

# WORLD FEDERATION OF ASSOCIATIONS FOR TEACHER EDUCATION (WFATE)

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## Fourth Biennial International Conference Innovation in Teacher Education within a Global Context

Barcelona, from 21st to 23rd April 2016



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# INNOVATION IN TEACHER EDUCATION WITHIN A GLOBAL CONTEXT

Teacher Education must target 21st century skills and even go beyond them to address the needs of knowledge society. WFATE with this conference is making an international effort to build educational and cultural capacity for innovation at all educational and socioeconomic levels. Its main objective is to increase the talent supply for innovation and knowledge creation, in order to make a place for everyone in a knowledge society.

UNESCO in Incheon Declaration (Republic of Korea, May 2015) express that 2015-2030 will be a journey towards inclusive and equitable quality education and lifelong learning for all and WFATE share this vision through rethinking teacher education

This conference is looking for a response to the major world education indicators, which point to a necessary transformation and change. We want to seek rapid strategies in fighting for education innovation and development in teacher education. We encourage knowledge building basic capacities development by integrating knowledge education, information technology and communication. We emphasise health/ wellness of all children and students as essential for overall development of the whole child in schools. This conference would enhance local, regional and global networks for educational design, jointly with the community culture and education planning development to provide sustainability for teacher education development projects.

## Subthemes

### 1. Multiculturalism and Multilingualism

Chairs: Jane McCarthy, Martí Teixidó, Mònica Pereña, Llorenç Comajuan

### 2. Technology and Mobile Learning for pedagogical Innovations in Teacher Education

Chairs: Paul Resta, Miroslava Cernochova, Davide Parmigiani, Christian Perreault, Pere Marqués, Ferran Ruiz

### 3. International-local Teacher Education networking for Knowledge Building innovation

Chairs: Thérèse Laferrière, Mireia Montané, Javier Valle, Eva Liesa

### 4. Teacher Education Curriculum and School Curriculum

Chairs: Ann Shelly, Sally Wan, Antoni Tort, Anna Pagès, Enric Prats

### 5. School-University-Educational Administrations Partnerships for Creative Initiatives in Teacher Education

Chairs: Maxine Cooper, Frances van Tassel, Kay Livingston, Anna Maria de Monserrat, Neus Lorenzo

### 6. A distributed leadership for school' innovation management

Chairs: Christine Hamel, Esmahan Agaoglu, Elijah Omwenga, Xavier Chavarria, Jordi Riera

### 7. Monitoring and evaluating innovations in Teacher Education

Chairs: Joan Mateo, Nancy Law, Alejandro Tiana, Carme Amorós, Antoni Sans, Francesc Martínez

### 8. Change for innovation in Teacher Education

Chairs: Joana Salazar, James Alouf, Patrick Lam, Joan Manuel del Pozo, Miquel Martínez, Joan Rué

### 9. Initial and Ongoing Teacher Education for Innovation

Chairs: Asa Molberg, Radka Wildova, Joan Gumbert, Núria Vivancos

### 10. Health, Physical/Sport Education and Physical Arts Education (including circus and theater school education, in relation with music, dance and visual arts)

Chairs: Paul Paese, Ian Scott Owens, Marc Franco, Luis Marqués Molías, Albert Batalla

### 11. Supporting STEM Education Through Teacher Preparation and Professional Development

Chairs: Leslie Huling, Virginia Resta, Claudi Alsina, Laurinda Leite, Anna Maria Geli, Xavier Juan

### 12. Strategies for overcoming inertia in Teacher Education

Chairs: Elsa C. Price, Elizabeth Oldham, Carme Panchón, Jesús Manso

### 13. Disability Studies, Inclusion and Social Justice in Teacher Education

Chairs: Jenene Burke, Chandrika Devarakonda, György Mészáros, Monique Leygraf, Josep M. Sanahuja

### 14. Innovation in Teacher Training for Early Childhood Education

Chairs: Carme Àngel, Montserrat Anton, Silvia Blanch, Cristina Corcoll, Mequè Edo

