, Northampton Community College
March 25, 2020 (Wednesday)

10:00-11:30 EDT

Religion and Education SIG Business Meeting
*Religion and Education SIG*

Chairs: Zehavit Gross, Bar Ilan University
Maihemuti Dilmurat Dilmulati, McGill University

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Life skills education for youth: Critical perspectives
*Youth Development and Education SIG*

Chairs: Erin Murphy-Graham, University of California, Berkeley
Joan DeJaeghere, University of Minnesota

A social justice based approach to life skills: Insights from the Prerna School
Urvashi Sahni, Study Hall Educational Foundation (SHEF)

Transfer and re-contextualization of life skills education: Case studies from Uganda
Joseph Lample, Kimanya Ngoyo
Foundation for Science and Education

Incorporating life skills for developing personal agency to prevent child marriage: A case study from rural areas of Honduras
Diana Patricia Pacheco Montoya, University of California, Berkeley

World Learning’s WorkLinks curriculum in Algeria:
Employability and Soft Skills Curriculum Development in Context
Catherine Honeyman, World Learning

Adapting EDC’s Work Ready Now! Program for National School Systems
Nancy Chervin, EDC

Developing girls’ life skills through sport: Are programs measuring up to the task?
Christina Kwauk, Brookings

Discussants:
Joan DeJaeghere, University of Minnesota
Erin Murphy-Graham, University of California, Berkeley

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The Equity Initiative: Pathways to Achieving Gender Equity and Equality in Education

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SAIS: Business Meeting and Award Ceremony
*Study Abroad and International Students SIG*

Link: [https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=kUhOzWLiq1E&t=3003s](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=kUhOzWLiq1E&t=3003s)

Participants: Krishna Bista, CIES
Chris Glass, Uttam Gaulee, Rosalind Raby

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Global Migration SIG Business Meeting
*Global Migration SIG*

Chairs: Jamie Lew, Rutgers University
Cathryn Magno, University of Fribourg
Jamie Kowalczyk, Concordia University Chicago
Sophia Rodriguez, University of North Carolina Greensboro
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Participants: Film director Jon Seal and Haldis Holst, Deputy General Secretary Education International.

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KEYNOTE Dialogues with more-than-human worlds: Approaches to writing, methodologies, and pedagogies
>Link: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=UZC9gsHJhNE
Discussants: AnaLouise Keating, Texas Woman’s University, Kakali Bhattacharya, University of Florida, Mildred Boveda, ASU

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Pathways to Sustainability for Community-Based Education: Creating Namaste for future teachers in diverse classrooms
Participants: Fayth Vaughn-Shavuo, Adelphi University; Pavan John Antony, Adelphi University

13:45-15:15 EDT

How teachers learn—making teacher professional development through education technology effective
Chair: Karen Tietjen, Creative Associates International
Teachers reflecting and making changes: Massive courses and small but significant steps Kara Angela McBride, World Learning, Inc.
How to reach and teach educators in low resource settings Amy Nunamaker, FHI360
Designing accessible online learning for diverse educators in Jordan, Iraq, and the United States Sarah Huey Bever, IREX
Designing and Evaluating an Arabic Language MOOC for Teacher Training from a Neuroscience Perspective — The case of Morocco Mariam Britel Swift, US Agency for International Development (USAID); Linda Wafi, Creative Associates International; Iman Elhaddouzi, Creative Associates International
Discussant: Penelope Bender, BurdaEducation

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Marginalized populations and the possibilities of education
Eurasia SIG
Chair: Caitlin Thomas, IREX
Career choice of Russian school-leavers: Social class and cultural narrative Elena Minina, Institute of Education, Higher School of Economics
Uncovering barriers hindering Roma access to education in Georgia and limiting enjoyment of human rights Rusudan Chanturia, UN Association of Georgia; Thea Siprashvili, Tbilisi State University
“Ann’s much ____ (beautiful) than Mary”: Gendered discourses in secondary school textbooks in Kazakhstan Naureen Durrani, Nazarbayev University; Zumrad Kataeva, Nazarbayev University; Anna CohenMiller, Nazarbayev University Graduate School of Education; Aisulu Badanova, Nazarbayev Univ.; Assem Seikhadyrova, Nazarbayev Univ.
Child sexual abuse in Kazakhstan: Prevention through education Aizhan Kul-Mukhammed, University of Pennsylvania
Education post-incarceration: Women’s educational aspirations in a Ukrainian prison Alla Korzh, School for International Training (SIT) Graduate Institute
Discussant: Stephen Bahry, OISE, University of Toronto
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Interconnecting education policy and practice in Muslim-majority and diasporic communities
Religion and Education SIG

From Liberty City to Lahore: Comparative Environmental Education in Two Community-Based Schools
Zafreen Jaffery, Behavioral Science Research Institute; Iqbal Akhtar, Florida International University; Nasira Habib, Khij Society for People Education

Faith and Education: Playing a Vital Role in Peace-Building
Staci B Martin, Portland State University; Daud Warsame, Kakuma Refugee Camp, Kenya; Abdiahman Said, Kakuma Refugee Camp, Kenya

Do Parents’ Expectations Really Matter?: Parents’ Higher Education Expectations for Primary School Children in the Gulf Cooperation Council Countries
Alexander W Wiseman, University of Central Florida

Emirati Teachers’ Intercultural Pedagogical Transfer through International Exchange
Emily W. Anderson, Florida International University; Elisabeth Wilson, Sheikh Saud bin Saqr Al Qasimi Foundation for Policy Research

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Higher Education SIG Highlighted Session: When will it stop? Expansion and the struggle for sustainability
Higher Education SIG

Chair: Leandra Cate, Penn State University

Examining the expansion of higher education and faculty/student ratios worldwide
Elizabeth S. Buckner, University of Toronto; You Zhang, University of Toronto

How customer reliant have the UK universities become? An analysis of financial sustainability in the UK higher education sector
Roxana-Diana Baltaru, The University of Warwick; Radu Dragomir Manac, University of Essex; Miruna Ivan, University of Essex

Challenges to sustainability? For-profit higher education in Latin America
Dante J Salto, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee

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Migración, educación y política pública desde la mirada latinoamericana
Link: https://vimeo.com/420806855

Metodologías participativas con niños/as migrantes latinoamericanos: Una revisión de la literatura
Maxie Gluckman, University of California, San Diego

Futuros socialmente sensibles desde la educación: Construyendo aspiraciones de vida que transforman realidades en el contexto latinoamericano
Noé Abraham González Nieto, Tecnológico de Monterrey

Iniciativa TEC-Global Classroom para la promoción de una ciudadanía digital e intercultural
Sandra Gudiño Paredes, Instituto Tecnológico y Estudios Superiores de Monterrey

Tensiones en la gestión pública del acceso a la educación superior: Análisis desde un programa de crédito condonable educativo
Bradley Levinson, Indiana University

15:00-16:30 EDT

Experimenting with & rethinking education for the Anthropocene

Symbiotic Encounters in Early Childhood: The Vibrant Force of Creative and Pedagogical Co-compositions
Cristina Delgado Vintimilla, York University, Toronto; Sylvia Kind, Capilano University

Taiwan’s “Experimental” Indigenous Schools: A Critical Policy Analysis
Eric Layman, Indiana University

Who is the human in “humanitarianism”? Settler colonial logics in the Intl. development/aid industries.
Nisha Toomey, University of Toronto

The poetic pedagogies of LAVAPERU: Urban design as pretext for pedagogical design
Javier Teofilo Suárez Trejo, Pontificia Universidad Católica del Perú - Harvard University

Everyday nationalism in Australian and Hungarian preschools:
Thinking about relations between extreme nationalism, oligarchic capitalism and the Anthropocene
day nationalism
Zsuzsa Millei, Tampere University, Finland; Sirpa Lappalainen, University of Eastern Finland, Finland

Empowering Students through Academies of Inquiry for Advanced Problem-Solving in Curriculum for Schoolwide Enrichment in Low Income Diverse Schools
Gillian Eriksson, Univ. of Central Florida

Kahyeon Yu, Seoul National University

Autonomy instead of automatization: empowering self-efficacy of secondary school students in a self-organized learning environment
Cimenna Chao Rebolledo, Universidad Iberoamericana
March 25, 2020 (Wednesday)

15:30-17:00 EDT

**Achieving quality and developing skills: Early childhood and STEAM education General Pool Refereed Round-Table Session (English)**

*Link:* [https://vimeo.com/user115812675/review/420055147/55ff79f997](https://vimeo.com/user115812675/review/420055147/55ff79f997)

*Chair:* Melody A. Williams, USAID/LAC Reads Capacity Program

The lack of STEAM education research at the elementary school level: A systematic review

Nicole Elise Anderson, Brigham Young University Education Department

A community of inquiry approach to environmental citizenship education (ECE)

Saiki Lucy Cheah, Teachers College, Columbia University

Discussant: Leah Guo, Beihang University

15:30-17:00 EDT

**The right to Early Childhood Care and Education in LAC in the context of global environmental and social challenges**

*Chair:* Camila Croso, CLADE

Early education for sustainability: signs of resistance

Peter Moss, Emeritus Professor / UCL Institute of Education

University College London

The Right to Early Childhood Care and Education: Perspectives from Latin America and the Caribbean

Mercedes Mayol Lassalle, World Organization for Early Childhood Education (OMEP);

Camila Croso, CLADE;

Mikel Egibar, Fundación EDUCO

Early Childhood Care and Education in Peru: obstacles and possibilities towards comprehensive policies

Madeleine Zuñiga, Peruvian Campaign for the Right to Education (CPDE)

Discussant: Mikel Egibar, Fundación EDUCO

15:30-17:00 EDT

**Structural changes in higher education**

*Eurasia SIG*

*Chair:* Martha Merrill, Kent State University

Higher education in Post-soviet welfare regimes: Three worlds of transition

Sergei Malinovskii, Higher School of Economics; Ekaterina Shibanova, National research university Higher School of Economics

Transnational education & Russia - Pull factors of Russian higher education in the post-Soviet space & the EU

Sirke Mäkinen, Univ. of Helsinki

The role of academic Deanship in the transforming higher education of Kazakhstan

Altynay Mustafina, Nazarbayev University Graduate School of Education

Discussant: Clifford Adelman, Institute for Higher Education Policy

15:30-17:00 EDT

**Literacy and learning beyond the classroom**

*Global Literacy SIG*

Education Beyond Borders: The Role of Global Literacies in a Transborder Network

Jin Kyeong Jung, Texas Tech University

Mainstreaming pupils from non-formal learning centers into the formal education system: A methodology to understand differences in reading scores

Carla Maria Doolin Paredes, Florida State University;

Adrienne Barnes, Learning Systems Institute at Florida State University;

Stephanie Simmons Zuilkowski, Florida State University

Remedial Education Centre Model: Strategic Intervention for Improved Learning Outcomes

Sanjay Bhattacharya, World Vision

India Emphasizing local language and culture to increase access to literacy education: The case of a Kanuri curriculum in Nigeria

Adrienne Barnes, Learning Systems Institute at Florida State University;

ANA HELGA MARTY, FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY

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**East Asia SIG Business Meeting**

*East Asia SIG*

*Chairs:* Hyunjoo Park, University of Pennsylvania

Baoyan Cheng, University of Hawaiʻi at Mānoa

Jennifer H. Adams, Drexel University
March 26, 2020 (Thursday)

8:15-9:45 EDT
Sustainability in conditions of inequality and change: questioning educational futures in Kazakhstan and Uzbekistan
*Eurasia SIG*

Chair: **Dilrabo Jonbekova**, Nazarbayev University
International universities in Uzbekistan: A preliminary descriptive analysis
  Martha Merrill, Kent State University
Higher education admission 2019/20. Are we witnessing a new sustainable syneopotic system development in Uzbekistan?
  Aleksey Semyonov, Westminster International Univ. in Tashkent
Key stakeholders’ understanding of quality of education and associated issues in rural schools in Kazakhstan
  *Mir Afzal, Nazarbayev University; Duishonkul Shamatov, Nazarbayev University*
Exploring parents’ preferences in school choice in Kazakhstan
  Chris Whitsel, North Dakota State University
Discussant: **Todd Drummond**, American Institutes for Research

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Business Meeting: Inclusive Education SIG
*Inclusive Education SIG*

Chair: **Kate Lapham**, Open Society Foundations

9:00-10:30 EDT

New Scholars Essentials Panel 1: 'Working in higher education beyond the West/Global North: Job prospects, opportunities and challenges

Committee: New Scholars/New Scholars Committee Special Session

Presenters: **Heather Kertyzia**, University for Peace; **Magda Nutsa Kobakhidze**, HKU

Discussant: **Kevin Kester**, Keimyung University, Daegu, KR

10:00-11:30 EDT

Let's Get Digital: Preparing Youth for Living in a Post-Human Future
*Youth Development and Education SIG*

Measuring Youth Preparedness for Work in a Digital World: Practices from EDC’s AWARE 2 Project
  *Emma Catalfamo, Education Development Center, Inc.*
Preparing Youth for Critical Information Engagement in a Digital World: Evidence from IREX’s Learn to Discern in Education Project
  *Katya Vogt, International Research & Exchanges Board (IREX)*
Examining the Role of the Digital World on Adolescent Health and Well-being: Evidence from EDC’s MetroWest Adolescent Health Survey
  *Shari Kessel Schneider, Education Development Center, Inc.*
Building Youth’s Civic Education in a Digital World: Evidence from Street Law’s Civic Education Initiatives
  *Jennifer Whatley, Street Law, Inc.*

10:00-11:30 EDT

IEA ICILS 2018: Situating Computer and Information Literacy Results in an International Context
*LARGE-SCALE CROSS-NATIONAL STUDIES IN EDUCATION SIG*

Participants: Ralph Carstens, IEA; Katie Hill, IEA; Paulina Korsnakova, IEA; Sebastian Meyer, IEA; Yan Wang, AIR

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Assessing the Effectiveness of Multilingual Education Programming
*Language Issues SIG*

Participants: Leila Schroeder, SIL Africa; Megan Sutton Mercado, SIL International; Barbara Trudell, SIL Africa
March 26, 2020 (Thursday)

10:00-11:30 EDT
Teacher practices, teacher development, and teacher identity in Kazakhstan

**Eurasia SIG**

Chair: Zhuldyz Amankulova, University of Minnesota, Twin Cities
A comparative analysis of work situation and the status of teachers of secondary schools and vocational colleges in Kazakhstan Merey Mussabayeva, Nazarbayev University; Darkhan Bilyalov, Nazarbayev University

Teachers’ perception and aspiration for the development of International Mindedness: A case study of one International Baccalaureate school in Kazakhstan Vladimir Rybkin, Nazarbayev University; Kathy Malone, Nazarbayev University

Teacher learning in the context of lesson study in Kazakhstan: Individual, group and school factors Dayana Balgabekova, University of Glasgow School of Education

