



ESREA Newsletter

Number 3, Autumn 2017

Dear ESREA member,

Our third newsletter for 2017 arrives in tandem with Autumn here in Sweden. Like in many other parts around Europe, term has started which tend to imply a busy schedule for the most of us. However, I do hope that you'll have the time to take part in some of the manifold of ESREA activities organised across Europe for the academic year. We have an existing year ahead.

Another anticipated announcement I'd like to share with all of you is that we are soon launching a new website which we hope will facilitate locating any information desired regarding our networks, publications, conference, and other related activities.

Moreover, with the advent of the new website ESREA will also increase our presence on various social media platforms in order to disseminate information about anything ESREA related. More information about this will be included in the next newsletter.

For any inquiries, suggestions or concerns, please don't hesitate to drop me an email.

Best wishes,

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ESREA Activities

12-14 October 2017

Gender – Diversity – Intersectionality. (New) Theories and Policies in Adult Education. The ESREA Network on Gender and Adult Learning's 2017 conference. For info, See Appendix 1 or: http://www.esrea.org/conferences_and_seminars

18-20 October 2017

5th ESREA-ReNAdET conference in Tallinn. Learning Journey. Adult Educators and Social Change. For info: <https://ec.europa.eu/epale/en/node/31788>

2-4 November 2017

ESREA Access, Learning Careers and Identities Network conference: "Exploring Learning Contexts: Implications for access, learning careers and identities" University of Rennes, France. For info, see Appendix 2 or: http://www.esrea.org/conferences_and_seminars

9-11 November 2017 – extended call for papers!

Identity, Voice, Creativity, Action! The 8th conference of the ESREA Network on Education and Learning of Older Adults (ELOA). Extended deadline for abstract submission is 1 September. For info, see Appendix 3 or: http://www.esrea.org/conferences_and_seminars

1-4 March 2018

The Life History and Biography Network's 2018 conference – 'Togetherness' and its discontent, will be held in Torino, Italy. For call for papers and more info, see Appendix 4 or http://www.esrea.org/conferences_and_seminars

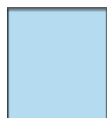
13-15 June 2018

4th Conference of the ESREA Migration, Transnationalism and Racisms Network - Building Solidarities for Anti-Racist Adult Education, will be held at the University of Edinburgh, Scotland. For call for papers see Appendix 5.

4-6 July 2018

History of Adult Education and Training in Europe ESREA Network - Pioneering Women and Men in European Adult Education (19th and early 20th Centuries), European seminar, Paris, France. For call for proposals see Appendix 6 or http://www.esrea.org/conferences_and_seminars

RELA



RELA European Journal for Research on the Education and Learning of Adults

Call for papers for a new thematic issue for RELA:

Citizenship and the Crisis of Democracy: What Role Can Adult Education Play in Matters of Public Concern?

Submission Deadline: 1 October 2017

For more info, see

http://www.rela.ep.liu.se/documents/Call_for_papers_Citizenship.pdf

RELA also invite non-thematic research papers.

More information about these calls for papers can be found at:

http://www.rela.ep.liu.se/call_for_papers.asp

Find the latest RELA issue here:

Volume 8, Issue 1, 2017

Digital the New Normal – Multiple Challenges for the Education and Learning of Adults

<http://www.rela.ep.liu.se/contents.asp?doi=10.3384/rela.2000-7426.201781>

More information on RELA can be found at:

www.rela.ep.liu.se

Conferences and Seminars

25-27 October 2017

The CONFINTEA Mid-Term Review will take place in Suwon, South Korea. It is expected to bring together around 500 participants, including some 350 international participants and our main goal is to gather particularly directors/senior decision-makers responsible for Adult Learning and Education within ministries of education or other government institutions. Please click on the following link for more information. <http://uil.unesco.org/adult-education/confintea-conference-follow-up/mid-term-review-confintea-6> (Conference website with all relevant information, such as tentative agenda, concept note and practical information)

9-10 November 2017

3rd International Conference on Communication and Education in Knowledge Society, West University of Timisoara, Romania. The proposed focus of the 2017 edition of the Conference is on the theme of *Collective capacity building (CPB)*, to address specific questions within the five main frames of the conference: communication, education, international relations, political sciences, and applied philosophy. Contact: cesc2017@e-uvf.ro, The conference webpage: cesc2017.uvf.ro. For more information see Appendix 7.

5-16 February 2018

Winter School: Comparative studies in adult education and lifelong learning
The COMPALL project invites Master and doctoral students to the *5th International Winter School on 'Comparative Studies in Adult Education and Lifelong Learning'* at the University of Würzburg, Germany. During the Winter School, international policies in adult and lifelong learning are discussed, field visits to adult and continuing education providers are arranged, and comparisons made between selected issues in the field of adult and lifelong learning. Each participant is expected to submit a transnational essay on a selected aspect of adult education and lifelong learning by mid-January. The application deadline is the 30th of September 2017. For further information please go to: <http://www.lifelonglearning.uni-wuerzburg.de/startseite/>

16-17 February 2018

Lifelong Learning Policies and Adult Education Professionals Contextual and Cross-Contextual Comparisons between Europe and Asia, will be held at Julius-Maximilian University Würzburg, Germany. For call for papers see Appendix 8.

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1-3 February 2018

'Academic Writing' — A weekend for PhD-students and Post-Docs to unfold writing effectively, Villa Ingrid, Weimar, Germany

Since publishing is of such central relevance for academic careers, we dedicate this weekend to produce good output quickly: by doing it together, in a highly activating working atmosphere, through guided writing sessions and workshops.

This tough but very rewarding workshop will be facilitated by Ingrid Scherübl and Katja Günther in English, but you can of course write in any language you want.

For more info: www.management-akademie-weimar.de/veranstaltungen-2/

Publications

ESREA book series

There are no new books published in the ESREA book series, but previously published books are available as open access through this link:

<https://www.sensepublishers.com/catalogs/bookseries/research-on-the-education-and-learning-of-adults/>

RELA articles

Find new RELA articles here: http://www.rela.ep.liu.se/pre_published.asp

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How to become a member of ESREA?

Membership in ESREA is open to individual and institutional members. As a member you will get a reduced fee at ESREA activities, information in the field of research on the education of adults through the ESREA mailing list and newsletter. As an individual member you have the right to vote at the general assembly that takes place each year (on-line through postal ballot). As an institutional member, all employees at the institution have the right to participate in the ESREA activities to a reduced fee. However, the institutional membership allows only one vote at the general assembly.

If you want to become a member the process is the following:

1. Download the document at: www.esrea.org
2. Fill out the form and e-mail it to: robert.aman@liu.se
3. Within one up to two weeks you will receive a confirmation of your membership by e-mail
4. At the same time as the membership is confirmed you will be invoiced the membership fee which for 2017 is 50 Euros for individual members (25 Euros for PhD or Edd students) and 150 Euros for institutional members. **Payment of membership fees can only be made through an international or EU bank transfer.**

Please note that cheques are not accepted.

Forthcoming newsletters

If you want some information included in forthcoming newsletters, here are the deadlines for 2017.

Number 4 2017: deadline for inclusion **1 December**

Number 1 2018: deadline for inclusion **1 February**

