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BREAKING NEWS since 2014 / 9 / 04:

* The website for the 2015 **AIESEP International Conference** is now operational: www.aiesep2015.com. Abstracts are now being accepted and details on the process can be found on the website at www.aiesep2015.com and aiesep2015@eventsgb.com. The deadline for submission is **December 31st, 2014** and all abstracts must be in English. Each submission will be evaluated through a blind review process. Authors will be notified of a decision on or near March 15th, 2015. All accepted abstracts have the potential to be published in the **AIESEP** conference abstracts book. Upon acceptance, a minimum of one author must fully attend the **AIESEP** conference and deliver the presentation according to the scheduled day and time. Should an author not comply with the requirements, the program chair or conference organizer reserves the right to remove the abstract and/or presentation from the conference schedule and/or conference book of abstracts. For more information, please contact the Madrid 2015 **AIESEP** International Conference Scientific Committee Co-Chairs: Dra. Begoña Learreta Ramos (begona.learreta@uem.es) and/or Dr. Óscar García López (oscar.garcia@uem.es).

Job Announcements

* *The University of Georgia* (USA) seeks to fill a full-time, tenure-track position at the Assistant Professor rank in the area of children's physical activity, fitness, and school health promotion for an appointment that begins in August, 2015. The complete announcement can be found at: <https://chroniclevitae.com/jobs/0000846126-01>. The successful candidate would have a (a) Doctorate in Kinesiology or closely related field (e.g., Sport Pedagogy, Teacher Education, or School Health), and (b) evidence of successful research, teaching, and potential for securing external funding. Responsibilities of the position include: (a) the teaching of undergraduate and graduate courses in the area of physical education, with a specific expertise in children's physical activity for health and well-being, (b) a focused line of research in children's physical activity for health and well-being involving undergraduate and graduate students, (c) seeking external funding for research projects and educational programs, (d) advising graduate students, and direct master's and doctoral students' thesis and dissertation research, and (e) participating in the development of the health and physical education teacher education programs and serve on department, college, and university committees.

Conferences & General Information

* Applications are invited for a PhD studentship in the School of Sport, Exercise & Health Sciences, Loughborough University, commencing January 2015. The topic of interest is in “*Pedagogy of technology in physical education: Possibility or fallacy?*” Drawing on innovative technologies and working with practitioners this studentship will examine both the many outstanding examples of how teachers have integrated technology into their lessons, and the barriers to its use that some teachers experience or perceive. The aim is to better understand what might be achieved through the use of technology in the day-to-day realities of teaching physical education. Applicants should have a good first degree in Physical Education, Sport Studies, Sport and Exercise Science (with a significant pedagogical component), or a related discipline. A Master’s degree in one of these areas is desirable. Applicants should be competent in quantitative and qualitative research methods, possess strong communication skills (both oral and written), and demonstrate a broad range of IT-related abilities. The studentship provides a stipend of £13,863 per annum plus tuition fees at the UK/EU rate for up to three years. Informal enquiries about the project should be made to Dr Ashley Casey (A.J.B.Casey@lboro.ac.uk). Information about the School of Sport, Exercise and Health Sciences and details about the application process can be found at <http://www.lboro.ac.uk/departments/ssehs/postgraduate-research/studentships.html> The closing date for applications is Friday 3 October 2014.