Building self-organization and policy capacity in Kazakhstan’s educational community Aliya Bizhanova, Almaty Management University; Dennis Soltys, KIMEP University

Discussant: Elena Lenskaya, Moscow School of Social and Economic Sciences (MSSES)

11:45-13:15 EDT
Religious education, human development and nation state

**Religion and Education SIG**

Chair: Helal Dhali, McGill University

Decolonising and (Re)colonising Religious Education in Sub-Saharan Africa: An Anticolonial Proposition Yonah Hisbon Matemb, University of the West of Scotland

How Do Religious Zionist Female Adolescents in Israel Conceptualize Democracy? Zehavit Gross, Bar Ilan University

An interfaith coalition to improve children’s life wide learning opportunities: Chances and challenges in Rwanda Elliott W. Friedlander, Stanford University

Characteristics of effective mentors in school and church contexts: Insights from mentor trainers in Israel Annette J. Ford, Toronto Chinese Alliance Church

Effects of religious socialization and education on child learning and development Joyce Rafia, Global TIES for Children

11:45-13:15 EDT
Talking the talk and walking the walk: A critical self-reflection of gender and the field of comparative and international education

Gender in CIE: A critical self-reflection on the status of the field Nino Dzotsenidze, Lehigh University; Obioma Chiemel Okogbue, Lehigh university; Maureen F Park, Lehigh University; Petrina M. Davidson, Lehigh University

That Would Never Work Here*: Overcoming ‘Context Paralysis’ on Behalf of Gender and Sexual Minorities Worldwide Emily Meadows, Lehigh University

Refugee Women in Higher Education: A Critical Comparison of International Expectations and National Implementations Lisa Damaschke-Deitrick, Lehigh University; Ericka Galegher, Lehigh University; Maureen F Park, Lehigh University

Discussants: Emily W. Anderson, Florida International University

Catherine Vanner, McGill University

Kelly Grace, Grace Research Consulting

Wendi Ralaingita, RTI International
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The Impact of Using Tablets in Underequipped Schools: Experimental Evidence from Kiribati

Chair: Alejandro Ome, NORC at the University of Chicago
Participants: Alejandro Ome, NORC at the University of Chicago; Carlos Fierros, NORC at the University of Chicago

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Challenging dominant narratives on education in South Asia: Imagining collective futures

Chair: Caroline Manion, University of Toronto
Adult (Il) literacy, commons and the state: The future of humans and the forests of Central India Asmita Bhutani, University of Toronto
Education through dialogue and the arts: A pedagogy of resilience as resistance for India’s Dalits ‘lowest caste’ Prerana Bhatnagar, Ontario Institute for Studies in Education - University of Toronto
Equitable access to education in India for children with special needs, in the (post) human future Payal Khazanchi, Ontario Institute for Studies in Education - University of Toronto
The state of refugee children education in Pakistan: Insights, barriers, and aspirations Neelofer Ahmed, Ontario Institute for Studies in Education - University of Toronto
Learning English and doing a graduate degree in Karachi, Pakistan: An interface between students’ double success, decolonization and critical pragmatism Salfaraz Niyozov, OISE University of Toronto; Alison Smith, University of Toronto
Structural inequality in education – As experienced by the Ph.D. faculty in Social Sciences in Pakistan Shahrman Khattak, Ontario Institute for Studies in Education - University of Toronto
Discussant: Kathy Bickmore, OISE, University of Toronto

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Indigenous Knowledge and the Academy SIG Highlighted Session: The Ladislaus Semali symposium

Indigenous Knowledge and the Academy SIG

Chair: Rebecca Yvonne Bayeck, the Pennsylvania State University
Presenters:
  - Tutalen I. Asino, Oklahoma State University
  - Ladislaus M. Semali, Penn State University
Discussants:
  - Maung Nyeu, Harvard University
  - Renee Jordan, Georgia State University
  - Jennifer Fricas, Seattle University

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New Scholars Essentials Panel 2: Navigating academic publishing

Committee: New Scholars/New Scholars Committee

Discussant: Kevin Kester, Keimyung University, Daegu, KR

12:00-13:30 EDT

Challenges in financing of education, the private sector 'solution,' and rights-based alternatives

Economics and Finance of Education SIG

Chair: Antonia Wulff, Education International
Challenges in financing for education, the private sector ‘solution,’ and rights-based alternatives Maria Ron Balsera, ActionAid; David Archer, ActionAid; Katie Malouf-Bous, Oxfam International; Antonia Wulff, Education International; Keith Malcolm Lewin, University of Sussex; Prachi Srivastava, Western University / University of Ottawa
Discussants:
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  - Prachi Srivastava, University of Western Ontario
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Live Q & A & discussion on “Our Atoll Speaks” with film directors Gemma Cubero del Barrio and Amelia Borofsky

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Challenges in financing of education, the private sector ‘solution,’ and rights-based alternatives

Chair: Antonia Wulff, Education International
Challenges in financing for education, the private sector ‘solution,’ and rights-based alternatives Maria Ron Balsera, ActionAid; David Archer, ActionAid; Katie Malouf-Bous, Oxfam International; Antonia Wulff, Education International; Keith Malcolm Lewin, University of Sussex; Prachi Srivastava, Western University / University of Ottawa
Discussants:
  - Keith Malcolm Lewin, University of Sussex
  - Prachi Srivastava, University of Western Ontario

13:00-13:45 EDT

CIES African Diaspora SIG 2020 Business Meeting

African Diaspora SIG

Chair: Nafees M. Khan, Clemson University

13:45-14:15 EDT

Community-based learning in context: Addressing education quality, sustainability, and aging issues

Chair: Eija Kylikki Kimonen, University of Jyvaskyla
Data-driven Advocacy: An Evaluation of Data Must Speak’s Community-Friendly School Profiles in Zambia Anaïs Toungui, American Institutes for Research; Kelsye Turner, American Institutes for Research; Elizabeth Spier, American Institutes for Research; Paula Dias, American Institutes for Research
A study on the mechanism of social participation and community-based adult learning in the context of Japan super-aging society Yingxue Yang, The University of Tokyo
Strengthening school and community linkages for sustainable development Joyce Wangu Kinyanjui, Zizi Afrique Foundation

14:00-15:30 – EDT

New Scholars Committee Business Meeting

Chairs: Vanessa Sperduti, Western University
  - Laura Seithers, University of Minnesota
  - Mahsa Bakhshaei, Digital Promise
  - Md Jahangir Alam, Graduate School of International Cooperation Studies (GSICS), Kobe University
  - Bernardo Sfredo Miorando, Universidade Federal do Rio Grande do Sul
  - Nozomi Sakata, UCL Institute of Education
  - Devleena Chatterji, University of Minnesota
  - Kevin Kester, Keimyung University, Daegu, KR
  - Elisabeth E. Lefebvre, Bethel University
  - Jainisha Chavda, Michigan State University
  - Malini Sivasubramaniam, University of Toronto
  - Natasha Mansur, Penn State University
  - Shahrman Khattak, Ontario Institute for Studies in Ed - Univ. of Toronto
  - Maihemuti Dilmurat Dilimulati, McGill University
  - Emily Petruzzelli Schell, Stanford University

15:30-17:00 EDT

Scaling Inclusive Education: Policy and Implementation Disabilities Project in Vietnam Sakil Malik, DAI
Screening and Assessment tools Stephen Luke, FHI 360
Technology in improving learning outcomes Lisa Wadors, Benetech
Discussant: Angie Quintela, DAI
March 27, 2020 (Friday)

10:00-11:30 EDT

Relationship between Information and Communication Technologies and students’ achievement at PISA: Case of Kazakhstan

Participant: Maira Zhaksybay, Nazarbayev University

12:00-13:00 EDT

Live Q & A & discussion on “Mothers of the Land” with film director Diego Sarmiento

12:00-13:30 EDT

Business Meeting: Global Literacy SIG

Global Literacy SIG

Chairs:
Elliott W. Friedlander, Stanford University
Craig J Geddes, DAI
April 1, 2020 (Wednesday)

8:00-10:00 EDT

Advancing early childhood care and development with evidence from IDELA
Chair: Lela Chakhaia, Save the Children USA
From implementation to Policy: Using IDELA data to inform program decision making, policy and practice in Rwanda, Malawi and Ethiopia Caroline Dusabe, Save the Children
Can Parenting Programs Give Children Wings? Findings from an Impact Evaluation of Parenting Program in Roma Communities in Serbia Lucas Heinkel, Results for Development
Why we draw stick figures: Using IDELA to build staff knowledge of child development Sarah Strader, Two Rabbits
Discussant: Frannie Noble, Save the Children

12:00-13:00 EDT

FILM FESTIVALETTE “Symbiotic Earth”: Live Q & A & discussion with film director John Feldman
>Link

April 2, 2020 (Thursday)

8:15-9:45 EDT

Breaking the barriers to integration of ICT in teaching in public schools in Kenya
ICT4D SIG
Chair: Martina Achieng Amoth, Avallain Foundation
Teachers’ perceptions on barriers to the adoption and use of information and communication technologies in South African teaching and learning Grasia Chisango, Walter Sisulu University

10:00-12:00 EDT

Supporting students through culturally responsive teaching & learning materials: Lessons from Afghanistan, Liberia, and Morocco
Chair: Penelope Bender, BurdaEducation
Diversity and local early grade material development – the case of Afghanistan Susan Ayari, Creative Associates International; Agatha van Ginkel, SIL-LEAD
Formative evaluation for accelerated learning materials development in Liberia’s AEQ activity Pauline Browne, Education Development Center; Mary Hooker, Education Development Center; Apollo Nwake, EDC; Mary F. Sugrue, Education Development Center (EDC)
Moroccan teachers’ perspectives toward new Arabic language textbooks in elementary schools Fathi El-Ashry, Creative Associates International
Discussant: Christabel Pinto, Room to Read

10:00-12:00 EDT

Sustaining and Institutionalizing Classroom Assessments in Liberia’s Accelerated Learning Program
Education, Conflict, and Emergencies SIG
Chair: Mary Hooker, Education Development Center
An Introduction to Accelerated Learning Program: A view of the accelerated learning curriculum, pedagogy and key policies Pauline Browne, Education Development Center
Developing a Classroom-Based Assessment System for Accelerated Learning Laura Conrad, School-to-School International
Lessons Learned and Next Steps for Sustaining and Institutionalizing the ALP Assessment System Apollo Nkwake, Education Development Center
Discussant: Fernanda Gandara, School-to-School International
April 2, 2020 (Thursday)

10:00-12:00 EDT

Quality education for sustainability: Diverse comparative and methodological approaches

Chair: Dafna Gan, Kibbutzim College of Education and the Arts
Teacher Accountability and Student Awareness: A Step Closer to Education for Sustainable Development
Divya Dosaya, BITS Pilani, Pilani, Rajasthan, India; Tanu Shukla, BITS Pilani, Pilani, Rajasthan, India; Mounika Prashanthi Vavilala, BITS Pilani, Rajasthan, India; Virendra Singh Nirban, BITS Pilani, Pilani, Rajasthan, India

Measuring quality of education for environmental sustainability at Lebanese schools: student attitudes and behaviours
Maria Chelala, Notre Dame University – Louaize

Opening the Black Box of Teaching Wicked Sustainability Issues in Higher Education: Response-able Students in the Humanities and Social Sciences
Hanne Hoet, KU Leuven; Mathias Decuyperre, KU Leuven; Katja Biedenkopf, KU Leuven; Joke Vandenabeele, KU Leuven; Matthias Lievens, KU Leuven

10:30-12:30 EDT

Business Meeting: Post-foundational Approaches to Comparative & International Education SIG

Post-foundational Approaches to Comparative and International Education SIG

Chairs: Jieun Sung, University of Virginia; Christopher Mark Kirchgasser, University of Wisconsin–Madison; Chenyu Wang, Hamilton College

12:15-2:15 EDT

Teachers, teaching and environmental education

Environmental and Sustainability Education SIG

Chair: Muhammad Azeem Ashraf, Hunan University
Teacher Accountability and Student Awareness: A Step Closer to Education for Sustainable Development
Divya Dosaya, BITS Pilani, Pilani, Rajasthan, India; Tanu Shukla, BITS Pilani, Pilani, Rajasthan, India; Mounika Prashanthi Vavilala, BITS Pilani, Rajasthan, India; Virendra Singh Nirban, BITS Pilani, Pilani, Rajasthan, India

Teaching sustainability: philosophy of science approach - Tonci Kocić, University of Split, Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences
Beyond Individualized Institutional Culture for Education for Sustainable Development; Views of Jamaican Teacher Educators and PreService Teachers - Vileitha Delores Davis-Morrison, University of the West Indies Mona; Rhonda Williams, The Mico University College

Promoting Education for Sustainability and Social Capital through Partnerships between an Elementary School and Different Actors in the Community - Dafna Gan, Kibbutzim College of Education and the Arts; Iris Alkaher, Kibbutzim College of Education, Technology and the Arts

Discussant: Bob Jickling, Lakehead University

13:00-14:00 EDT

African Diaspora SIG Business Meeting

African Diaspora SIG

Chairs: Nafees Khan, Clemson University; Rhonesha Blache, Teachers College, Columbia University

16:00-17:00 EDT

Removing boundaries with graphic novels: Utilizing a multimodal literacy framework to create bridges within the classroom

Link

Participants: Lisa C. Delgado Brown, Ph.D., Oklahoma City University; Elizabeth C. Sughrue, MA, Oklahoma City University
April 3, 2020 (Friday)

10:00-12:00 EDT

Economics & Finance of Education SIG Business Meeting

_Economics & Finance of Education SIG_

Chairs:
_Amrit Thapa_, University of Pennsylvania
_Jinusha Panigrahi_, Centre for Policy Research in Higher Education (CPRHE), India

12:15-13:30 EDT

BUSINESS MEETING: Environmental & Sustainability Education SIG

_Environmental and Sustainability SIG_

Chairs: _Aaron Benavot_, University at Albany-State University of New York; _Dafna Gan_, Kibbutzim College of Education and the Arts, SIG Program Chair

10:00-12:00 EDT

Environmental education and environmental stewardship:
Conceptual and philosophical issues

_Environmental and Sustainability SIG_

Chair: _Radhika Iyengar_, Columbia University

Presenters:
- Opening the Black Box of Teaching Wicked Sustainability Issues in Higher Education: Response-able Students in the Humanities and Social Sciences _Hanne Hoet_, _Mathias Decuyper_, _Katja Biedenkopf_, _Joke Vandenberghe_, _Matthias Lievens_, KU Leuven
- Learning with Nature: Brazilian healer’s epistemologies and education in the Anthropocene _Esther do Lago e Pretti_, Arizona State University
- Environmental issues and educational solutions: religion, culture and politics _Muhammad Azeem Ashraf_, Educational Science Research Institute, Hunan University
- Measuring quality of education for environmental sustainability at Lebanese schools: student attitudes and behaviours _Maria Ghosn-Chelala_, Notre Dame University – Louaize

