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AIESEP (Association Internationale des Ecoles Supérieures d'Education 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. IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO PROMOTE YOUR EVENT, PLEASE SEND INFORMATION TO Bryan McCullick (10 lines max, in English, include email address of contact) at flash@aiesep.org

AIESEP News since 2017 / 10/ 13:

- * The call for abstracts is now open for the *Association Internationale des Écoles Supérieures d'Éducation Physique* (*AIESEP*) *World Congress* in Edinburgh, SCO 25th-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 <u>4 September, 2017 and 24th November, 2017</u>, 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, created in 2015, 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 (@aiesep) and on Facebook.

Position Announcements

* Sam Houston State University (USA) is seeking applicants for an Assistant Professor in the Department of Kinesiology. The successful candidate will be expected to teach undergraduate level courses in physical education methodology including adapted physical education and fitness education. Other courses may include motor development, motor learning, and functional kinesiology. This faculty member will be evaluated in the areas of teaching, research, and service. Additionally, the successful candidate will be expected to participate in program, departmental, college and

university activities. Lastly, the successful candidate will be expected to participate in CAEP/SHAPE America accreditation activities. An Ed.D. or Ph.D. in Kinesiology-Physical Education Teacher Education or related field is desired. ABD considered, but doctoral degree must be conferred within 1 year of hire date. For more information, please contact Natali Maness, Administrative Associate II, Department of Kinesiology, Sam Houston State University, 936-294-1398, nwd001@shsu.edu.

* The Physical Education Teacher Education (PETE) program at the *University of Wisconsin-La Crosse* (USA) announces the availability of two (2) tenure-track assistant professor PETE positions in our Department of Exercise and Sport Science and School of Education. The positions will start on August 27, 2018. See the attachment for a complete description of the positions. Please see the following link for the announcement and information about how to apply: https://employment.uwlax.edu More information about our comprehensive academic department and many undergraduate and graduate degree programs can be found at http://www.uwlax.edu/exercise-sport-science/. We are the second largest academic unit at the university, and receive excellent administrative support in all ways.

Conferences & General Information

- * The 5th International Congress of Exercise and Sport Sciences is proudly hosted by The Academic College at Wingate, in conjunction with the University of Nicosia and the Olympic Committee of Israel. It is scheduled for June 7-10, 2018 at the Academic College at the Wingate Institute, Netanya, Israel. The Congress will focus on a wide range of themes related to exercise and the sport sciences, including sports management, sports psychology, Olympic education, physiology, biomechanics, social issues in sport, public health issues, sports pedagogy, physiology of emergency forces, social issues in sport, and sport nutrition, among others. The goal of the Congress is to bring together leading professionals and researchers in the field of exercise and sport sciences, in order to stimulate discussion on the latest innovations in these areas. The Congress is held biannually to provide physical activity professionals with an opportunity to share their knowledge and experience. All interested professionals, whether individuals or associations, from around the world are encouraged to participate. The Congress program includes sessions presenting original research, panel discussions, poster presentation, and practical workshops. In these exciting encounters, researchers from almost every corner of the world engage in scientific and social dialogue over the three days of lectures, workshops, and social events. Social events include an opening banquet and a closing evening. In addition, a guided tour to a historical landmark is offered providing an opportunity for participants, especially those visiting Israel for the first time, to see the holy sites of the country. Abstract submission and registration will open shortly. https://events.eventact.com/EventsList/5sportsceince2017/General-Information
- * 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/
- * The first issue of *Diagoras: The International Academic Journal on Olympic Studies* is now available on-line at Diagoras.com or simply Google Diagoras Journal. The Journal is a collaborative initiative involving The New Zealand Centre for Olympic Studies, University of Canterbury; Deutsche Sporthochschule Koln (German Sport University Cologne) and the Centre d'Estudis Olimpics Universitat Autonoma de Barcelona. The concept was promoted and approved at the 2nd Olympic Studies and Research Centres International Colloquium in Porta Alegre, Brazil in 2016.
- * The 3rd FIEP Asia Conference on Physical Education and Sports 2018 (ACPES 2018) is organized by Tunku Abdul Rahman University College, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia. This conference which will be held to bring together a tremendous and rich diversity of speakers, researchers and, academicians from USA, UK, China, Australia, New Zealand, Poland, India, Sri Lanka, Croatia, Slovakia, Turkey, Singapore, Thailand and Malaysia. This conference provides a platform for the experts and practitioners to discuss 'Physical Education and Sports help build a Healthy Society'. The three sub-themes of 'Physical Education & Health', 'Physical Activity & Community Health' and, 'Sport & Health' provide opportunities for

all participants to share knowledge, ideas and, best practices to address the issue of unhealthy practices and behaviours in physical education, sport and exercise. This conference will bring together 23 keynote/plenary/invited speakers to provide networking and research collaboration opportunities. The Scientific Committee is accepting abstracts (200-300 words) related to the conference theme and sub-themes. Selected Abstract and their author/s will be invited to extend their work into a Full Paper (maximum 8 pages). Selected papers will be published in a supporting journal indexed in SCOPUS, and subjected to a publication fee. The deadline for abstract submission is 15 December 2017. The deadline for full paper submission is 15 February 2018. Please submit online at fiep2018editorial@tarc.edu.my .
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