

# Athens Institute for Education and Research

2<sup>nd</sup> Annual International Conference on Interdisciplinary Studies  
12-15 June 2017, Athens, Greece

*Provisional List of Papers Accepted and Registered to be Presented (Listed by Presenter's Surname) and Other Attendees*

Note: This list includes only those who have registered for the conference (i.e. those who have paid the registration fee). It does not include those who have received an acceptance letter but who have not yet sent in their registration form. The list will be updated weekly. Date of this list: 7 June 2017

1. Alissa Abramov, PhD Student, Bar-Ilan University, Israel. A Junction between Identities: Caucasian Jews in Israel.
2. \*Henry Allen, Professor, Wheaton College, USA. Scientific Literacy and the Future of Ethnic Minority Groups in the United States: The Unfinished Civil Rights Movement. (Tuesday)
3. Ilksoy Aslim, Assistant Professor, European University of Lefke, Cyprus. Can Energy Sources in the Eastern Mediterranean be Contributor to Solve the Problems in Cyprus, Turkey and Israel Triangle?
4. Dragana Avramov, Director, Population and Social Policy Consultants (PSPC), Belgium & Robert Cliquet, Emeritus Professor, Ghent University, Belgium. The Impact of Global Developmental Objectives on the Future Demographic Goal Setting of Humanity.
5. Esengul Ayaz Avan, Lecturer, Hacettepe University, Turkey. Differences between Turkey-EU Security Perceptions in Turkey's Lost Decade. (Monday or Tuesday, morning session)
6. Jihey Bae, Assistant Professor, J. F. Oberlin University, Japan. The Effect of Parents' Educational Expectations on Ideal Family Size.
7. \*Keshav Bhattarai, Professor, University of Central Missouri, USA. Nexus among Demography, Caste/Ethnicity, Federalism, Food Security and Environmental Conditions in Nepal.
8. \*Barry Cannon, Lecturer, Maynooth University, Ireland. We Need to Talk about Populism! Interrogating Populism's Conceptual Utility in a Context of Crisis.
9. Timothy G. Cashman, Associate Professor, University of Texas at El Paso, USA. Promoting a Transnational Dialogue between Cuba and the United States: Lessons to be Learned from the Cuban Educational System.
10. \*Indrani Chattopadhyaya, Reader, University of Delhi, India. On Human Mobility: A Study of Prehistoric Hunter-Gatherers' Mobility Pattern between Ganga Valley and central India.
11. \*Umesh Chandra Chattopadhyaya, Professor, University of Allahabad, India. Symbolic Archaeology of Sacred Shrines of Greater India.
12. \*Adelaide Chichorro Ferreira, Professor, University of Coimbra, Portugal. Cross-Topic Politics, Academic Specialization and the neo-Apartheid Society.
13. Charalampos Dantis, PhD Student, Catholic University of Louvain, Belgium & Ester Rizzi, Professor, Catholic University of Louvain, Belgium. Employment Uncertainty, Gender Inequality and First Birth in Greece.
14. Kathlen Luana de Oliveira, Professor, Federal Institution of Education, Science and Technology of Rio Grande do Sul (IFRS), Brazil. The Disappearance of "Biographies": About Memory and Violence in Hannah Arendt's Thinking.
15. \*Philipp Deschermeier, Economist, Cologne Institute for Economic Research, Germany. The Influence of Immigration on Demographic Developments in Germany.