Discussant: _Oren Pizmony-Levy_, Teachers College, Columbia University
### April 7, 2020 (Tuesday)

**8:00-9:30 EDT**

**Early grade reading interventions, implementation and sustainability of reading reforms under USAID-funded Pakistan reading project**
USAID funded Pakistan Reading Project key accomplishments and best practices, Naeem Sohail-Butt, Chief of Party, Pakistan Reading Project & Daman Bozdar, US Agency for International Development (USAID)
Provincial and regional governments’ support in Implementation, Muhammad Tayyab Lehri, Secretary Secondary Education, Government of Balochistan, Pakistan
Provincial and regional governments’ ownership and initiatives to sustain reading reforms, Arshad Khan, Secretary Education Elementary and Secondary Education Department, Government of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Pakistan

**8:00-9:30 EDT**

**Improving mathematics education in low- and middle-income countries: Exploring research-based instructional practices**
Norma Evans, Evans and Associates; Leanne Ketterlin Geller, Southern Methodist University; Wendi Ralaingita, RTI International, Deepa Srikantaiah, World Learning

**8:00-9:30 EDT**

**Community-based early childhood care and education (Part I): Understanding and adapting to local contexts**
*Early Childhood Development SIG*
Defining SEL from the ground up: Creation and implementation of a culturally-adapted SEL framework, Brigitte Anziom, ASTRADHE
Household attributes and early learning: Applying the IDELA Household Survey in rural Cameroon, Pierre De Galbert, Brown University
Understanding Jordanian Parents’ Beliefs about their Children’s Readiness to Learn, Nell O’Donnell Weber, Consultant
Discussant: Sarah Strader, Two Rabbits

**8:00-9:30 EDT**

**Developing digital books in indigenous languages in the Global South**
Indigenous language overview, Paul Frank, SIL LEAD Inc
The experience of Guatemala in the development and use of digital books, Sophia Maldonado, USAID & Lifelong Learning project, Juarez and Associates, Inc.
Using mother-tongue audiobooks for language and literacy development in a preschool in rural Kenya, Angela BECKER, SIL Africa
Story Weaver: Creating reading resources for children in the Indigenous languages of the Global South, Anna Singh, Pratham Books
Seeding stories with Bloom Reader in Papua New Guinea, Richard Jones, Save the Children/World Bank Group
Discussant: Brooke Estes, US Agency for International Development (USAID)

**14:00-15:30 EDT**

**Advancing the Professional Development of Teachers and Trainers in Youth Programs: Tools and Approaches**
*Youth Development and Education SIG*
Instructional Coaching for Post-Secondary Educators in South East Asia, Nancy Chervin, Education Development Center, Inc.
Measuring Youth Preparedness for Work in a Digital World: Practices from EDC’s AWARE 2 Project, Emma Catalfamo, Education Development Center, Inc.
Classroom-based soft skills assessment, Ann Hershkowitz, Education Development Center, Inc.
Discussant: Rebecca Pagel, USAID

**18:00-20:00 EDT**

**Language, gender, and cultural identities: Education as sympoiesis or barrier**
Chair: Rebecca Clothey, Drexel University
A diaspora in cultural crisis: Uyghurs in Turkey, Rebecca Clothey, Drexel University (chair)
Whose linguistic competence? Education as sympoiesis opportunities to learn in tension: Young Latinx children in northeast Iowa, Laura Edwards, University of Northern Iowa
Constructions of ethnic masculinity and femininity in the experience of schooling: the Bihari / Bhadrakol divide in India, Sangeeta Roy, Tata Institute of Social Sciences
Two faces of education in the Dominican Republic: Race, gender and sexuality through the voices of teachers and students, Sophia D’Angelo, University of Cambridge
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April 8, 2020 (Wednesday)

8:00-10:00 EDT

Highlighted Session: Study Abroad & International Students SIG
Highlighted Session: Mobility and pathway of Asians who study in the U.S.: New framework for empirical analyses using micro and macro data

Study Abroad & International Students SIG
Chair: Yukari Matsuzuka, Hitotsubashi University
What determines the destination of Asian students? Yuriko Sato, Tokyo Institute of Technology
Education and Career Pathways of Asians Who Received Doctoral Degrees in U.S. Universities, Yukari Matsuzuka, Hitotsubashi University; Kazuhiro Fukazawa, Hitotsubashi University
Global Mobility and Impact Pathways: Asian Students in the United States, Mirka Martel, Institute of International Education
Discussant: Chris R. Glass, Old Dominion University

Generating transformative change through reframing education within and beyond school settings

Chair: Shinobu Yume Yamaguchi, UNUIAS
Whole-school, whole-student, social and emotional learning and transversal competencies = happy schools, Mark Manns, UNESCO Bangkok
A multi-stakeholder approach for ESD beyond school settings, Hiroaki Takiguchi, UNUIAS
The Satoyama sympoiesis — fostering community-based learning on biodiversity, Evonne Yiu, UNUIAS
Digital kids Asia-Pacific: digital citizenship beyond ICT skills, Jonghwi Park, UNESCO UIL
Discussant: Maki Katsuno Hayashikawa, UNESCO Bangkok

Early Childhood Development SIG Highlighted Session:
Community-based early childhood care and education. (Part II):
Observation and coaching for program quality

Early Childhood Development SIG
Utilizing formal coaching and peer-to-peer mentoring to improve the quality of informal childcare in Kenya, Afzal Habib, Kidogo
Aiding early learning programmes with data, Alodia Santos, World Vision
Teacher observation and coaching in rural community preschool centers, Sarah Strader, Two Rabbits
Discussant: Nell O’Donnell Weber, Consultant

12:00-13:30 EDT

Film Festival Live Q & A: Biomimicry

12:30-14:00 EDT

Virtual Speed Mentoring for Careers in Comparative and International Education
> Link: https://vimeo.com/429439415
Slack: vcies2020.slack.com
Slack Channel: #speed_mentoring_for_careers_in_cie
### April 9, 2020 (Thursday)

**8:00-10:00 EDT**

**Inclusive education, human rights, and private actors**

Chair: Kate Lapham, Open Society Foundations  
Use and abuse of resources for inclusive education in Armenia, Kazakhstan, Serbia and Ukraine: an overview of findings, Mihaylo Milovanovitch, Centre for Applied Policy and Integrity  
The effects of the growth of private actors on inclusive education: The case of persons with disabilities, Dominique Steinbrecher, Asociación Civil por la Igualdad y la Justicia  
Inclusive Education and the Abidjan Principles, Sylvain Aubry, Global Initiative for Economic, Social and Cultural Rights  
Discussant: Mireille de Koning, Open Society Foundations

**11:00-12:30 EDT**

**Education for peace and belonging**

Chair: Kim MinJeong, University of Massachusetts Lowell  
Teacher’s promoting safe learning environments among crisis and violence contexts, Sady Michell Alonzo, Dai Global LLC  
The localization of citizenship and peace education through self-organized learning environments in Colombia, Daniel Moshe Nahum Teachers College, Columbia University; John Charles Bradley, Teachers College, Columbia University  
Kubana N’Bandi: A mixed methods study of Rwandan orphaned and vulnerable children’s feelings of belonging, Darren Rabinowitz, Teachers College, Columbia University  
Discussant: Hanna Addam El-Ghali, American University of Beirut

### April 10, 2020 (Friday)

**9:00-10:00 EDT**

**Coaching’s Role in Improving Literacy at Scale: Findings from multi-country studies examining the effectiveness of instructional support**

*Global Literacy SIG*

Chair: Benjamin Piper, RTI International  
Sustaining coaching practices: Successes and challenges of developing a school-based coaching model, Christabel Pinto, Room to Read  
Examining “best practices” for literacy coaching and monitoring: Evidence from Northern Nigeria and Ghana, Yvonne Cao, FHI360; Wael Moussa, FHI360; Annie Smiley, FHI360; Brian Dooley, FHI360  
Do’s and don’ts of improving teaching through instructional support: Findings from a multi-country study of coaching and communities of practice, Benjamin Piper, RTI International; Jessica Mejia, RTI International; Kellie Betts, RTI International  
Discussant: Carol da Silva, Worldreader

**14:00-15:30 EDT**

**Scaling learning to solve the world’s greatest challenges**

Chair: Heather Simpson, Room to Read  
Scaling literacy instruction, libraries, and book publishing, Heather Simpson, Room to Read  
Systematic approach to scaling, Nitika Tolani, MSI; Larry Cooley, Management Systems International  
Supporting governments to adapt, pilot, and scale evidence-backed education programs, Radhika Bhula, J-PAL  
Discussant: Patrick Hannahan, Brookings Institution
April 13, 2020 (Monday)

8:00-12:00 EDT

Effectiveness of coaching as a teacher professional development strategy in low-income countries (A panel in 2 parts)
>Link: https://youtu.be/wQ5PZTmGe8o
Discussant: Kimberly Smith, International Rescue Committee

Panel 1
Video of instructional practices as a coaching tool for teachers and rate of improved performance, Isaac Msukwa, EDC; Tobi Mbaya, Creative Associates International
An Experimental Study in Pakistan to Identify the Cost Effectiveness of Different Ingredients of Professional Development on Students’ Outcomes and Teachers’ Practices, Hira Siddiqui, International Rescue Committee; Zulfiqar Ali, Pakistan Reading Project; Irfan Majeed, International Rescue Committee
A sustainable model for coaching teachers within a national education system, Jovena Tibenda, RTI International; Buretta Buretta, RTI International

Panel 2
The cost-effectiveness of two models of professional development on out-of-school children’s outcomes in northeastern Nigeria, Silvia Diazgranados Ferrans, International Rescue Committee; Jeongmin Lee, International Rescue Committee, Yilkal Chalachew, International Rescue Committee
Assessing teacher coaching in an education in emergencies context: To what extent and how does coaching influence student outcomes? Wael Moussa, FHI 360; Anne Smiley, FHI 360; Kathleen Deny, FHI 360

14:00-16:00 EDT

Education, conflict, and emergencies (ECE)
Middle East SIG
> Link:
Empowering Syrian refugees through blended learning programs, Mona Younes, Independent Consultant
April 14, 2020 (Tuesday)

11:00-13:00 EDT

The popular turn in global citizenship education: Youth voices from four continents

Chair: Theresa Alviar-Martin, Kennesaw State University
Public performance and democratic practice, Jasmin L. Blanks Jones, University of Pennsylvania
Training for global citizenship but local irrelevance? The case of an upscale Nigerian secondary school, Chizoba Imoka, OISE, University of Toronto
Opportunities for planetary eco-citizenship? Environmental conflicts in Mexican, Bangladeshi and Canadian youths’ lives and schooling, Kathy Bickmore, OISE, University of Toronto
I believe my actions can cause change: Classroom, student, and school factors associated with civic efficacy for Loberian 8th grade students, Laura Quaynor, Johns Hopkins University

Discussants:
Theresa Alviar-Martin, Kennesaw State University
Chizoba Imoka, OISE, University of Toronto
Kathy Bickmore, OISE, University of Toronto
Laura Quaynor, Johns Hopkins University
Jasmin L. Blanks Jones, University of Pennsylvania

12:00-14:00 EDT

Middle East SIG Highlighted Session: Policy, pedagogies, and perceptions

Middle East SIG

Chair: Alia Adel Ammar, Drexel University/The American University in Cairo
From “Education for All to “Education for Global Competence”: Implications for teacher education in the Egyptian context, Nagwa M. Megahed, Ain Shams University and Yorkville University
Revisiting the impact of the Arab Human Development Report (AHDR): Perspectives on policy, teacher education and learning outcomes, Amin Marei, University of Pennsylvania; Dan Wagner, University of Pennsylvania
Special education policy in Egypt: Implementation and perception, Alia Adel Ammar, Drexel University/The American University in Cairo; Mary Jean Tecce DeCarlo, Drexel University

12:00-14:00 EDT

Trends & Factors in MENA: Improving Student Achievement and Learning

Middle East SIG

Chair: Keri Myrick, University of Houston – Honors College
A language demise through curricular evolution: A preliminary study, Ali Khalil, Community College of Rhode Island; Amany I. Saleh, Arkansas State University
Trends in secondary school completion in Egypt: Progress and continuing gaps, Ray Langsten, Social Research Center/American University in Cairo; Fatma Said Abdelkhalek, Budapest University of Economics and Technology
Bridging the gaps between US and Iraq: Utilizing blended learning to build global understanding and re-envision a post-conflict environment, Madlen Goldstine Simon, University of Maryland; Gregory C. Weaver, University of Maryland; Shaimaa Hameed Hussein, Al-Nahrain University
A study of the practices of homeschooling mothers in the UAE, Noor Doukmak, University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign
Parent involvement in the GCC countries: A comparison by using PIRLS data, Shefa AlHashmi, Independent Scholar

12:00-13:00 EDT

Letters to the Future: Q & A with Xavier Cortada and Adam Roberti

Xavier Cortada and Adam Roberti
April 14, 2020 (Tuesday)

13:00-14:30 EDT

Are Children Learning to Read in the First-Grade Classroom in Nicaragua? Findings from a Study on the Use of the FAS method to Teach Early Literacy
*Latin America SIG*

Chair: Rafael Meza, Researcher
Methodology of the FAS curriculum study, Maria J. Vijil, Juarez and Associates
Curriculum results, Rebecca Stone, American Institutes for Research
Results of the investigation, Melba Castillo, Centro de Investigacion y Accion Ejecutiva Social (CIASES)
Discussant: Sophia Maldonado, USAID Lifelong Learning Project, Juarez and Associates

14:00-16:00 EDT

Arab Parents’ Involvement in their Children’s Education from Childhood to Young Adulthood
*Middle East SIG*

Chair: Antje von Suchodoletz, New York University Abu Dhabi
Parental involvement in inclusive summer clubs, Eman Al-Zboon, Hashemite University Jordan; Kholoud Al-Dabaneh, Hashemite University Jordan
A child’s first teacher: An examination of observed and self-reported parenting activities within Syrian Refugee and host communities in Jordan, Kate Schwartz, New York University Steinhardt; Alice Wuermli, New York University; Dennis Hilgendorf, New York University; Mark Innocenti, Utah State University; Andres Molano, Universidad de los Andes; Joyce Roffa, New York University; Lori Ruggman, Utah State University; Tareq Sharawi, International Rescue Committee; Phoebe Sloane, International Rescue Committee; Kendra Strouf, New York University Abu Dhabi
Let’s play and read: Mothers’ involvement in toy play and book-sharing activities, Antje von Suchodoletz, New York University Abu Dhabi; Rana Dajani, Hashemite University
The impact of father involvement, self-esteem and educational attainment in the Arab world, Natasha Ridge, Al Qasimi Foundation for Policy Research; David Dingus, Al Qasimi Foundation
What do parents want? An analysis of Arab parents’ involvement in their daughters’ higher education and career choices, Nada Labib, The University of Sydney
April 15, 2020 (Wednesday)

