



**AIESEP (Association Internationale des Ecoles Supérieures d'Éducation Physique - International Association for Physical Education in Higher Education)** is a multilingual and multicultural association of universities, colleges, institutes of physical education (PE) and sport, and individuals who support and contribute to the advancement of sport pedagogy research and scholarship. For more information, see <http://aiesep.org>. The "AIESEP Flash Newsletter" aims to establish contact with people from around the world potentially interested in sport pedagogy.

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### **AIESEP News since 2017 / 8 / 14:**

\* The 2017 **AIESEP World Conference** will be held November 7-10, 2017 in Gosier, Guadeloupe (FRA) hosted by the Université des Antilles. The keynote speakers are: Peter Hastie (Auburn University, United-States): Promoting inclusion in physical education (Sub-theme 1 : Diversity in Physical Education and Sport: Opportunities and Challenges for Sport Pedagogy); Cheryl Michelle Walter (Nelson Mandela Metropolitan University, South-Africa): Lessons from South Africa: fractures in the rainbow (Sub-theme 2 : Learner Identities within Physical Education and Sport : Overtaking Inequities); Cécilia Borges (University of Montréal, Canada): Teachers Knowledge and Cultural Competencies in Teacher Education (Sub-theme 3 : Cultural Competencies in Teacher Education); Marc Theeboom (Vrij Universiteit Brussel): Some alternative facts on inclusion and sport (Sub-theme 4 : Inclusion Policies within Sport Practices). Follow this link to the webpage of the 2017 **AIESEP World Conference**, where a short abstract of each keynote is posted:

<https://aiesepguadeloupe2017.wordpress.com/keynote-speakers/>

\* The call for abstracts is now open for the **Association Internationale des Écoles Supérieures d'Éducation Physique (AIESEP) World Congress** in Edinburgh, SCO 25<sup>th</sup>-28th July 2018. The theme for the Congress is "**Creating thriving and sustainable futures.**" Please follow this link to submit an abstract where you will be required to create an account or login:- <https://aiesep2018.exordo.com/>. Abstract submissions are welcomed between 4 September, 2017 and 24th November, 2017, with proposals being submitted according to the four conference sub-themes. These are: Physical education, policy engagement and economic liberalism; Empowering practitioners and supporting professional learning; Transformative learning and teaching in physical education; Innovative perspectives on physical education, physical activity, health and wellbeing and sport. For further information on the AIESEP World Congress in Edinburgh, to keep up to date, or if you wish to contact us, please visit the website:- <http://aiesep2018.efconference.co.uk/>. We are also delighted to announce our four keynote speakers for AIESEP 2018 in Edinburgh. Prof. Mikael Quennerstedt from Orebro University (SWE), Prof. Meg Maguire from Kings College London (UK), Dr. Laura Azzarito from Teachers College Columbia University (USA), and Prof. Mustafa Levent Ince from the Middle East Technical (TUR). In honor of **AIESEP's** former President, José Maria Cagigal, and his many achievements in his life, his profession and in **AIESEP**, Prof. Mikael Quennerstedt will deliver the *Cagigal Scholar Lecture*.

\* The **AIESEP** special interest group (SIG) for early years was created in 2015 and organized already several activities. Its aim is to create an active network of researchers/academics with an interest in issues relating to early childhood education (or referred to as early years), physical activity and health, physical education and physical development. The vision of this group is for researchers, scholars, practitioners to come together within the SIG with a focus on sharing findings, generating collaborative opportunities for research together, to allow for international comparisons as well as collaborations. More information is now available on the **AIESEP** website: <http://aiesep.org/aiesep-sig-for-early-years/>

\* The **AIESEP** family continues to grow. If you wish to join **AIESEP** complete an application form via the **AIESEP** website

at <http://aiesep.org/membership/becoming-a-member/> Remember, institutional membership entitles you to discounted conference registration fees at **AIESEP** events for three members of your institution. You can keep up to date with **AIESEP** news by following us on Twitter: [www.twitter.com/aiesep](http://www.twitter.com/aiesep) (@aiesep) and on *Facebook*.

