

Research and debate on the teaching of Economics
«Teaching Economics in a Europe in Crisis »
20th AEEE Conference

Wednesday 27th to Friday 29th August 2014
Ecole Supérieure du Professorat et de l'Éducation (ESPE)
Université d'Aix - Marseille (France)



The 20th European Economics Education Conference is an international meeting of teachers, teacher trainers, inspectors and researchers with a professional interest in all aspects of Economics, Social Sciences and Business Education in Europe and worldwide. In **Aix-en-Provence (France)** during the **AEEE Conference 2014** on economics education you will:

- Hear some famous economists giving lectures on the economic crisis
- Explore state of the art economics which addresses contemporary economic policy problems
- Exchange research findings, ideas and concepts
- Get international points of view
- Find new ways of teaching economics
- Build teacher relations and teams on a European basis
- Build professional networks
- Learn about and share classroom experiences, good practice examples, and reports on projects

And most important: learn new things, be astonished, and be changed.

The conference venue is the “Ecole Supérieure du Professorat et de l'Education” (ESPE) - Université d'Aix-Marseille, in Aix-en-Provence, the historical capital of Provence, half an hour by bus from Marseille-Provence Airport.

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Theme

The 20th Conference builds upon Manchester (2010) and Koln (2012), where the themes also related to the prolonged international crisis. "Teaching Economics in a Europe in crisis" is the main thread of the conference in 2014, but the perspective is both distinct and complementary. In Manchester, it deals with "economy after the global crisis". In Koln the question was: "the economic crisis – catastrophe or opportunity?" This time, the question will be rather: "why has the crisis been prolonged?", and: "how has the crisis differed between and within societies?". The focus will be on the various manifestations of the crisis, its impact on both the economy and the society and the implications for different levels of education.

We welcome contributions offering a range of perspectives: economics, social sciences and business, social, environmental and sustainable development. The conference will offer the following formats: plenary lectures, round table discussions and workshops.

In all AEEE conferences there is a strong emphasis on sharing classroom experiences, pedagogy and teaching in economics, social sciences and business education among teachers from different countries in Europe and beyond. We welcome both contributions on the central theme of the crisis, but also on other current developments which are relevant to teachers of Economics working in a variety of curriculum contexts. Comparisons will be made between the European systems of teaching economics, business and other social sciences as well as on teachings on the environment and the sustainable development, but also on teachers training.

We hope to provide an opportunity to examine the contributions of various social sciences to understanding the ongoing crisis.

The languages of the conference will be English and French – translation will be provided.

For the Committee of Organization

Alain Legardez

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The Conference Location

Aix-en-Provence, a spa city, combines known eras and cultures. Open to the world, it is a city with human dimensions where live together a preserved heritage and the city of tomorrow in perfect harmony. Here, all is colors and sensations: light of the sky, golden stone facades, green transparent fountains and shade of the plane trees. Its architectural and cultural heritage is accessible to everyone. Just to walk around to discover resources of its wealth. The old town is located around the Saint Sauveur Cathedral. It was built from the 5th century. The Cours Mirabeau is the hyphen between this historical site and the new town. Welcome to Aix-en-Provence.



L'École Supérieure du Professorat et de l'Éducation (ESPE) de l'Université d'Aix-Marseille used to be IUFM (Institut Universitaire de formation des maîtres) until the recent teachers training institutional reform. The new school of teaching and Education of Aix-Marseille opened its doors since September 1, 2013. Component of the Aix-Marseille University, it offers new training for future teachers, students intending to other education and training occupations and contributes to teachers training of the Academy. Developed in conjunction with the others components of the University of Aix-Marseille, the University of Avignon and Pays de Vaucluse and the Aix-Marseille Academy master MEEF (trades education, Education and training) offers four honourable mentions: "First degree", "Second degree", 'Educational framework' and 'practices and engineering training'. The ESPE is also four studying sites in Avignon, Digne-les-Bains, Aix en Provence and Marseille.