10:00-12:00 EDT

**How to Improve Literacy and Food Security in Environmentally Precarious Regions? Bring Everyone to the Table!**

*Global Literacy SIG*

The USDA McGovern-Dole Program’s Intersection with National Priorities and Strategic Plans on Education and Environmental Sustainability, Kandia Camara, Ministry of Education, Cote d’Ivoire

All together: Improving school canteens and literacy through USDA McGovern Dole Program in Cote d’Ivoire, Elly Bahati, AVSI Cote d’Ivoire

Program implementation and sustainability strategies of McGovern Dole Food for Education Program in Burkina Faso, Abdoulaye Bikienga, CRS Burkina Faso

Two country comparison of tools, methods, evaluation, results, and lessons learned, Michaela Gulemetova IMPAQ International; Elnaz Safarha, IMPAQ International

Discussant: **Eleanor Morefield**, US Department of Agriculture

10:00-11:30 EDT

**Education policy and governance in South Asia**

*South Asia SIG*

Beyond Trees – Policy Reflections from the Green Pakistan Initiative in Public Schools in Punjab Ahmad Rajwana, PMIU, School Education Department; Amna Ansari, PMIUPESRP, Government of the Punjab, Pakistan. University of Cambridge, UK; Mahjabeen Raza, New York University

Inclusion in the policy context of India: Unpacking the world’s largest state-funded private school enrollment program Tanushree Sarkar, Vanderbilt University; Xiu Chen Cravens, Vanderbilt University

Can information strengthen local governance of schools? Evidence from Pakistan Minahil Asim, University of California, Davis

10:00-11:30 EDT

**Profit making in and through education: global and regional perspectives from Latin America**

Chair: **Antoni Verger**, Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona

International cooperation and profit making in education, Camila Croso, CLADE

Profit and education in Latin American and Caribbean legal frameworks Theresa Adrião, State University of Campinas (UNICAMP)

Privatization in Colombian education: an overview of its scope and impacts in the fulfillment of the human right to education Illich Ortiz, Universidad Nacional de Colombia

Discussant: **David Archer**, ActionAid
April 15, 2020 (Wednesday)

10:00-12:00 EDT

Cross-country comparability, student responses and response processes
Large-Scale Cross-National Studies in Education SIG

Chair: David Rutkowski, Indiana University
Longitudinal and Cross-Country Measurement Invariance of the PISA Home Possessions Scale Selene Sunmin Lee, Education Testing Service (ETS)
Gender differences in reporting behavior across different cultures: An analysis of PISA 2015 anchoring vignette data on motivation for learning Hana Vonkova, Charles University in Prague; Ondrej Papajoanu, Charles University in Prague; Katerina Kralova, Charles University in Prague; Gema Zamorro, University of Arkansas
Who Clicks On Advertisements During an Online Reading Assessment? An Analysis of ePIRLS 2016 Process Data Yuqi Liao, American Institutes for Research

11:00-12:00 EDT

How to maximize global investments in girls’ education:
The Girls Education Network’s 2020 Roadmap
>Link: https://www.youtube.com/watch?time_continue=2&v=cVAvrGUT4nA&feature=emb_logo
Chair: Erin Ganju, Managing Director, Echidna Giving
What have we learned about what works to improve girls’ education? Stephanie Psaki, Population Council; Barbara Mensch, Population Council; Erica Chuang, Population Council; Nicole Haberland,
What is the Girls’ Education Network? Where are the greatest needs in girls’ education? And where is the work happening? Nicole Haberland, Population Council; Meredith Kozak, Population Council; Stephanie Psaki, Population Council; Barbara Mensch, Population Council; Erica Chuang, Population Council
How FAWE is using evidence to inform our work in girls’ education, and how the Girls Education Network will accelerate progress. Martha Muhwezi, Forum for African Women Educationalists (FAWE)
How DFID uses evidence to drive our work in girls’ education, and how the Girls’ Education Network can inform future investments. Hugo Gorst-Williams, UK Department for International Development
Discussant: Matthew Jukes, RTI International

12:00-14:00 EDT

Business Meeting: Middle East SIG
Middle East SIG

12:00-14:00 EDT

Creating a sustainable model for the development of research in EGL in Central America and the Caribbean

Chair: Rebecca Stone, American Institutes for Research
Knowledge and Practices in Applied Research in EGL Ingrid Nanne, Universidad del Valle de Guatemala
Postgraduate program for the training of researchers on EGL Pablo Eduardo Barrientos, RedLEI Training coordinator; Mariela Isabel Zelada, Universidad del Valle de Guatemala/RedLEI
Regional Certification: Fundamentals and Skills of EGL Maria J Vijil, Juarez and Associates

12:00-13:00 EDT

FILM FESTIVALETTE “The Serengeti Rules”: Live Q & A & discussion with film director Nicolas Brown

Nicolas Brown
14:00-16:00 EDT

**Leadership, governance and educational reform in the Middle East and North Africa**

*Middle East SIG*

Chair: **Lou L. Sabina**, Stetson University

Importing an American liberal arts university: implications and challenges in post-conflict society  
*Hayfa Jafar, University of Toronto*

The relationship between school inspection and school improvement in the United Arab Emirates  
*Ali Ibrahim, United Arab Emirates University*

Assessing Educational Culture and Leadership Preference  
Among Saudi Arabian Educators  
Lou L. Sabina, Stetson University; D. Elise Gruber, Stetson University; Kiara L Sabina, Seminole State College of Florida

Egypt’s State schooling: a resource for contradictions  
*Mamdouh Fadil, Creative Associates International and University of Sussex - UK*

14:00-16:00 EDT

**Adequacy of Anglo-Saxon based language intervention programs in addressing the diglossic characteristic of Arabic speaking communities**

*Middle East SIG*

Chair: **Karen Froud**, Teachers College, Columbia University

The study of Arabic language development in light of Arabic diglossia: Overview, prospects, clinical and academic implications  
*Reem Khamis-Dakwar, Adelphi University*

Anthropological Perspectives on Diglossia in the Arab World  
*Afaf Al-Khoshman, Teachers College, Columbia University*

The development of bilArabi curriculum innovative approach for teaching Modern Standard Arabic in children  
*Hanada Taha-Thomure, Zayed University*

Discussant: **Manuel E Cardoso**, UNICEF / Teachers College, Columbia University
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Generating high-quality SEL data at scale: A case study of rigor, responsiveness, and responsibility in Lebanon

Chair: Wafa Kotob, World Learning
Mapping social emotional learning and related skills across frameworks used by the Lebanon Ministry of Education
Bryan Nelson, Harvard Graduate School of Education; Sonya Rose Temko, Harvard Graduate School of Education; Rebecca Bailey, Harvard Graduate School of Education; Stephanie M Jones, Harvard Graduate School of Education
A systems level co-construction of Lebanon’s National SEL framework
Garene Kaloustian, World Learning; Samar Ahmadieh, The Lebanese Center for Education Research and Development; Nahla Harb, The Lebanese Ministry of Education and Higher Education Pedagogical and Scholastic Guidance Office; Wafa Kotob, World Learning
Rigor, responsiveness, and responsibility: An exercise in developing social emotional measurement tools fit for purpose and context
Roxane Caires, Global TIES for Children, New York University; Carly Tubbs Dolan, New York University Global TIES for Children
Discussant: Carly Tubbs Dolan, New York University Global TIES for Children

10:00-12:00 EDT

Developing soft skills among youth in Central America and sub Saharan Africa

Chair: Moses Ngware, African Population and Health Research Center (APHRC)
Measuring Youth Soft Skills and Key Outcomes: Enumerator Effects
Carina Omoeva, FHI 360
Drivers of whole youth development skills in TVET institutions in Kenya
Francis Maina Kiroro, African Population Health and Research Center; Vollan Ochieng, APHRC; Moses Ngware, African Population and Health Research Center (APHRC)
Examining the capabilities of Kenya’s TVET institutions in instilling soft skills
Moses Ngware, African Population and Health Research Center (APHRC); Francis Maina Kiroro, African Population Health and Research Center; Vollan Ochieng, APHRC
Adapting Soft Skills Training to the Labor Market
Louis Alexander, Banyan Global
Discussant: Catherine Honeyman, World Learning

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Africa SIG Bantaba

Africa SIG

Host and Co-Moderator: Mary Drinkwater (Yorkville University)
Chair & Breakout Room Moderator: Martial Dembéle (University of Montréal)
Co-Moderator and Breakout Room Moderator: Rhonesha Blaché (Teachers College, Columbia University)
Invited Contributor: Yusuf Waghid (Stellenbosch University, South Africa)
Invited Contributor: Lesley Le Grange (Stellenbosch University, South Africa)
Invited Contributor: José Cossa (American University in Cairo)
Discussant: N’Dri Assié-Lumumba (Cornell University)
Discussant: Chizoba Imoka (Founder/CEO, Unveiling Africa)
Breakout Room Moderator: Nii Addy (McGill University)
Breakout Room Rapporteur: Rebecca Bayeck (Penn State University)
Breakout Room Rapporteur: Laura Quaynor (John Hopkins University)
Breakout Room Rapporteur: Yvette Hutchinson (British Council)

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Nicaragua educación y medioambiente: ¿Cómo la lectura y su enseñanza pueden reorientar la educación hacia la búsqueda del desarrollo sostenible?

Chair: Maria J Vijil, Juarez and Associates
Las limitaciones del currículo para la enseñanza de la lectoescritura en aulas multigrado de zonas rurales. Rafael Santiago Meza, Universidad Centroamericana
Una aproximación al perfil lector de docentes del primer ciclo de educación primaria Ana Lucía Álvarez, Centro de Investigación y Acción Social Educativa
Lectoescritura Inicial: Una transición con sentido Ana Lucía Vijil, Colegio Nórdico Internacional
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**Increasing equitable opportunities for learning: Technology and the provision of learning materials**

**Chair:** Penelope Bender, BurdaEducation  
**Track and Use: Using intelligent data mining to improve supply chain management for teaching & learning materials**  
*Maureen Ochako, blueTreeGroup*  
**Expanding access to high quality learning materials: Creating storybooks offline with Saide’s new African Storybook Maker**  
*Dorcas Wepukhulu, Saide*  
**The role of technology in increasing access to reading materials: The example of the Global Digital Library (GDL)**  
*Christer Gunderson, Global Digital Library*  
**Discussant:** Rebecca Leege, Worldreader

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**ICT4D Business Meeting**  
*ICT4D SIG*

12:00-13:30 EDT

**Agency and structure in Latin America: Addressing educational disparities in Brazil, Mexico and Peru**  
*Latin America SIG*  
>Link: [https://youtu.be/mZ_3kKvNTU](https://youtu.be/mZ_3kKvNTU)

**Chair:** Hugo Chaves, Stanford University  
**Policy Making for Teaching Quality: An Analysis of Teacher Assessment Results as a Relevant Input for Peruvian Professional Development Policies**  
*Daniela Gamboa, Stanford University*  
**Pre-School Expansion in Brazil: Does enrollment affect children’s outcomes? A study about childhood education.**  
*Hugo Chaves, Stanford University*  
**Understanding school choice: Evidence from Mexico.**  
*Salome Aguilar Llanes, Stanford University*

11:30-13:30 EDT

**The Abidjan Principles on the right to education: A practical tool to address global challenges to the provision of quality education for all to ensure future peaceful societies and life on earth**  
*Globalization & Education SIG*

**Chair:** Frank M. Adamson, California State University, Sacramento  
**The Abidjan Principles: from a unique drafting and adoption process to quick recognition and implementation**  
*Delphine Dorsi, Right to Education Initiative; Sylvain Aubry, Global Initiative for Economic, Social and Cultural Rights; Ashina Mtsumi, Global Initiative on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights; Magdalena Sepulveda, Independent Advocate*  
**Advocacy at the local in implementation of Abidjan Principle:**  
The civil society efforts in Nepal Ram Gaire, National Campaign for Education Nepal (NCE - Nepal)  
The development of a Francophone research network on the privatization and commercialization of education: Research plans and perspective Thibaut Lauwerier, University of Geneva  
**Civil society data gathering in Canada**  
*Eloïse Tan, People for Education*  
**What do the Abidjan Principles tell us about the education landscape in Ghana, Kenya, Malawi, Mozambique, Nigeria, Tanzania and Uganda?**  
*Maria Ron Balsera, ActionAid; Asmara Figue, ActionAid; Elaine Unterhalter, Institute of Education, University College London*  
**Discussant:** Hughes Moussy, IIEP/UNESCO

18:00-19:30 EDT

**Common Worlding and Education in the Chthulucene**  
*KEYNOTE*  

**Chair:** Iveta Silova, Arizona State University  
**Shaking the bedrock of education: Tapping into the seismic force of our chthonic inheritance**  
*Affrica Taylor, University of Canberra*  
**Making oddkin in the preschool animal farm**  
*Mindy Blaise, Edith Cowan University*  
**Queer worlding synthetic classrooms in the Chthulucene**  
*Veronica Pacini-Ketchabaw, Western University*  
**Discussant:** Iveta Silova, Arizona State University
April 17, 2020 (Friday)

8:00-10:00 EDT

**Gender violence in educational systems**

Chair: *Hibah Sidat*, University of Toronto
Looking for Sankofa: An Examination of Gendered Islamophobia Against Muslim Students in the North American Educational System
*Hibah Sidat, University of Toronto*

The Laïcization of the religious radical in French public schools: Can educational secularization drive youth away from violent extremism? *Walid Hedidar, University of Denver*

Girls’ Voices towards Gender Based Violence in Primary Schools: Perspectives from selected Countries - Kenya, Nigeria, Jamaica & Malawi
*Dasmine Paulette Kennedy, Former Echidna Global Scholar; Mary Akinyi Otieno, Kenyatta University; adefunke oluwafunmilayo ekine, Tai Solarin University Of Education, Ijagun, Nigeria; Madalo Samati, Executive Director, Creative Centre for Community Mobilization, Malawi*

Shaping sexual subjectivities: a content analysis of documents
*from New Zealand and the US Rose Hyson, University of Minnesota*

9:30-11:30 EDT

**The Power of Play for Quality Education in Formal Education Systems**

>Link: [https://vimeo.com/409189059/3562a3a099](https://vimeo.com/409189059/3562a3a099)

Chair: *Bo Stjerne Thomsen*, LEGO Foundation

Leveraging Play for Learning: Play-based learning Policy Integration in Tanzania
*Andrea Diaz-Varela, Right To Play; Ellen Fesseha, University of Toronto*

Learning through Play at School – a review of evidence
*Patricia Castanheira, LEGO Foundation*

Playful learning, playful teaching: Stories from three South African schools
*Lynneth Solis, Harvard University*

Discussant: *Angela Pyle*, Ontario Institute for Studies in Education, University of Toronto

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**South Asia SIG Business Meeting**

*South Asia SIG*

Chairs: *Sahara Pradhan*, University of Massachusetts Amherst
*Tania Saeed*, Lahore University of Management Sciences (LUMS)