16. Jarema Drozdowicz, Adjunct Professor, Adam Mickiewicz University in Poznań, Poland. Anthropology of Education and the Understanding of Cultural Diversity.
17. Piet Erasmus, Research Fellow, University of the Free State, South Africa. War and the Revitalisation of Korana Identity.
18. Paul Erdkamp, Professor, Vrije Universiteit Brussel, Belgium. Malthus or Climate? Zooming in on Demographic and Economic Decline in the Roman Empire.
19. \*Faustina Asha Francis, Postgraduate Student, National Institute of Education, Singapore. Student Perceptions of using GoogleDocs in the Grade 9 Writing Classroom.
20. \*Deon Geldenhuys, Professor, University of Johannesburg, South Africa. ISIS: A Contested State of a Special Kind.
21. \*Carl David Goette-Luciak, Graduate Student, University of Virginia, USA. Cultural Solidarity, Survival, and Schismogenesis: Indigenous Responses to Territorial Transformations in Bangkukuk Taik.
22. Aneta Hlavsova, PhD Student, University of Economics, Czech Republic & Kristyna Tamchynova, PhD Student, University of Economics, Czech Republic. Is Turkey Becoming the New Saudi Arabia in the US-Middle Eastern Relations? (Tuesday)
23. Irina Kazusa, Lecturer, Riga Stradins University, Latvia. Use of Critical Thinking Methods in Information Analysis in Medical Chemistry Course.
24. \*Gangadaran Khaanchennah, Postgraduate Student, Nanyang Technological University / National Institute of Education, Singapore. A Case Study of the Writing Difficulties of Grade Four Tamil Students in Singapore.
25. Damon Major, MSc Student, 4Cities, Belgium. Constructing the Defensible City: A Case Study of Istanbul.
26. \*David Makofsky, Research Professor, Ethnic Minorities Studies Center of China, China, Bayram Unal, Professor, Nigde University, Turkey & Maimaitijiang Abudugayiti, Graduate Student, Ankara University, Turkey. Social Class and Islamic Identity: Chinese Uyghur Students and Working Class in Turkey.
27. Adilson Marques da Cunha, Professor, Federal Institute for Education, Science, and Technology of São Paulo, Brazil, Luciana Brasil Rebelo dos Santos, Professor, Federal Institute for Education, Science, and Technology of São Paulo, Brazil, Renan Cavichi de Freitas, Professor, Federal Institute for Education, Science, and Technology of São Paulo, Brazil, Luiz Antônio Rodrigues Júnior, Professor, Federal Institute for Education, Science, and Technology of São Paulo, Brazil & Lucas Venezian Povoá, Professor, Federal Institute for Education, Science, and Technology of São Paulo, Brazil. Teaching web Programming based on Interdisciplinary Projects: An Experience Report.
28. Masakazu Matsumoto, Associate Professor, Kansai University, Japan. Ethics in Asymmetric Warfare: Why War Conventions Are Regularly Violated?
29. \*Nokubonga Mazibuko-Ngidi, Lecturer, Sol Plaatje University, South Africa. [A Woman is as Good as her Cookie: Perceptions about the 'Taste' and Appearance of the Vagina amongst Women who use Ntsu \(snuff\) as a Vaginal Sexual Stimulant.](#)
30. Zsuzsanna Mikecz Munday, Assistant Professor, American University of Sharjah, UAE. Business Communication Needs: Graduates' Perspective in the UAE.
31. \*Robert Christopher Morgan, Chair, Department of Pacific and Asian Studies, University of Victoria, Canada. Indigenous Ecumenes as Concept and Method for Anthropology.
32. Anna Prashizky, Lecturer, Western Galilee Academic College, Israel. Celebrating Memory and Belonging of Young Russian Immigrants in Urban Space.
33. David Ratner, Director of Applied Research, National Authority of Measurement and Evaluation in Education, Israel. Rap, Reggae and "The Stroller": Music and Identity among Israeli Youngsters of Ethiopian Origins.
34. Iuri Andreas Reblin, Professor, Faculdades EST, Brazil. From Daughter of Clay to Daughter of Zeus: Representations of Feminism through the Times since a Look into Wonder Woman' Stories.
35. Kamala Robson, Associate Professor, Lady Doak College, India. Fertility Differentials in Madurai District. (Tuesday)
36. Sergey Ryazantsev, Head of the Center for Social Demography, Institute of Socio-Political Research of the Russian Academy of Sciences, Russia. Russian-Speaking Economy as a Mechanism of Integration of Migrants from Russia into the Host Society (on example of the USA). (Tuesday)

37. \*Johannes Schroeder, Professor, Heidelberg University Hospital, Germany. Does the Prevalence of MCI Decline? Evidence from a Prospective, Population-based Longitudinal Study with a Follow-up of 25 Years.
38. \*Rachel Sharaby, Professor, Ashkelon Academic College, Israel. When Tradition Meets Modernity in an Immigrants' Ethnic Celebration. (Monday afternoon or Tuesday morning)
39. Changcheng Song, Assistant Professor, National University of Singapore, Singapore. Incentives, Contract Design and Pension Contribution: Evidence from Sri Lanka.
40. Victor S. Pena, Research Professor, El Colegio de Sonora, Mexico. Flatliners: Why the Work against Corruption is not Observed in International Indexes? Thoughts from Latin America.
41. \*L. Jan Reid, President, Coast Economic Consulting, USA. Has the BREXIT Vote Affected the United Kingdom's Largest Trading Partners?
42. \*Yolanda Sadie, Professor, University of Johannesburg, South Africa. A Unique Brand of Populism in South Africa?
43. Felipe Schwember, Professor, Universidad Adolfo Ibáñez, Chile & Julia Urabayen, Professor, Universidad de Navarra, Spain. Utopia, Indigenism and Communitarian Politics in Latin America from Vasco de Quiroga until Zibechi: A Synoptic Approach.
44. Henry Wambui, Professor, University of Central Missouri, USA. A Comparative Look at Institutional Mechanisms for Combating Corruption in Africa.
45. Siqin Wang, PhD Candidate, The University of Queensland, Australia, Yan Liu, Associate Professor, The University of Queensland, Australia, Jonathan Corcoran, Professor, The University of Queensland, Australia & Thomas Sigler, Senior Lecturer, The University of Queensland, Australia. Characteristics, Ethnic Diversity, and Residential Segregation of Chinese Subgroups in Australia.
46. Zhaoxin Wang, Graduate Student, Chonnam National University, South Korea & Sangjoon Lee, Professor, Chonnam National University, South Korea. Factors that Influence the Sharing Intention in Vehicle Sharing Economy. (Monday)
47. \*Adel Zaghera, Professor, Doha Institute for Graduate Studies / Birzeit University, Qatar / Palestine. Demographic Dividend: How to Capitalize on Demographic dividend in Palestine?