For your accommodations:

Student residence : We provide student residence "les Gazelles" in Aix en Provence for 50€ (2 nights with breakfast); you will find more informations following the link below: www.crous-aix-marseille.fr/logement/cites-et-residences-universitaires/aix-en-provence/residence-les-gazelles

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PROGRAMME

Wednesday 27th August

9. – 10 Reception, welcome and conference opening
10. -12.30 Introductory lecture (1) «*Crisis in Europe and possible exit routes. Alternative perspectives*»
12.30 – 14 Lunch
14. – 16. Introductory lecture (2) «*Crisis in Europe and possible exit routes. Alternative perspectives*»
16. – 16.30 Break
16.30 - 18. Workshops (1): On the crisis in Europe: works and experiences of teaching
18 Aix-en-Provence visit

Thursday 28th August

- 8.30 – 10.30 Round table (1)
«*Crisis and combating crisis: many acute questions in economics and other social studies* »
10.30 – 11. Break
11. – 13. Round table (2)
«*How to teach in time of crisis? Which educational and didactic strategies should teachers employ?*»
13. – 14.30 Lunch
14.30 – 18. Workshops (2): On Economics and Business education: teaching strategies, experiences
18. Evening (convivial dinner)

Friday 29th August

- 8.30-10.30 Round table (3): «*International comparison of Economics teaching and teacher training* »
10.30 – 11. Break
11. – 12.30 Workshops (3): On current practices
12.30 Lunch
14. – 16 Round table (4): «*What is the future of Economics culture in Europe?*»
16. – 16.30 Assessment and perspectives
16. 30 Marseille Visit (free registration)

NB: Breaks and lunches will be taken at the Cafeteria of the ESPE

Proposals for workshops

1. Educational tools, didactics, evaluation (research and practice)
2. Teaching in time of crisis in Europe in all its dimensions and the plurality of interpretations
3. Economics teaching and the teachers training
4. Contexts: Economics, Business Studies and Social Studies
5. Exhibition and mediations on economy
6. Education on the environment and sustainable development
7. Comparison of Economics teaching in school and university
8. Comparative curricula
9. Exhibition of posters and demonstration of resource sharing
10. Others: Teaching of different economic themes, interactive workshops...

Presenters: If you would like to contribute as a presenter, workshop organizer or by writing a position paper to inform the focus group, then please send an abstract (500 words in English or French) to the Scientific Committee headed by Alain LEGARDEZ (alain.legardez@univ-amu.fr), Steve HURD (s.j.hurd@btinternet.com) and to Cyril CORNANO (cyril.cornano@univ-amu.fr)

NB: Abstracts should be submitted by March 31st, 2014.

Conference Organizers

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Association of European Economics Education (AEEE), Association des enseignants de sciences économiques et sociales (APSES), Association des enseignants d'Economie-Gestion (APEG)

Universities:

Université d'Aix-Marseille (AMU) : Ecole supérieure du Professorat et de l'Education (ESPE), Economics and business department, ADEF -research department

ENFA- Université de Toulouse

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JSSE : Call for Papers 2/2015 - Teaching Economics in a Europe in Crisis

The deadline for the submission of papers for the JSSE Issue is October 1st 2014. After an anonymous review procedure the selected papers should be published in the special issue "Teaching Economics in a Europe in Crisis" of the Journal of Social Science Education JSSE 2-2015. The contributions presenting economic and business education in different countries as good practice, case studies or country reports are highly welcome for the rubrics without the anonymous review process, if they are interesting and understandable for an international audience. The special issue will be edited by Alain Legardez, Jean Simonneaux, Jürgen Schlösser and Birgit Weber. Papers for the Journal should not exceed 12-15 pages (max. 70.000 signs, blanks incl.). Please note that the JSSE does not accept papers published elsewhere.

For more details see www.jsse.org/info/authors-reviewers/author-instructions For submission please use the JSSE login www.jsse.org/index.php/jsse/login respectively ask info@jsse.org.

Financial Assistance

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http://ec.europa.eu/represent_en.htm

Details of the EC support scheme for attending courses and conferences can be found at:

<http://ec.europa.eu/education/trainingdatabase> If you apply for assistance you will be required to send a copy of this conference program and indicate the course fee, the cost of accommodation and the cost of travel.

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