12:00-14:00 EDT

**RedLEI: Unifying efforts to further research on early grade literacy in Central America**

Chair: *Rebecca Stone*, American Institutes for Research

Design and Implementation of the RedLEI Scholarship Program
*Paola Alejandra Andrade, Red para la Lectoescritura Inicial de Centroamérica y el Caribe -RedLEI*

RedLEI Scholarship Program. Regional Research Results
*Ruth Flores Muñoz, Universidad de Deusto España/Universidad del Valle de Guatemala*

Implication and scope of the RedLEI scholarship program
*Mariela Isabel Zelada, Universidad del Valle de Guatemala/RedLEI*

Discussant: *Maria J Vijil*, Juarez and Associates

13:15-14:30 EDT

**Migration, Belonging and Public Pedagogy**

Chair: *Kristina Brezicha*, Georgia State University

“I do not belong to either Bangladesh or Burma”: The cost of losing home among adolescent Rohingya refugees
*Fatima Tuz Zahra, Harvard University; Reshmaan Hussam, Harvard University*

Finding a niche in the Canadian Labour Market: Immigrants’ Experiences of Transitioning to Work in Canada
*Jingzhou Liu, University of Calgary*

Migrant caravan and public pedagogy in Mexico. An exploration of narratives
*Marco Aurelio Navarro-Leal, Universidad Autónoma de Tamaulipas*

Discourses of Belonging: Intersections of truth, power, and ethics in research with migrant youth
*Sophia Rodriguez, University of North Carolina at Greensboro; Jeremy Acree, University of North Carolina, Greensboro*

“I left because…”: The role of education in the calculus of Caribbean (highly skilled) emigrants’ decision to migrate
*Nigel Brissett, Clark University*
April 18, 2020 (Friday)

18:00-20:00 EDT

Parenting, Technology and Mobility: Chinese Education in a Global Context

Chair: Chen Zhang, Stanford University
How Does Schools’ Educational Technology Capacity Affect Students’ Performance in Math and Science? Evidence from PISA Tests and Schools in China Meng Guo, Stanford University; Jingxin Wu, Stanford University
How Rabid Competition Mindset Affecting Chinese Undergraduate Students’ Academic Performance in American Universities Chen Zhang, Stanford University
Comparison of Low- and High-socioeconomic-status (SES) Families in Urban China: Does SES Affect Children and Parents’ Educational Mindsets and Behaviors? Yuman Li, Stanford University; Shang Xu, Stanford University
Comparing parenting between rural and urban households in China: Does difference in parenting explain the gap in child cognitive development? Yi Yang, Stanford Graduate School of Education; Hannah Johnstone, Stanford Graduate School of Education
Assessing the Range of Cognitive Processes in Hong Kong Diploma of Secondary Education (HKDSE)’s English Language Reading Literacy Test (2012–2019) Pok Jing Ho, Stanford University
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### April 19, 2020 (Sunday)

13:00-15:00 EDT

**I/We Are Earth: Embodied Compassionate Inquiry towards Earth Kinship**

https://youtu.be/mrXtB-9sSAM

Workshop Organizer: Danielle Denichaud, Ontario Institute for Studies in Education

### April 20, 2020 (Monday)

9:00-10:30 EDT

**Holistic Approaches to Early Child Development and Education**

*Early Childhood Development SIG*

Looking through the Unconventional Lens: Weaving Early Childhood into Economics, Justice, Violence Prevention and Other Sectors

Katy Anis, Technical Assistance in ECCD

Nurturing values and spirituality in early childhood for the prevention of violence, Maria Lucia Uribe Torres, Arigatou International

Theory of seven spiritual identities: A framework for others to exist in peace with ourselves and beyond, Maubina Kirmani, Towson Univ.

Discussant: Selamawit Tadesse, Catholic Relief Services; Barbara Steel, Towson University; Dara Feldman, Virtues Project

10:00-12:00 EDT

**The global spread of performance-based accountability reforms (Panel 1): Schools’ responses and enactment dynamics**

*Globalization and Education SIG*

Chair: Guri Skedsmo, University of Oslo

Schools’ responses to performance-based accountability:

- Evidence from the Chilean high-stakes regime
  Antoni Verger, Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona; Gerard Ferrer-Esteban, Autonomous University of Barcelona; Lluís Parcerisa, Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona

Coping with performative pressure: How Norwegian principals manage and respond to ‘soft’ accountability demands

- Marjolein Camphuijsen, Autonomous University of Barcelona

Side effects as a matter of high stakes or a matter of enactment of accountability?

- Corrie Thiel, University of Münster

The role of performative pressure in disadvantaged school contexts: An analysis of principals’ sensemaking and responses in the Chilean education marketplace

- Lluís Parcerisa, Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona

Discussant: James Spillane, Northwestern University

10:00-11:30 EDT

**High Fidelity: The importance of efficiency and efficacy for early grade reading programs**

Fidelity of Implementation: contextualizing measurement for sub-Saharan Africa education systems

Simon King, RTI International

The use of and insights from fidelity of implementation in a fluid environment

Laura Harrington, Chemonics International

Student reading outcomes, inequities, and fidelity of implementation factors in Senegal: at the midline of Lecture Pour Tous

Vincent Mugisha, Chemonics International; Mary Faith Mount-Cors, EdIntersect, LLC; Jake Thomsen, Chemonics Intl.; Jennifer Swift-Morgan, Chemonics Intl.

Monitoring systems in sub-Saharan Africa and South Asia

Gilbert Jolly, Jolly Learning

The ministry as the end-user: designing monitoring tools for sustained capacity in Nepal

Uddhav Rai, RTI International; Swadesh Maharjan, RTI International

Discussant: Jeff Davis, MSI
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Discussants:<br>Mary Drinkwater, Program Chair<br>Chizoba Imoka, Chair-Elect<br>Ademola Alabi Akinrinola, Program Chair<br>Laura Quaynor, Secretary-Treasurer<br>Rebecca Yvonne Bayeck, Communications Officer |
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Book Launch Session
A path to be and transcend: Developing integral intelligence
Desarrollar la Inteligencia Integral: Un camino para Ser y Trascender Claudia Madrazo, Instituto DIA

16:00-18:00 EDT

Business Meeting: Contemplative Inquiry & Holistic Education Sig
Contemplative Inquiry & Holistic Education SIG

Chairs: Hyeyoung Bang, Bowling Green State University; Amanda Fiore, University of Maryland

20:00-21:30 EDT

Beyond the Western Horizon in Educational Research: Towards a deeper Dialogue about our Interdependent

Chair: Jeremy Rappleye, Kyoto University, Graduate School of Education
Toward weaving a common faith in the age of climate change Huey-Li Li, University of Akron
Towards an ecological imagination: River dialogues on a journey to the tarsands shadowlands Affrica Taylor, University of Canberra
From the depth of nothingness: Knowledge, imagination, and education Guoping Zhao, Oklahoma State University
Learning experience: An alternative understanding inspired by thinking through Confucius Yun You, East China Normal University
Discussant: Sachi T. Edwards, The University of Tokyo
**April 22, 2020 (Wednesday)**

**8:00-10:00 EDT**

**Conceptualizing, measuring and transforming gender inequality in education**

Chair: *Anne Spear*, University of Maryland  
New directions for assessing MHM in Schools: Menstruation Related Engagement, Self-Efficacy and Stress (MENSES)  
Assessment Jeanne Long, Save the Children - USA; Pamela Mendoza Yamashiro, Save the Children  
A missing piece: A vertical comparative case study examining teachers’ responses to gender-based violence in schools in Burkina Faso Anne Spear, University of Maryland  
Measuring Girls’ Agency in East Africa—Co-Creating Contextually Specific Tools for Evaluation: Lessons from the AMPLIFY Girls Collective Aubryn Allyn Sidle, Cornell University; Brenda Oculo, AMPLIFY; Estahappy Mariki, AMPLIFY, The Girls’ Foundation of Tanzania; Kansiime Honest Fortunate, AMPLIFY, Girls To Lead Africa; Duncan Ahigika, AMPLIFY, Elohim Development Association; Wendo Aszed, AMPLIFY, Dandelion Africa; Shamu Bashuna, AMPLIFY, Chalbi Scholars; Samantha Belle, AMPLIFY, Gashora Girls Academy; Dativah Bideri, AMPLIFY, Komera; Margaret Butler, Komera; Zachary Fowler, AMPLIFY, WISER Girls; Linda Kamau, AMPLIFY, Akira Chix; Anande Mirishe, AMPLIFY, Jifundishe; Valentine Mukamuyenzi, AMPLIFY, SACCA; Phionah Musumba, AMPLIFY, Malkia Foundation; Maria Omare, AMPLIFY, The Action Foundation of Kenya; David Omondi, AMPLIFY, Riley Orton Foundation; Dorcas Oyugi, AMPLIFY, WISER Girls; Elly Sarakikya, AMPLIFY, Sega Girls Academy; Kimberly Wolf, AMPLIFY, GirlUP Uganda; Jess Littman, AMPLIFY, Africaid and American University

**8:00-10:00 EDT**

**Institutional research at the age of global mobility: Cases from Japan, Ghana, China and USA**

*Higher Education SIG*

Chair: *Guofang WAN*, University of West Florida  
Institutional Research in Japan in the Age of Global Student Mobility: A Transformation from IR to IIR and IRIR Yukari Matsuzuka, Hitotsubashi University  
Institutional Research Data: How Rural Students Adapt at Elite Universities Sunny Niu, Fudan University; Grace Yajun Zheng, The University of Hong Kong; Yu Xiao, Research Institute for Higher Education, Fudan University  
Institutional Study: Equal Opportunities for International Students on USA Campus Rashmi Sharma, University of West Florida; Guofang WAN, University of West Florida; Ellen Yeh, Columbia College Chicago  
Discussant: *William Crawley*, University of West Florida

**9:00-11:00 EDT**

**Gender, education, & climate change: Reconfiguring the human-planet relationship through gender transformative education**

Chair: *Christina Kwauk*, Brookings  
Three platforms for girls’ education in climate strategies Amanda Braga, The Brookings Institution; Christina Kwauk, Brookings  
Education in the other SDGs: a GEM Report focus on monitoring gender equality and climate change Linkins Kate, UNESCO; Priyadarshani Joshi, UNESCO  
How does climate impact school attendance in developing countries? An exploratory analysis from Siaya County, Kenya Jessie Pinchoff, Population Council; Erica Chuang, Population Council; Barbara Mensch, Population Council; Elizabeth Nyothach, Kenya Medical Research Institute; David Obar, Kenya Medical Research Institute; Penelope Phillips-Howard, Liverpool School of Tropical Medicine; Stephanie Psaki, Population Council; Anja Tolonen, Barnard College; Garazi Zulajka, Liverpool School of Tropical Medicine  
Can Education be used as a Platform for Building Climate Resilience? Matyango Media, CARE Zimbabwe; Ellen Chigwanda, CARE USA Education Team  
Discussant: *Christina Kwauk*, Brookings
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Chair: Brooke Estes, US Agency for International Development (USAID)

Lean and green book supply chain management Maggie De Jongh-Abebe, blueTree Group B.V.

Helping students, healing the environment: producing the learning materials of tomorrow Mamadou Goundiam, Burda Education; Massimo Monti, Burda Education

Case study: Utilising existing and more environmentally friendly delivery channels to distribute reading materials Vanashree Chetty de Mendonca Pinto, The Nal’ibali Trust

Behavioral incentives, process innovation, and track & trace in book distribution Ayan Kishore, Creative Associates International

Discussant: Simon James, Education Development Center (EDC)

10:00-12:00 EDT

Becoming a gender activist: Narratives of transnational, intergenerational, and social change

Chair: Catherine Vanner, McGill University

Identifying as an activist – An intergenerational study of girl’ social capital beyond activism Supriya Baily, George Mason University; Gloria Wang, Oakton High School; Betsy Scatton-Lavino, George Mason University

And then I became a feminist: Narratives of emancipation, empowerment and conflict – constructing gender identities and sexuality among feminist Adolescent girls. Gila Manevich-Malul, Ben Gurion University of the Negev; Halleli Pinson, Ben-Gurion University of the Negev

Adolescent Boys for Gender Equality Bethany Grupp, YWCA Hartford Region

Transnational Girl Activists Teach and Learn About Gender-Based Violence Catherine Vanner, McGill University

10:00-11:45 EDT

Strategies for Cultivating and Assessing Critical Thinking in sub-Saharan Africa

>Link: https://youtu.be/Doe7_qn6gyE

Chair: Barbara Gagliotti, AVSI-USA (Association of Volunteers in International Service)

Conceptualizing Critical Thinking in Uganda Mauro Giacomazzi, Luigi Giussani Institute of Higher Education; Monica Fontana Abad, Universidad Complutense de Madrid

Capabilities Based Pedagogy: From Information Assimilation to Enhancing Understanding in Ugandan Schools Joseph Lample, Kimanya Ngeyo Foundation for Science and Education

Do It Yourself (DIY) Clubs Initiative: Enhancing Students' Lifeskills Matthew French, Komo Learning Centres

Using Classroom-Based Assessments to Teach and Assess 21st Century Skills Esther Care, The Brookings Institution; Helyn Kim, Brookings Institution

Uwezo Household Citizen-Assessment of Critical Thinking at National Level Mary Goretti Nakabugo, Twaweza East Africa

Discussant: Lynn Murphy, Independent
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Education to address gender inequality

Chair: Supriya Baily, George Mason University

Gendered Citizenry: Exploring educator perceptions towards gender bias in Jordanian Civic Education curricula Yasmeen Shahzadeh, McGill University

Empowering adolescents to enable social and environmental change SUNITA MENON, BREAKTHROUGH; Yogita Verma, BREAKTHROUGH

Narrowing the Gender Gap on Financial Literacy: The Role of Non-Cognitive Skills WENFENG FAN, BEIJING ACADEMY OF EDUCATIONAL SCIENCES

Pedagogy of hope: Emotionally/Socially Intelligent Education under the fall of patriarchy and the rise of gender fluidity, 2 case histories June Gorman, Schumacher Institute

12:00-13:00 EDT

FILM FESTIVALETTE “Tokyo Waka”: Live Q & A & discussion with film directors John Haptas and Kristine Samuelson

13:00-14:30 EDT

Gender and Education Standing Committee Symposium: Maximizing Gender Equity in CIES

Chairs:
- Catherine Vanner, McGill University
- Kristy Kelly, Drexel University
- Emily Anderson, Florida International University
- Christine in Wotipka, Stanford University

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South East Asia SIG Business Meeting

South East Asia SIG

Chairs: Sahara Pradhan, University of Massachusetts Amherst
- Tania Saeed, Lahore University of Management Sciences (LUMS)
### April 23, 2020 (Thursday)

#### 6:00-8:00 EDT

**School Health & Development: A Bridge to a Sustainable Future**

Promoting the Breadth of Learning Opportunities for All Students *Martin Henry, Education International; Esther Care, The Brookings Institution*