### 15. Social Sciences Teacher Education for a New Era

Chair: Joaquim Prats, Joan Santacana, Alain Blomart, Francesc Codina

# Programme

## Wednesday, 20th April

9 am - 2 pm: Visits to primary and secondary schools.  
Departure, Plaça Catalunya  
2 pm - 3 pm: Free lunch time  
3 pm - 6 pm: WFATE Directorate meeting  
Venue: CDL, Rambla Catalunya, 8

## Thursday, 21st April

9 am - 1 pm:  
Design Charrette for Innovation in Teacher Education:  
a time-limited multiparty design event organized to generate a collaboratively produced plan to look for the most innovative ideas to be improved and disseminated during the Conference

Participants: members of the Scientific Committee and the Organizing Committee, the subthemes' chairs, plus experts in each strand  
Venue: CDL, Rambla Catalunya, 8

### For all participants

10 am - 1 pm: Registration.  
Venue: CDL, Rambla Catalunya, 8  
Visit to the 21st Century Classroom, Faculty of Psychology, Sciences of Education and Sport, Blanquerna, University Ramon Llull, Císter, 34, Barcelona.

Free Lunch time

Afternoon venue  
Paranimf or Grand Hall of the University of Barcelona  
Gran Via de les Corts Catalanes, 585, 08007-Barcelona

4 pm: Official Opening Session  
5 pm: Plenary session I  
7 pm: Group Photo  
Free dinner time

## Friday, 22nd April

All sessions venue: University of Barcelona, Gran Via de les Corts Catalanes, 585, 08007-Barcelona

8 am - 9 am: Registration  
9 am - 11 am: Parallel sessions I  
11 am: Coffee  
11.30 am: Plenary session II  
2 pm: Lunch  
3.30 pm - 5.30 pm: Parallel sessions II  
5.30 pm - 6.30 pm: **Round table session. Digital Equality. Open free session; previous registration needed**  
Chairs: Paul Resta, Thérèse Laferrière, Robert McLaughlin, Jordi Vivancos.  
8 pm: Gala dinner. Restaurant 1881. Museu de Història de Catalunya. Palau de Mar, Plaça de Pau Vila, 3

## Saturday, 23rd April

All sessions venue: SCP-IEC, Carrer del Carme, 47 (Raval Quater, near Rambles)

8 am - 9 am: Registration  
9-10: Parallel sessions III  
10-11 am: Poster session  
11 am: Coffee  
11:30-1:30 pm: Plenary session III  
1:30 pm-2:30 pm: Closing session  
2:30 pm: Lunch and farewell  
4 pm: St. George's Day: A walk through the Rambla to see books and roses

## Sunday 24th April 2016

**Postconference tours.** 3 options: 1. Barcelona tour. Departure at 9 am from Plaça Catalunya; 2. Montserrat visit. Departure at 9 am from Sants Estació; 3. Dalí Museum, Figueres, and visit to Girona city. Departure at 9 am from Plaça Catalunya



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## REGISTRATION

### Online registration

WFATE website (for WFATE, ATE, ATEE, Ate Africa members and non-members) : [www.wordfate.org](http://www.wordfate.org)

CDL website for local Catalan-Spanish participants:

[www.cdl.cat](http://www.cdl.cat)

Until 15th April 2016

### Regular fees

WFATE members: 250 €; non-members: 300 €

Student's teachers: 200 €; retired professors and teachers: 200 €

(These fees include 2 lunches, coffees and the gala dinner; they do not include complementary activities, transport or accommodation)

CDL and IEC members (Catalonia, Spain): 120 €; non-members: 160 € (gala dinner not included)

## INFORMATION (ACCOMMODATION AND PRACTICALITIES)

[www.worldwfate.org](http://www.worldwfate.org); [www.atee1.org](http://www.atee1.org); [www.ate1.org](http://www.ate1.org);

[www.atea.edu.au](http://www.atea.edu.au), [www.cdl.cat](http://www.cdl.cat), [www.iec.cat](http://www.iec.cat)

## PAPERS PRESENTATION DEADLINES

### Call for abstracts

From 22nd December to 29th February 2016. Acceptance of abstracts: from 29th February to 15 March 2016

**Full Papers:** 31st March 2016

**LANGUAGE:** English