## **Position Announcements**

\* As you may know that the Department of Kinesiology at University of North Carolina-Greensboro (USA) is searching for an established scholar to strengthen our graduate education in Kinesiology in areas of curriculum and program design and evaluation, teaching and learning, or policy studies (e.g., advocacy and leadership). Primary responsibilities include maintaining a productive line of research, teaching graduate coursework, and taking a major role in mentoring graduate student scholarship in our innovative online professional Ed.D. program (<http://kin.wp.uncg.edu/edd/>). Other responsibilities include actively engaging in service activities for the department, school, university, and the profession. Candidates must have 1) an earned doctorate in Kinesiology or related field, 2) an established record of excellence in scholarship with a productive line of research, 3) successful experience in, and commitment to, mentoring graduate students in scholarly endeavors, and 4) a broad view about and knowledge of Kinesiology and its sub-disciplines. Experience in a broad range of scholarly methodologies including qualitative and mixed methods, and experience with evidence-based pedagogical practices. Experience in online pedagogy and digital literacy / technologies is also desirable. START DATE & SALARY: August, 2018; Competitive and commensurate with experience and qualifications. Log on UNCG job site (<https://jobsearch.uncg.edu>, then, click on "Tenure Stream", then type 002091 in the Position Number box) for more details in For questions, please contact Dr. Joseph Starnes (search chair, [jwstarnes@uncg.edu](mailto:jwstarnes@uncg.edu)) or Dr. Ang Chen ([a\\_chen@uncg.edu](mailto:a_chen@uncg.edu)).

## **Conferences & General Information**

\* The 15<sup>th</sup> International Sport Sciences Congress will be held November 15 - 18 in Antalya, TUR and organized by the Sport Sciences Association. As is known, individual and social functions of sport significantly attract the attention and interest of all sectors, both public and private, from education to health and economy to media. Since the increase in the level of interest and awareness on sport requires continuous review and update of the available scientific knowledge and technology and restructuring of the same according to the emerging expectations, sport sciences also allow for the increasing generation of scientific knowledge to transfer new approaches and technological innovations in different fields of science and for the share and discussion of the generated knowledge in various events. Around 1000 national and international sport scientists, managers and practitioners are expected to join the International Sport Sciences Congress. The main areas such as "Movement and Training Sciences", "Physical Education and Sport Pedagogy", "Sport Health Science", "Psycho-Social Aspects of Sport", "Sport Management Sciences" and "Recreation" under the multi-disciplinary structure of sport sciences will be discussed during the congress in the scientific symposia, panels and workshops to be organized within the context of education, health, science and social sciences data. Please see [www.sbk2017.org](http://www.sbk2017.org) for more information.

\* Researchers need to develop new ways to engage with young people in order to understand their worlds. This focus appears to be a 'hot' research topic given changes in youth culture in recent years. To address this, **UCC School of Education** are hosting a *two-day specialist symposium*, which has been part-funded by the *European Educational Research Association*. It will bring experienced academics and postgraduate researchers together to discuss issues relating to values, voice and ethics within educational research, using a design thinking approach. Our keynotes are Dr. Lee Schaefer (McGill University) and Dr. Joanne Moles (University of Limerick). **There are 50 places for this seminar.** **The closing date for registration is 29<sup>th</sup> September 2017.** Ticket prices are as follows and can be purchased through the **Eventbrite link** below: Full price: €100, Postgraduate researchers: €50, Attendees from Low GDP countries: €50 Note: We have 11 bursaries of €400 each to support attendees who are from Low GDP countries or who are postgraduate researchers. This can support flights and or accommodation costs and can be redeemed post seminar. <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/eera-two-day-seminar-research-on-youth-values-voice-and-ethics-tickets-35961661297>

\* The *Life Through Movement International Conference (LTMIC)*, presented by the Biokinetics Association of South

Africa, will be held October 4-6, 2018 at Nelson Mandela University in Port Elizabeth, SAF. Go to [www.ltmic.co.za](http://www.ltmic.co.za) for details.

\* The *VIII International Scientific Congress "Sport, People and Health"* will be held in Saint Petersburg, RUS on October 12-14, 2017. The goals of the Congress are to confront the apprehension of challenges faced by modern Olympic, Paralympic and Deaf Olympic movements; search for the ways, development and formulation of proposals to overcome the crisis in the international Olympic, Paralympic and Deaf Olympic movements; facilitating the integration of efforts applied by the international scientific society, non-governmental organizations and state agencies of various countries focused on preserving the Olympic ideals and principles, ethical values of the world sports, achieving the goals of physical, spiritual and ethical development of the society; consolidation of efforts which the international and national organizations exert to propagate the innovative projects and best practices targeted on achieving a harmonious personal development in the systems of physical training and sports, healthcare and education. For correspondence exchange with the Organizing and Scientific Committees of the Congress: [congress.spb2017@mail.ru](mailto:congress.spb2017@mail.ru), [sportcongress2017@gmail.com](mailto:sportcongress2017@gmail.com) Or visit <http://www.sport-health.ru> for details.

\* The Montenegrin Sports Academy and the Conference Organizing Committee would like to announce the upcoming 15th International Scientific Conference and 14th annual Congress of the Montenegrin Sports Academy to be held in Budva, Montenegro, 12 - 15 April 2018. The conference is focused on very current themes from all areas of sport science and sport medicine including physiology and sports medicine; social sciences & humanities; biomechanics and neuromuscular. More information can be reached on <http://csakademija.me/conference/>