Health & Life Skills Education: Part of a Broad, Holistic Education *Daniel Laitsch, Faculty of Education, Simon Fraser University*

Promoting School Health & Development in Low Resource Countries *Mohini Venkatesh, Save the Children*

Global School Health & Development: Starting with the Facts *Deepika Sharma, Nutrition Section, UNICEF*

Big Thinking-Small Steps-Systems Change in School Health & Development *Doug McCall, International School Health Network*

#### 8:00-10:00 EDT

**Implementing Malawi’s national reading program: Opportunities, achievements, and challenges**

>Link: [https://youtu.be/9VFf5gG2cde](https://youtu.be/9VFf5gG2cde)

The Malawi National Reading Programme: Tackling learner’s low literacy achievements *Rafael Agabu, Director of Inspection and Advisory Services, Malawi Ministry of Education, Science and Technology*

Large-scale teacher professional development in support of the Malawi National Reading Programme *Grace Chiuye, RTI International*

Adapting and going to scale with continuous assessment and targeted remediation for early grade reading in Malawi *Mavuto Chiwale, Abt Associates*

Ensuring Inclusive Education under Malawi’s National Reading Programme *Augustine Kanyendula, Juarez & Associates*

**Discussant:** *Alyssa Morley, Michigan State University*

#### 8:00-9:00 EDT

**South Asia SIG Highlighted Session: Counting to learn: Rehumanizing accountability relationships in education in South Asia**

Navigating schooling decisions in Mumbai Slums: Emerging results from a household survey *Amita Chudgar, Michigan State University; Jainisha Chavda, Michigan State University; Vanika Grover, Michigan State University; Shota Hatakeyama, Michigan State University; Jutaro Sakamoto, Michigan State University*

The Three Body Problem: Beyond Principal-Agent Relationships in Accountability *Andres Sandoval-Hernandez, University of Bath; Robin Shields, University of Bath; Kalyan Kameshvara, University of Bath; Kanika Rai Dhanda, University of Bath*

Open School Data Platforms and Distributed Accountability in School Education: A Case Study from India *Ben Arnold, Deakin University; Radhika Gorur, Deakin University*

Accountability through Community Governance? Tensions and Dilemmas in School Management Committees in Nepal *Ganesh Bahadur Singh, Tribhuvan University; Min Bista, Tribhuvan University*

**Discussant:** *Michele Schweisfurth, University of Glasgow*

#### 8:00-9:00 EDT

**Gender and Education Standing Committee Business Meeting 1**

*Chairs: Catherine Vanner, McGill University*  

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*Kristy Kelly, Drexel University*  

*Lisa Yiu, University of Hong Kong*
April 23, 2020 (Thursday)

9:00-10:30 EDT

Rethinking Early Childhood and Youth Education with Feminist Theory

Chair: Norin Taj, University of Toronto
Conceptualizing holistic feminist approaches for early childhood development programming Kelly Grace, Grace Research Consulting; Emily W. Anderson, Florida International University
Gender Stereotypes in Arabic Children’s Literature: How female characters and their roles in their communities are represented in Arabic story books Eman Maher Harb, American University in Cairo
The gender portrayal of Disney princesses and it’s influence on young Pakistani girls Palwasha Marwat, University of Missouri
Girls’ Education Transitions in Rural Upper Egypt: A Comparative Study of Students in Community and Government Schools Fatma Said Abdelkhalek, Budapest University of Economics and Technology; Ray Langsten, Social Research Center / American Univ in Cairo
Where is Gender & Education now and where should it be headed? Cameron J. Busacca, University of Maryland

10:00-12:00 EDT

Early Childhood Education: Equity, Access, and Outcomes
>Link: https://vimeo.com/420625443

Chair: Abbie Raikes, University of Nebraska
Analyzing interrelations between educational plans and educational inequalities in early childhood: The example of social-emotional competence, Sylvia Nienhaus, University of Osnabrück
Sustained Preschool Influence on Students’ Learning Outcomes in Adolescence: Longitudinal Evidence from Ethiopia Janice H Kim, University of Cambridge
The shape of things to come? Sustainability as dilemma and opportunity in Early Childhood Development, Education and Care Mathias Urban, Dublin City University

10:00-12:00 EDT

Practices That Inform and Respond to Development of Inclusive Education Interventions

Chair: Valerie Karr, Inclusive Development Partners
Inclusive education: putting policy into practice Kate Brolly, Chemonics International
Incidence and identification of disabilities among early grade learners in Senegal: Findings on how to get better findings for inclusive education Rebecca Malinick, Chemonics International
United in adversity: how conflict has shaped perceptions towards inclusion in North West Syria Alaa Zaza, Chemonics; Patrick Marie Mrowz-Dawes, Chemonics International

12:00-14:00 EDT

Sustaining parental engagement in early education: Snapshots from the Latin America and the Caribbean (LAC) region
Chair: Cassandra Scarpino, ChildFund International
Snapshots of caregiver engagement in community ECD & early learning programs in Latin America and the Caribbean Jana Torrico, Food for the Hungry
Señas y Sonrisas smartphone app: Promoting early sign language exposure among deaf children by engaging hearing parents Patrick Graham, Western Oregon University; Christopher Adam Noel Kurz, Rochester Institute of Technology
A child’s first educator: Parental engagement to develop emergent literacy in Jamaica Kelsey E Woodrick, Education Technical Researcher
Discussant: Joan Cohen, Creative Associates International

13:00-14:00 EDT

Gender & Education Standing Committee Business Meeting 2
We scheduled two business meetings (at 8am and 1pm ET) to be inclusive of people in different geographic zones.
Chairs: Catherine Vanner, McGill University
                 Kristy Kelly, Drexel University
                 Lisa Yiu, University of Hong Kong
April 23, 2020 (Thursday)

13:00-15:30 EDT

Navigating ethical dilemmas & other challenges in crisis contexts

Workshop Organizers:
  Mary Mendenhall, Teachers College, Columbia University
  Vidur Chopra, Harvard University

14:00-16:00 EDT

Professionalizing Youth Work in Small States through Education Transfer: Issues, Challenges and Possibilities

>Link: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=U_PeeDSEwhw

History and Context of education transfer through The Commonwealth of Learning Kirk Perris,

*Commonwealth of Learning*

Facilitating Education Transfer through Open Educational Resources Sam Naidu, University of the South Pacific

Youth Work Workshops: A Research Methodology
  Faith Visentin, Lakehead University; Gary William John Pluim, Lakehead University
April 24, 2020 (Friday)

9:00-10:30 EDT

Notes from the field: Lessons and promising practices in addressing the effects of climate change on education outcomes and resilience

Youth Development and Education SIG

Adolescents’ Fight against Climate Change in Mali Henry Mtende Swira, CARE USA
Exploring the Education-Climate Change Nexus: Experiences from the Building Climate Resilient Schools Pilot Project in Zimbabwe Ellen Chigwanda, CARE USA Education Team
The Impact of Climate Change on Learning Outcomes in Somalia Abdifarhan Farah Gure, CARE Somalia

12:00-13:30 EDT

Experimenting with and rethinking education for the Anthropocene

Symbiotic Encounters in Early Childhood: The Vibrant Force of Creative and Pedagogical Cocompositions
Cristina Delgado Vintimilla, York University, Toronto; Sylvia Kind, Capilano university
Taiwan’s “Experimental” Indigenous Schools: A Critical Policy Analysis Eric Layman, Indiana University
Who is the human in “humanitarianism”? Settler colonial logics in the international development/aid industries. Nisha Toomey, University of Toronto

11:00-12:30 EDT

Social and emotional learning in the classroom

Link: https://rtiorg.zoom.us/rec/share/yf0pJrw3HtOHJXfynHRC6x6Arz3T6a813VN_KdZxUn1-4p4MRA6TGhEr_zGpGds
Password: 2M$+T^*

Chair: Elizabeth Randolph, RTI International
Adapting teaching practices to the social and emotional classroom context in sub-Saharan Africa Matthew Jukes, RTI International; Yasmin Sitabkhan, RTI International
Contextualizing social and emotional interventions in Niger Sarah Kobay, New York University Steinhardt
Adaptation and co-creation of a social and emotional learning framework for the Haiti context Anasthasie Liberiste-Osirus, University of Notre Dame; Tj D’Agostino, University of Notre Dame
What promotes social and emotional learning in Uganda primary schools? Elizabeth Randolph, RTI International; Peter Muyingo, RTI International

Discussants: Marianne Larsen, Western University
Ines Dussel, DIE-CINVESTAV

11:45-13:15 EDT

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April 27, 2020 (Monday)

8:00-9:30 EDT

Integrity of human and financial resources in education: results of locally-led integrity assessments in Georgia, Kyrgyzstan, Moldova and Mongolia

*Eurasia SIG*

>Link: [https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=kKfQ8l7h9x0](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=kKfQ8l7h9x0)

Misappropriation of parental donations to public schools in Kyrgyzstan

Nina Bagdasarova, Foundation for Education Initiatives Support

Aleksandr Ivanov, Foundation for Education Initiatives Support

Favouritism in staffing policies for schoolteachers in Georgia

Giorgi Machabeli, TPDC; Maia Gelashvili, International Institute for Education Policy, Planning, Management

Integrity of human and financial resources in education in Georgia, Kyrgyzstan, Moldova and Mongolia: cross-country synthesis of findings

Mihaylo Milovanovitch, European Training Foundation; Center for Applied Policy and Integrity; Ojia Jovanovic Milanovic, University of Belgrade

Discussants: Tinde Kovacs Cerovic, Independent Researcher

Kate Lapham, Open Society Foundations

10:00-11:30 EDT

Preparing learning revolutions: Country ownership and systemic change for sustained early grade reading reforms at scale

*Global Literacy SIG*

Chair: Jennifer Swift-Morgan, Chemonics International

Preparing a country-owned learning revolution: Sustainability and scale-up planning for national reading and bilingual education reform in Senegal

Jennifer Swift-Morgan, Chemonics International; Sabine Kube-Barth, Cambridge Education; Vincent Mugisha, Chemonics International; Aby Ndao Ndeye, Senegal Ministry of National Education

Developing systematic ownership for early grade reading at scale: what the Rwanda experience has to offer to the world

Probak Karim, Chemonics International

Using innovative financing models to support self-reliant improved reading in Tanzania

Laura McInerney, Cambridge Education; Ally Swalehe, President’s Office for Regional Administration and Local Government (Tanzania); Vincent Katabalo, Cambridge Education


10:30-12:00 EDT

Socio-emotional learning interventions: strategies for contextualization

“Let’s grow!” Building resilience through SEL

Aniek Santema, Edukans

Girl power through Meharebel Sonen Efefa Merga, Gender and Skills Development Program coordinator, DEC Ethiopia

USAID Senegal Passerelles: Guiding project design through measurement of SEL, school climate and attitudes toward gender norms

Papa Sene, FHI 360; Yvonne Cao, FHI 360

Discussant: Julia Finder Johna, Save the Children

16:30-18:00 EDT

Book Launch: "Educating Students to Improve the World"

Author: Fernando M. Reimers, Harvard University

Book can be downloaded free here:

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April 28, 2020 (Tuesday)

11:00-12:30 EDT

**Instructional Time Across Countries and Contexts: Measurement and Results**

Chair: Christine Beggs, Room to Read
Time to Teach: A Multi-country Qualitative Study of the Determinants of Teacher Absenteeism Matt Brossard, UNICEF
Not All Time Is Created Equal: The Relationship between Types of Instructional Time and Student Outcomes Sharon Haba, Chemonics International; Christine Beggs, Room to Read
Changing Time on Task and Teacher Practice in Senegalese Reading Classrooms: Findings At Midline Jennifer Swift-Morgan, Chemonics International; Karla Giuliano Sarr, Independent Consultant
**Discussant: Rebecca Rhodes**, US Agency for International Development (USAID)

17:00-18:30 EDT

**Author meets critics: Book discussion of "Can Big Bird Fight Terrorism?" by Naomi Moland**

**Education Conflict and Emergencies SIG**
Response 1 to book: "Can Big Bird Fight Terrorism? Children's Television and Globalized Multicultural Education" Kathryn M. Anderson-Levitt, University of California, Los Angeles (UCLA)
April 29, 2020 (Wednesday)

9:00-11:00 EDT

Charting an SDG 4.7 Roadmap for Radical, Transformative Change in the Midst of Climate Breakdown
Workshop Organizers: Christina Kwauk, Brookings; Radhika Iyengar, Earth Institute, Columbia University

10:00-11:45 EDT

Strategies for Cultivating and Assessing Critical Thinking in sub-Saharan Africa
>Link: https://youtu.be/Doe7_qn6gyE
Barbara Gagliotti, AVSI-USA (Association of Volunteers in International Service
Conceptualizing Critical Thinking in Uganda Mauro Giacomazzi, Luigi Giussani Institute of Higher Education;
Monica Fontana Abad, Universidad Complutense de Madrid
Capabilities Based Pedagogy: From Information Assimilation to Enhancing Understanding in Ugandan Schools Joseph Lample, Kimanya Ngeyo Foundation for Science and Education
Do It Yourself (DIY) Clubs Initiative: Enhancing Students' Lifeskills Matthew French, Komo Learning Centres
Using Classroom-Based Assessments to Teach and Assess 21st Century Skills Esther Care, The Brookings Institution; Helyn Kim, Brookings Institution
Uwezo Household Citizen-Assessment of Critical Thinking at National Level Mary Goretti Nakabugo, Twaweza East Africa
Discussant: Lynn Murphy, Independent

11:30-13:00 EDT

Business Meeting: Globalization and Education SIG
Globalization and Education SIG
Co-chairs: Maren Elfert (Lecturer, Education & Society, School of Education, Communication & Society, King's College London); Clara Fontdevila (PhD candidate at the Department of Sociology at the Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona)
Secretary: Iris Santos (PhD candidate in Education and Society at Tampere University in Finland)
Communications Manager: Carrie Karsgaard (PhD student in the Department of Educational Policy Studies at the University of Alberta)

12:00-13:00 EDT

Live Discussion with the Film Festival Team: Reflections on Recent Festival/s and the Way Forward
Adriana Cepeda and Jorge Baxter, Film Festivalette curators; Hugh McLean, OSF

April 30, 2020 (Thursday)

8:30-10:00 EDT

Bilingual primary education: EGRA results guide policy and next steps
Global Literacy SIG
Mother tongue literacy in Ethiopia Habtamu Gelgel, Creative Associates International
Bilingual education in Mozambique David Noyes, World Education, Inc.
Results and lessons learned from mother tongue education initiatives in Nepal James Macneil, World Education, Inc.
Leesa Kaplan, Creative Associates International
Discussant: Joan Cohen, Creative Associates International

