

## EERA: Networks

The academic work of EERA and especially the ECER conference is organised in networks. They are either discipline oriented or focus on certain research themes within educational research. Currently there are 25 networks linked to the ECER main conference plus the Emerging Researchers? Group (ERG). The ERG organises the annual Emerging Researchers? Conference and seeks to facilitate the integration of emerging researchers into one of the EERA networks.

### **1. Continuing Professional Development: Learning for Individuals, Leaders, and Organisations**

**Keywords:** teacher professional development; leadership development; school/organisation development; workplace cultures; mentors and mentoring; teacher leadership; teacher knowledge (implicit and explicit).

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### **2. Vocational Education and Training (VETNET)**

**Keywords:** VET-related policies; Comparisons of VET systems and cultures; Practice based learning in VET; learning designs in VET; New learning designs and new media in VET; Curricular innovations in VET.

[2. Vocational Education and Training \(VETNET\) read more](#)

### **3. Curriculum Innovation by Schools and Teachers**

**Keywords:** curriculum policy; curriculum design/development; educational change; curriculum implementation; professional development; school development; textbook development.

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### **4. Inclusive Education**

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### **5. Children and Youth at Risk and Urban Education**

**Keywords:** Urban education; children, youth and schools at risk; preventing dropout and improving results for children and youth; interprofessional collaboration; partnerships in education; effective educational and youth policy.

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### **6. Open Learning: Media, Environments and Cultures**

**Keywords:** Media education, open learning, media cultures, converging media, multimodality in teaching, distance education.

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### **7. Social Justice and Intercultural Education**

**Keywords:** Social justice; intercultural education; identity related to asymmetric power relations between social groups; voices of minorities and marginalized people; contextualized educational research.

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## **8. Research on Health Education**

**Keywords:** schools; learning; competence-development; health-promotion; participation; health and well being; education; equalities and health.

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## **9. Assessment, Evaluation, Testing and Measurement**

**Keywords:** Assessment; evaluation; testing; measurement; system monitoring; assessment quality; impact on policy and practice.

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## **10. Teacher Education Research**

**Keywords:** Initial teacher education; professional development; teacher induction; teacher qualification; pedagogical approaches; teacher educator identity; research capacity building.

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## **11. Educational Effectiveness and Quality Assurance**

**Keywords:** quality approaches; quality models; educational effectiveness; quality predictors; quality indicators; quality certification; quality of impact; quality of systems; quality of institutions; quality of processes.

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## **12. LISnet - Library and Information Science Network**

**Keywords:** library and information sciences; knowledge organisation; information literacy; scholarly communication; digital/virtual libraries.

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## **13. Philosophy of Education**

**Keywords:** Ethical, political, aesthetic and epistemological dimensions of Educational Theory; philosophical issues connected to educational practice, educational policy, educational research; formal and informal education and upbringing; different philosophical, theoretical schools or cultural traditions.

[13. Philosophy of Education read more](#)

## **14. Communities, families, and schooling in educational research**

**Keywords:** Rural schooling; urban schooling; place based and place conscious education; educational trajectories and transitions; school-family-community links; parental and familial involvement in schools.

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## **15. Research on Partnerships in Education**

**Keywords:** Partnership; collaborative work; cooperation; collaborative practitioner research; network experience.

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## 16. ICT in Education and Training

**keywords:** ICT-based education; learning and training; ICT-based instruction; ICT-based innovation; ICT-based assessment; evaluation research.

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## 17. Histories of Education

**Keywords:** history; visual; space; educational reform; educational sciences; diversity; schooling.

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## 18. Research in Sport Pedagogy

**Keywords:** Sport; physical activity; pedagogy; sport policy; health and wellbeing; personal and social development; teachers and coaches.

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## 19. Ethnography

**Keywords:** Ethnography; narrative; fieldwork; representation; observation; life-history; action research.

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## 20. Research in Innovative Intercultural Learning Environments

**Keywords:** Innovative strategies for intercultural teaching and its learning; Intercultural discourses and the role of inclusive and intercultural education; Local identities and European citizenship.

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## 22. Research in Higher Education

**Keywords:** academic work; employability; governance; higher education; learning; policy; teaching.

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## 23. Policy Studies and Politics of Education

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## 24. Mathematics Education Research

**Keywords:** Children's learning of mathematics; Theoretical perspectives in mathematics education research; Mathematics teacher knowledge in/for teaching and teacher learning/professional development; Assessment in mathematics education; Affect in mathematics education; Technology and tools in mathematics education; Special educational needs in mathematics education; Mathematics curriculum; Comparative and international studies in mathematics education.

[24. Mathematics Education Research read more](#)

## 25. Research on Children's Rights in Education

**Keywords:** UN Convention on the Rights of the Child; children's rights; children as citizens; educational contexts and children's rights; childhood and rights; children's voice; children's participation.

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## 26. Educational Leadership

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## 27. Didactics - Learning and Teaching

**Keywords:** Didactics; Teaching; Learning; Didactical Research; Applied Research; Interdisciplinarity; Educational Work.

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## 28. Sociologies of Education

**Keywords:** Sociology; Europe; Knowledge; Learning; Mobility; Actor-Networks; Post-national; Comparison; Governing; Translation.

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## Emerging Researchers

- [Emerging Researchers' Group \(former Postgraduate Network\)](#)