10:00-12:00 EDT

An ecological model for community-based ECD in low and middle-income countries
Link: https://vimeo.com/user82759862/review/419935919/ab80ca5e5f
Chair: Lisa Marie Easterbrooks, Food for the Hungry
Participants: Jana Torrico, Food for the Hungry; Lisa Marie Easterbrooks, Food for the Hungry; Viktorya Sargsyan, International Non-governmental organization/World Vision International
Discussants: Jana Torrico, Food for the Hungry; Viktorya Sargsyan, World Vision International

10:00-11:30 EDT

LCSE Business Meeting
April 30, 2020 (Thursday)

10:00-11:00 EDT

Cost guidance: Accounting for inclusion and diversity in a shifting world

Chair: Radhika Bhula, Abdul Latif Jameel Poverty Action Lab (JPAL at MIT)
Cost guidance: accounting for inclusion and diversity in a shifting world Radhika Bhula, Abdul Latif Jameel Poverty Action Lab (JPAL at MIT); Rachel Hinton, DFID; Maria Brindlmayer, Making Cents International
Discussants: Rachel Hinton, DFID; Radhika Bhula, Abdul Latif Jameel Poverty Action Lab (JPAL at MIT); Maria Brindlmayer, Making Cents International

10:00-11:30 EDT

Book Launch: "Empowering Teachers to Build a Better World How Six Nations Support Teachers for 21st Century Education"

Author: Fernando M. Reimers, Harvard Graduate School of Education

10:30-12:00 EDT

Can private schools improve equitable access to schooling for vulnerable families? A review of three studies from Democratic Republic of Congo, Nigeria, and Kenya

Chair: Rebecca Rhodes, US Agency for International Development (USAID)
Can low-cost private schools be an alternative means to access quality education for children of vulnerable families in Kinshasa? Sabine Kube-Barth, Cambridge Education; Sonia Arias, Chemonics International
Regulating the private education market in Lagos to provide equitable access and quality schooling to disadvantaged children Gboyega Ilusanya, Cambridge Education
Mixed evidence on low-cost private schools' impact and an evolving policy landscape: Observations through an Equity Lens from Kenya Timothy Slade, RTI International; Salome Ong‘ele, RTI International; Benjamin Piper, RTI International
Discussant: Marcia Davidson, FHI 360

13:00-15:00 EDT

Virtual Workshop
Social Mass Action by School Students and the Challenges for Critical Pedagogy and education Systems

Workshop Organizers: Noncedo Madubedube, Equal Education; Camila Cociño; Luke Shore; Diedre Williams

13:00-15:00 EDT

Virtual Workshop
Putting the Right to Education into Practice: Developing a Research Agenda and Indicators Based on the Abidjan Principals

Workshop Organizers: Frank Adamson, California State University; Sylvain Aubry, Global Initiative for Economic, Social and Cultural Rights; Delphine Dorsi, Right to Education Initiative; Mireille De Koning, Open Society Foundations; Hughes Moussy, IIEP/UNESCO; Elaine Unterhalter, Institute of Education, University College London; Thibaut Lauwerier, University of Geneva

13:00-15:00 EDT

Fixing Foreign Aid
Africa SIG

> Link:
Chair: Martial Dembélé, University of Montreal
Presentation: Fixing Foreign Aid Joel Samoff, Stanford University
Moderator: Chizoba Imoka, OISE, University of Toronto
Due to COVID-19, the following Keynote events were unfortunately cancelled.

**Beyond the Three Pillars of Sustainability: Taking Environmental Sustainability Seriously in International Aid and Education** (David Edwards, Gita Steiner-Khamsi, Dirk Hastedt, Kristen Molyneaux, and Oren Pizmony-Levy as moderator)

**Anthropologists speak about “Education beyond the Human”** (Vandra Lea Masemann, Lesley Bartlett, Gabrielle Oliveira, Nancy Kendall, Payal Shah, Ayesha Khurshid, and Karishma Desai)

**Socialisms in Fascist Times: Intersectional Struggles in the Global South and Global North** (Kali Akuno, Tithi Bhattacharya, and Sangeeta Kamat as moderator)

**Race, Politics, and Identity in Bolivian Education: The Inside Story of Bolivia’s Audacious Educational Revolution and the Neoliberal Resistance to Equality** (Roberto Aguilar Gomez interviewed by Rebecca Tarlau)
Welcome to vCIES Art!

vCIES Art Program explores the innate relationship between Earth, education, and art through the work of amateur and professional contemporary artists. During these uncertain times, the link between global environmental issues and education has deepened, highlighting the important global, local, social, and cultural aspects of this relationship. vCIES art program includes the work of Amber Ward and Rebecca Christ, Maisa Mreiwed, Amy Scott Metcalfe, Jennifer Fricas, Sara Pan Algarra and Carlos Páez, Reyila Hadeer, Qais Assali, Yingxue Yang, Caitlin Shepherd, Paige Morency-Notario, and Xavier Cortada.

All artworks are woven into the conference program to make a bold move of bringing together not only artists and researchers in education, but also those researchers and practitioners who are thinking and exploring education ideas through art. Some artwork relates directly to education, while other has a more implicit connection. However, all of the presented art engages with the conference theme in a myriad of ways to offer a perspective, approach, or provocation, while encouraging the audience to personally experience and be affected by the art. Collectively, the art makes us pause in the hectic search for answers – how should education research reflect, re-live, and reimagine the pressing climate and educational issues? Through this artistic platform, we aim to create an inclusive environment to explore, think, fail, support, disrupt, and transform.

The current global pause, caused by the Covid-19 health pandemic, requires ontologically different approaches to how we think about and envision education, the world, and our place in it – thinking that is not linear and “more-than” but situated, curious, unpredictable, and entangled. With these artistic forms of communication we are changing the “language” for describing the world, thus disrupting habits of mind. We “leave language undefined, and thus acknowledge its open-endedness, its mysteriousness.”

“It may be best, then, to leave language undefined, and to thus acknowledge its open-endedness, its mysteriousness. Nevertheless, by paying attention to this mystery we may develop a conscious familiarity with it, a sense of its texture, its habits, its sources of sustenance.” - Abram, D. (2012). The spell of the sensuous: Perception and language in a more-than-human world. Vintage.

Submissions for this virtual art program have come from a diverse range of artists. Some were inspired by the ocean’s rich history, folklore, and mythology (Maisa Mreiwed), others were motivated by the stories of trees (Amy Scott), or an embodied interaction between human beings, their environments, and each other (Jennifer Fricas). Artists also bring into focus the acts of resistance against disappearance (Sara Pan Algarra and Carlos Páez), and envision a new possibility for the reconfiguration of the relationship between the human and non-human (Reyila Hadeer). They challenge the borders of language, politics, geography, technology, and time-scale as points of departure (Areej Mawasi; Qais Assali) and focus on community education and multi-generation interaction (Paige Morency-Notario; Yingxue Yang). Above all, they reflect the closely interwoven connections between human & more-than-human worlds (Amber Ward and Rebecca Christ & Xavier Cortada).

In addition to the Art Gallery, we invite you to engage with the participatory art. Amber Ward and Rebecca Christ offer an opportunity for us to explore the closely interwoven connections between people and beyond-human worlds. Their interactive art installation Braiding & Sphering invites you to join in making-with, a wording-with each other, humans and non-humans alike. Furthermore, vCIES Artist-in-Residence, Xavier Cortada, brings his art practice to foster social engagement and environmental concerns, and generates awareness about global climate change through the unique experience of inviting us to write Letters to the Future, which will become a part of the mural he is creating.

We hope you will enjoy, explore, create, and weave your voice into this collective effort to make a difference!

- Maria Vitrukh & Ann Nielsen, vCIES Art Program Co-Chairs
On Thursday, March 26th, vCIES 2020 Artist-in-Residence Xavier Cortada delivered a plenary speech to conference attendees. Originally, when the conference was to be hosted in Miami, Xavier anticipated giving a speech with a focus on sea-level rise and climate change. With the coronavirus pandemic upon us, Xavier discussed the interconnectedness of the issues at hand. To learn more, visit www.cortadaprojects.org/the-artist

Today, too many are in denial about the human impact on global climate change. By writing to someone in the future, we can’t deny their existence. By writing to them, we create a connection to them. Being able to connect with our progeny – whether human or more than human – raises the stakes for us now. It lengthens the “care horizon” beyond our lifetime. It encourages us to do all we can now to protect our planet, its future generations, and the species we coevolved with. In many ways, the current pandemic brings the future closer to us. Human impacts on the planet will inevitably unleash more and more diseases as temperatures rise and ecosystems collapse.

The “Letters to the Future” collaborative mural will be unveiled at the CIES 2021 conference.

To learn more, visit https://cies2020.org/send-a-letter/
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Please feel free to explore individual recorded paper presentations on a variety of themes, including (1) Education for Sustainable Development, Global Citizenship, and Inclusion, (2) Globalization and Internationalization in Higher Education, (3) Equity and Diversity in Higher Education, (4) Innovations in Youth Workforce Development and Education, (5) Multicultural Perspectives on Education in Global Contexts, (6) Comparative Perspectives on Gender and Sexuality in Education, (7) Education Governance, Funding, and Partnerships, and (8) Access and Equity in Education. Click on each of the themes below to view recorded papers by CIES members. Please feel free to comment on each paper and engage with authors about their work!

EDUCATION FOR SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT, GLOBAL CITIZENSHIP, AND INCLUSION
Keywords: global citizenship, citizenship education, sustainable development, SDGs, ethical leadership, values, inclusive education, disability, affective social education.

GLOBALIZATION AND INTERNATIONALIZATION IN HIGHER EDUCATION
Keywords: study abroad, higher education internationalization, student teaching, student mobility, professional trajectories, career transitions, post-colonialism, post-Soviet, globalization.

EQUITY AND DIVERSITY IN HIGHER EDUCATION
Keywords: ethnicity, religion, diversity, multilingual competencies, LGBTQ+, college access, support services.

INNOVATIONS IN YOUTH WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT AND EDUCATION
Keywords: TVET, capabilities, human capital, entrepreneurship, online learning, blended learning, professional development, ICT, transformational leadership, STEM, STEAM, assessment.

MULTICULTURAL PERSPECTIVES ON EDUCATION IN GLOBAL CONTEXTS
Keywords: minority education policy, curriculum, and pedagogy; language and culture; peace education; teacher education; school climate; post-war Japan; North/South Korea.

COMPARATIVE PERSPECTIVES ON GENDER & SEXUALITY IN EDUCATION
Keywords: gender representations in textbooks/curriculum, gender equity, rural education, sexuality education, HIV/AIDS education.

EDUCATION GOVERNANCE, FUNDING, AND PARTNERSHIPS
Keywords: governance, partnerships, democracy, education policy, higher education, educational leadership, school leadership, higher education reforms, community-based learning, community engagement.

ACCESS AND EQUITY IN EDUCATION
Keywords: shadow education, tutoring, urban slum education, out-of-school children, marginalized youth, non-formal education, access to education, indicators, academic performance.
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EDUCATION FOR SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT AND GLOBAL CITIZENSHIP

FINDING A MORAL COMPASS: GROUNDED-THEORY RESEARCH ON ETHICAL LEADERSHIP TRAINING FOR EDUCATION FOR SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT (ESD)

Presenter Amanda Holst, CIES

Link to Recording: https://youtu.be/Hn6GB7qjEZw

MONITORING EDUCATION FOR SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT AND GLOBAL CITIZENSHIP EDUCATION: A SYSTEMATIC REVIEW OF THE LITERATURE

Presenter (s) Manca Sustarsic, University of Hawaiʻi at Mānoa; Mina Chiba, Waseda University; Mark McCormick, University of Hawaiʻi at Mānoa; Melissa Goo, University of Hawaiʻi at Mānoa; Sara Perriton, University of Hawaiʻi at Mānoa; D. Brent Edwards Jr., University of Hawaiʻi at Mānoa

Link to Recording: https://youtu.be/zIJuCfPnx6I

ENGAGEMENT: BECOMING PENGUIN, CANARY AND CYBORG

Presenter (s) Anani M. Vasquez, Arizona State University

Link to Recording: https://youtu.be/hhu58HCQt5Q

A STUDY ON THE MECHANISM OF SOCIAL PARTICIPATION AND COMMUNITY-BASED ADULT LEARNING IN THE CONTEXT OF JAPAN SUPER-AGING SOCIETY

Presenter (s) Yingxue Yang

Link to Recording: https://youtu.be/CVVo3_H5L4A

REEXAMINATION OF “BEST PRACTICES” IN INCLUSIVE EDUCATION FOR CHILDREN WITH DISABILITIES: BHUTAN REVISITED

Presenter (s) Riho Sakurai, Hiroshima University

Link to Recording: https://youtu.be/hb7WilAMqBQ
TEACHERS’ PERSPECTIVES ON INCLUSIVE EDUCATION FOR STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES: EMPIRICAL STUDY IN PRIMARY SCHOOLS IN BEIJING

Presenter(s) Fangkun Shi, Waseda University
Link to Recording: https://vimeo.com/404533527

SOLIDARITY WITH WHOM AND WHY? THE MAKING OF GLOBAL, EUROPEAN AND INDIVIDUAL SUBJECTIVITIES IN SCHOOLS PROMOTING A EUROPEAN ETHOS

Presenter Simona Elena Szakacs-Behling
Link to Recording: https://youtu.be/e9Jbj8UPDbg

AN EMERGING GAP IN BECOMING A GLOBAL CITIZEN: EVIDENCE FROM SOUTH KOREA

Presenter(s) Suehye Kim, Korea University; Bomi Kim, Korea University; Sol Kim, Korea University
Link to Recording: https://youtu.be/aaA-B3GgrMY

THE TRANSFORMATION OF STUDENTS’ VALUES AFTER A GLOBAL CITIZENSHIP PROGRAM INCLUDING SHORT-TERM STUDY ABROAD AT A HIGH SCHOOL

Presenter(s) Akiko Harada, Keio Senior High School
Link to Recording: https://youtu.be/vULcOZL4xwc

AFFECTIVE SOCIAL EDUCATION: TOWARD A HOPEFUL FUTURE

Presenter(s) James Michael Brant, World Institute for Social Education Development
Link to Recording: https://youtu.be/gYklsCK8YLO
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GLOBALIZATION AND INTERNATIONALIZATION IN HIGHER EDUCATION

RETURNING SCHOLARS IN KAZAKHSTAN AND THEIR ROLE IN NEOCOLONIAL OPPRESSION IN ACADEMIA

Presenter Aliya Kuzhabekova

Link to Recording: https://youtu.be/UWmwdGHJXjc

DEPARTING FROM HYBRIDITY? UNIVERSITY GOVERNANCE IN POSTCOLONIAL HONG KONG

Presenter William Yat Wai Lo, Education University of Hong Kong

Link to Recording: https://youtu.be/EvWsbtWlrvc

(RE)CONSIDERING THE SOCIOLOGICAL CANON IN ZAMBIAN PRE-SERVICE TEACHER EDUCATION: FROM MARX, MEAD, AND MILLS TO MBUYI, MULENGA, AND MUNKOMBWE

Presenter (s) Matthew A.M. Thomas, University of Sydney; Janet Serenje-Chipindi, University of Zambia; Ferdinand Chipindi, University of Zambia

Link to Recording: https://youtu.be/DCG9srv0jRM

SCHOOL DISTRICT ADMINISTRATOR PERCEPTIONS AND HIRING PRACTICES OF TEACHERS WHO PARTICIPATED IN INTERNATIONAL STUDENT TEACHING PLACEMENTS

Presenter Ann Cancilla Gaudino, Ed.D., Millersville University

Link to Recording: https://youtu.be/xlW4xR7l1Ms

WOULD HIGH IMPACT PRACTICES HAVE HIGH IMPACTS ON INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS IN U.S. RESEARCH UNIVERSITIES?

Presenter Shinji Katsumoto

Link to Recording: https://youtu.be/mmdZ6jLdCgw

A FUTURE OF INFINITE POSSIBILITIES? INSTITUTIONAL DIFFERENCES IN CONFIGURING ASPIRATIONS AND TRANSITIONS

Presenter Jihyun Lee, UCL

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UNIVERSITY-BASED INTERNATIONAL STUDENT TEACHING: A BOURDIEUIAN ANALYSIS

**Presenter** Danielle M. Carrier, University of Georgia

Link to Recording: [https://youtu.be/cNTKCImBq6U](https://youtu.be/cNTKCImBq6U)

INTRA-EUROPEAN MOBILITY OF PHD STUDENTS: CREATING A EUROPEAN STANDARD OR PROMOTING INEQUALITY?

**Presenter (s)** Charles Mathies, University of Jyväskylä; Brendan Cantwell, Michigan State University

Link to Recording: [https://youtu.be/9DzFSOLf-ek](https://youtu.be/9DzFSOLf-ek)

GOVERNING THE DISCOURSE OF INTERNATIONALIZATION: THE ROLE OF HIGHER EDUCATION PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

**Presenter** Ryan Deuel, McGill University

Link to Recording: [https://vimeo.com/405599965](https://vimeo.com/405599965)

TRANSNATIONAL EDUCATION AND RUSSIA – PULL FACTORS OF RUSSIAN HIGHER EDUCATION IN THE POST-SOVIET SPACE AND THE EU

**Presenter** Sirke Mäkinen, University of Helsinki

Link to Recording: [https://youtu.be/v95Hfyeiw6E](https://youtu.be/v95Hfyeiw6E)

EFFECTS OF STUDY ABROAD ON CAREER: THE CASE OF GRADUATES FROM A JAPANESE UNIVERSITY

**Presenter (s)** Maki Kato, Mori Arinori Institute for Higher Education and Global Mobility, Hitotsubashi University

Link to Recording: [https://youtu.be/FyCdxftOZ0](https://youtu.be/FyCdxftOZ0)
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EQUITY AND DIVERSITY IN HIGHER EDUCATION

DO COUNTERPART SUPPORT POLICY PLAY THE ROLE IN EDUCATIONAL EQUITY AND EFFICIENT ISSUES IN CHINESE HIGHER EDUCATION?

Presenter(s) Qun Xie, UMass, Boston, Shanghai University of Electric Power; Wenfan Yan, UMass, Boston

Link to Recording: https://youtu.be/JubvDeee4K0

BEYOND GRADES AND TEST SCORES: UNDERSTANDING SCHOOL EFFECTS ON COLLEGE ACCESS THROUGH SEMANTIC ANALYSIS OF APPLICATION ESSAYS OF LATINX STUDENTS

Presenter(s) AJ Alvero, Stanford University; Anthony Antonio, Stanford University

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**Charting an SDG 4.7 Roadmap for Radical, Transformative Change in the Midst of Climate Breakdown**

The purpose of this workshop was to build off of the Brookings report and to bring together stakeholders from the fields of ESD, GCED, GE, and HR education to begin laying out a shared vision, or roadmap, for the global education sector in climate action. The aim was that this workshop would serve as a launching pad for a series of working meetings over the course of 2020 for those who express interest at the workshop to continue being engaged. The working meetings will culminate in an edited volume focused on education and climate action. Held on April 29, 2020.

Recording available on YouTube: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=gwc-GOfdKJQ

**I/We Are Earth: Embodied Compassionate Inquiry towards Earth Kinship**

The workshop took participants through a seven stage process to introduce them to the author’s methodology of polymorphous compassionate inquiry (PCI) as well as provided a first-hand experience of how an embodied critical process can inform new pedagogical paths for creatively engaging youth with the cultural, psychological, spiritual and emotional challenges associated with current ecological crises. Held on April 19, 2020.

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Social Mass Action by School Students and the Challenges for Critical Pedagogy and Education Systems
Noncedo Madubedube, Camila Cociña, Luke Shore, Dierdre Williams

This workshop focused on two case studies of Chile and South Africa to explore how a new generation of students and teachers are mobilising to hold state and non-state actors to account over education provision. It brought together a diversity of perspectives to discuss the ways in which both student and teacher unions and more informally organised movements are setting agendas and effecting change, building on examples from the Global South and the intersections with experiences of participants in the room from the US and elsewhere.
Held on April 29, 2020.

How to Ace Results in Reading and Math? Secrets you Won't Hear Elsewhere
Helen Abadzi, Aglaia Zafeirakou

The workshop aimed to train participants in the essential workings of memory and perception, with applications to reading and math, particularly for poor populations. A pre-conference course on cognitive science for international education has been offered every year since 2011. This year it focused specifically on reading and math solutions.

Unpacking the ‘Black Box’ of Fieldwork in Crisis Contexts: Beyond the Methods
Mary Mendenhall, Chris Henderson, Tejendra Pherali, Fabiana Maglio, Michelle Bellino, Sarah Dryden-Peterson, Vidur Chopra, Elizabeth Adelman, Elisheva Cohen, Danni Falk, Daniel Shephard, Jihae Cha, Christiana Kallon Kelly, Samah Al-Sabbagh

Emerging researchers (i.e. graduate students and new practitioners) rarely had the opportunity to learn, reflect, and plan for the inevitable challenges that will arise while conducting fieldwork in crisis- and conflict-affected settings. This virtual workshop, in connection with the Education, Conflict, and Emergencies SIG, unpacked the multitude of issues, dilemmas, and opportunities that researchers may face beyond the day-to-day data collection activities. These challenges include: gaining access to the field and participants, building rapport and constructive relationships with research participants (including children) and partners, mitigating ethical dilemmas, ensuring the safety of your participants, staying safe and managing personal identities across different contexts, and understanding the importance of self-care and well-being. The scenarios used in this workshop primarily benefited graduate students, though the themes/issues cut across other types of “researchers”.
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Presenter(s) Joanna Leek, PhD University of Lodz, Poland, Faculty of Educational Sciences

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**Presenter(s)** Sigrid Hartong, Helmut-Schmidt-University Hamburg; Vito Dabisch, Helmut-Schmidt-University Hamburg; Ben Mayer, DIPF Frankfurt

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Presenter(s) Xiaoqing Wang, School of Education, Huazhong University of Science & Technology

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Presenter(s) Aohua Ni, the Chinese University of Hong Kong

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Presenter(s) Moses Ngware - African Population and Health Research Center (APHRC); Maurice Mutisya - African Population and Health Research Center (APHRC); and, Patricia Kitsao-Wekulo - African Population and Health Research Center (APHRC)

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Presenter(s) Xin Xu, University of Oxford

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Presenter(s) Tammy Shel (Aboody)

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Presenter(s) Xiaoran Yu, Lehigh University; Peggy A. Kong, Lehigh University

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Presenter(s) Xiaofei Han, Institute of International and Comparative Education, Beijing Normal University

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Presenter (s) Shaimaa Moustafa, University of Massachusetts Amherst

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Presenter (s) Swetal Sindhvad, i3Development

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Presenter (s) Laura V. Sánchez-Vinctore; Aída Mencía-Ripley; Clédenin Veras; Sonia Molina; Maritza Cabrera; Carlos Ruiz-Matuk - Universidad Iberoamericana (UNIBE)

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Presenter (s) Wenxi Wu, The Chinese University of Hong Kong

MAPPING THE TERRAIN OF FORGIVENESS ATTITUDES IN MUSLIM SOCIETIES

Presenter (s) Ilham Nasser, Senior researcher, and Maryam Saroughi, Researcher, Advancing Education in Muslim Societies (AEMS) Initiative, The International Institute of Islamic Thought

INTERNATIONALIZATION PROCESS OF CHINA’S EDUCATIONAL RESEARCH: REFLECTIONS OF FOREIGN (NON-ETHNIC CHINESE) SCHOLARS

Presenter (s) Hantian Wu, East China Normal University and Mei Li, East China Normal University

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Presenter (s) YING CHEN, National Chengchi University

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Common Worlds Research Collective is an interdisciplinary network of researchers concerned with our relations with the more-than-human world. Members work across the fields of childhood studies, early childhood education, children’s and more-than-human geographies, environmental education, feminist new materialisms, and Indigenous and environmental humanities. Common worlds researchers are involved in two strands of inquiry. One strand experiments with feminist common worlds methods. The other strand features inquiries into children’s common worlds relations with place, with the material world, and with other species.

Extinction Studies Working Group is a group of humanities scholars dedicated to the future of life in this time of extinctions: “Our historical moment is one of unprecedented loss of planetary forms of life. Our research and writing is situated in a lively practice that emerges from our entanglement in these processes of loss. Four main themes inform our work: time, death, generations and extinction. Time carries the emerging richness of intergenerational life on earth. Death is the necessary counterpart to life enabling and nourishing new generations, which constitute ongoing patterns of embodied inheritance. In its current manifestation, extinction is the violent termination of these gifts of time, death and generations. Our vision for extinction studies is to engage with the profound implications of this cascade of loss.”

Composting Feminisms and Environmental Humanities is a reading group of cross-institutional, cross-disciplinary scholars exploring the traces and legacies of inclusive feminisms within the broad Environmental Humanities, and forging new linkages between the two fields.

Ensayos is a collective research practice curatorially centered on the archipelago of Tierra del Fuego and focused on extinction, human geography and coastal health. Ensayos (meaning “inquiries”, “essays” or “rehearsals” in English) focus on the ecopolitical issues impacting the archipelago and its inhabitants—past and present, human and nonhuman. In English and Spanish.

Community Economies Collective is a group of scholars committed to theorizing, representing, and enacting new visions of economy. Members of the CEC were mostly based in academic contexts in Australia, Europe, New Zealand and the US. It includes a Community Economies Research Network, which is an international network of researchers, activists, artists and others who are interested in ways of enacting new visions of economy. In particular the network is interested in the productivity of theorizing diverse economies and building more ethical economic and ecological relationships. See also Climate Action Childhood Network.

Climate Central is an independent organization of leading scientists and journalists researching and reporting the facts about our changing climate and its impact on the public.

Alliance for Climate Education is an inclusive network of young people, educators, and supporters from communities across the United States working to educate young people on the science of climate change and empower them to take action.

Resilience Alliance is a network of active researchers and leaders in the fields of social-ecological systems, resilience, adaptation, and transformation.
Resources and Networks

**Ecological Imaginings: A Mythopoetic Hub** is a space to explore and cultivate ‘ecological imagination’ in dialogue with our surrounding communities of ‘earth others’. The name for this group comes from Val Plumwood’s insistence that our survival as a species is contingent upon us cultivating an ecological imagination. This requires us to stop ‘hyper-separating’ ourselves off from nature in order to ‘master’ it, to reconceptualise ourselves as part of nature, and to refigure an ethics for living with it.

**Planetary Boundaries Research Network** aims to deepen scientific understanding of the linked social and biophysical dynamics of the Earth system. New approaches are needed to help humanity deal with the challenges of climate change and other global environmental risks.

**Australian Environmental Humanities Hub** is a central site for the gathering, dissemination and coordination of news and events in this emerging field. Universities with research/teaching in the Environmental Humanities are represented in the hub by a single contact who helps to ensure the flow of information and coordinate local activities where necessary.

**Being Lazy and Slowing Down** is website launched by a couple, Kimine Mayuzumi, PhD and Riyad A. Shahjahan, PhD (currently a CIES Board member). Their life project is to slow down the world and/or help those who want to slow down as a means to advance social change and healing.

**Global Activist Movements**

**#FridaysForFuture** is a youth led movement that began in August 2018, after 15 years old Greta Thunberg sat in front of the Swedish parliament every schoolday for three weeks, to protest against the lack of action on the climate crisis. She posted what she was doing on Instagram and Twitter and it soon went viral. The hashtags #FridaysForFuture and #Climatestrike spread and many students and adults began to protest outside of their parliaments and local city halls all over the world.

**Zero Hour** movement centers the voices of diverse youth in the conversation around climate and environmental justice. Zero Hour is a youth-led movement creating entry points, training, and resources for new young activists and organizers (and adults who support their vision) aiming to take concrete action around climate change.

**Extinction Rebellion** is an international movement that uses non-violent civil disobedience in an attempt to halt mass extinction and minimise the risk of social collapse.

**Indigenous Environmental Network** is an alliance of Indigenous peoples whose mission it is to protect the sacredness of Earth Mother from contamination and exploitation by strengthening, maintaining and respecting Indigenous teachings and natural laws.

**Sunrise Movement** unites young people across America to make climate change an urgent priority, end the corrupting influence of fossil fuel executives on our politics, and elect leaders who stand up for the health and wellbeing of all people.
CIES 2021 Conference Announcement

Please mark your calendar for the 2021 CIES conference. A brief description of the theme is on the website. More details are coming soon. CIES is planning for an onsite conference in Seattle April 25-29, 2021, along with a virtual conference, so there are multiple ways to participate. The flexibility in planning is in case the need should arise, as it did in 2020. The submission window for papers will open in August. We hope to see everyone in Seattle and/or online for CIES 2021.

As we enter the third decade of the 21st century, we see rapid changes in political, economic, environmental, cultural, and social spaces, including new non-state actors who are now more involved. These changes influence education globally and locally.

This calls for revisiting the relationships among context, actors, visions, and action, and our own collective social responsibility.

Contextual changes include the global sharing of cultural values, a refinement of neoliberal economic and political agendas, and the acceleration of environmental challenges. In addition, we recognize a narrowing of the purpose of education toward economic outcomes, particularly as they are framed discursively in policy and practice, and the prioritization of technological innovations over other forms of learning. Alongside and within these changing contextual processes, values, and conditions are new actors in the education and development arena, including corporations, corporate philanthropies, celebrities, and billionaires, and perhaps the emergence of new social movements. What are their agendas and processes? How might we revisit the various visions and agendas of all development and education actors, along with their theories of action? How do they do the work they do? How are lives consequently affected? How does social responsibility – of corporate entities, governments, development organizations, communities, and researchers – interact with these changing contexts, the growing range of actors, and evolving visions and approaches to education globally and locally?

More details coming soon!