

CALL FOR PAPERS

Fourteenth Annual CiCe Network Conference
Eighth CitizED Conference
First Creating Citizenship Communities Conference

Creating Communities: Local, National and Global



**University of York, England,
24 -26 May 2012**

This joint conference brings together the Children's Identity and Citizenship in Europe Academic Network, (CiCe) a European network of academics and professionals funded by European Commission, with two other significant groups in the field of citizenship education: CitizED, a global network of academics and the project team of the Esmée Fairbairn funded initiative 'Creating Citizenship Communities'.

Main Conference Aims

The conference has focus on citizenship and identity with particular respect to community building. It aims to bring together staff involved in the education of pre- and in-service professionals who work with children and young people. Papers at the conference will range from research findings, theoretical discussions to analysis of practice. We welcome all lecturers and researchers in universities and other higher education institutions with an interest in our themes, as well as those in NGOs, schools and policy fields.

Research Student Conference

We will be preceding the Main Conference with our Seventh Research Student Conference, on 23-24 May. This is a comprehensive and exciting training package for PhD students and will include doctoral training sessions and the opportunity for research students to present papers to a smaller audience. Please see the CiCe website: <http://cice.londonmet.ac.uk/> for further information.

Conference General Information

Location

The conference is being held at the National Science Learning Centre, University of York, England. The university campus is located a short bus journey from York city. Please visit the University of York website for travel information to and from campus: <http://www.york.ac.uk/np/maps/>.

Travel and Accommodation

York is easily accessible by train from London and several airlines serve a number of regional airports located nearby. For details see <http://www.yorkshire.com/tourist-information/transport/getting-from-overseas>

Please note that you are responsible for making your own travel arrangements to/from York and for booking your own accommodation. The conference office is unable to offer travel advice.

For information on York, including a range of accommodation options, please visit: <http://www.visit-york.org/>

For details on the Yorkshire area, well worth exploring if you have the time, please go to: <http://www.yorkshire.com/destinations/york/york>

Conference registration

The Conference will take place from the 24th to the 26th of May 2012. The conference will start at 14:00 on the Thursday, 24th of May (registration from 11.30) and it will finish at 12:00 on Saturday 26th of May, followed by the farewell lunch at 13:00. The registration desk will be open from 11.30-13.30 on Thursday; you will not be able to register before this time. The registration desk will be located in the National Science Learning Centre. Your badge and printed conference programme will be ready for collection there.



The National Science Learning Centre, is an £11 million purpose-built, state of the art facility, situated on the campus, at the University of York. The Centre features multiple teaching rooms and a 291 seat auditorium. It hosts the National STEM Centre, a resource area holding collections for science, design and technology, engineering and maths teaching.

The conference is supported by:



Proposals for the Main Conference

Conference Themes

In recent decades educational, vocational and citizenship-building programmes have come to prominence in policy and practice. Continued political, economic and social flux with complex migration and population patterns; economic insecurity; and, emerging and existing ethnic, religious, linguistic, cultural, political and social identities, all contribute to present and future uncertainties and the perceived need to strengthen community development. Within this, quality education and training, that envisages sustainable and socially cohesive societies from local to global scales, has a central role to play. How we prepare and involve professionals and the young people that they work with in the processes of community building is the theme of this conference.

Proposals

Proposals are invited on the theme of the role of education in community building as well as those related to citizenship and identity formation. We welcome proposals for papers, posters, symposia, and workshops.

Papers are either presented as a standard presentation, for which you will have 20 minutes to present and answer questions; or, presented alongside similarly themed papers as part of a **round table discussion**. There is only limited space available for presentations and the Scientific Conference Committee will decide on the presentation format. All papers are eligible for publication in the Conference Proceedings.

We ask you to send a draft of your paper (not more than 4,000 words) by 28 April. This will be available for delegates to download and read before they arrive, and you will be able to edit it after the conference before it is published. After the conference you will be asked to submit the final version of your paper (maximum 4,000 words) to be published in the Conference Proceedings.

Symposia will group at least three linked papers, presented by a group together. The same rules apply as for papers (4,000 words etc), but you will provide your own chairperson and your time will be limited to one conference session. Therefore, if there are many papers in a symposium then each paper will have less than 20 minutes. Symposium papers are normally presented grouped together in the Conference Proceedings.

Workshops are interactive sessions lasting 60-90 minutes, in which participants are doing more than answering questions! You will normally need to limit the maximum number of people who might be able to participate. You may wish to provide a written account of your workshop for the Conference Proceedings, in the form of an article of 4,000 words (maximum).

Posters proposals afford an opportunity to mount a standard poster (A1 size), explaining some research, ideas or expressions. You will have opportunity to stand by your poster and discuss it with members of the conference during a timetabled poster session. A paper based on the poster may be submitted for publication in the Conference Proceedings.

How to send your proposal

Proposals MUST be submitted via the proposal link on the CiCe website. We cannot accept proposals that are submitted by any other means:

http://cice.londonmet.ac.uk/conferences/main/main_home.cfm.

Booking a place at the Conference

Bookings MUST be made via the conference booking link the CiCe website. We cannot accept bookings that are submitted by any other means:

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*You can delay booking your place at the conference until after you receive notification of acceptance of your proposal. Please note that receiving an email with the acceptance of your proposal does not mean that we have automatically booked a place at the conference; **you will still need to make a booking** using the form above to be able to attend the conference.*

Conference Timetable

Date	Time	Session
Thursday 24 May	13:45-15:30	Opening plenary session Welcome and Keynote Lecture
	16:00-17:20	Student presentations
	17:30-19:00	Parallel sessions
	19:15	Parallel sessions Conference reception
Friday 25 May	09:00-10:20	CiCeA AGA
	10:30-11:20	Parallel sessions
	11:40-13:00	Parallel sessions
	14:00-15:10	Poster session
	15:10-17:00	Plenary session and Keynote Lecture
	20:00	Conference dinner
Saturday 26 May	09:00-10:00	CTL Editorial Board
	10:20-11:20	Parallel sessions
	11:40-13:00	Closing plenary and Keynote Lecture

This is a provisional timetable, please check the website for updates, including details of the Keynote lectures and other conference events.

Other events:

Please note that the conference dinner **is not included** in the conference fee and needs to be booked and paid for separately; please see the Conference delegate page for details.

A guided walk of York is being organised on Saturday afternoon. For details contact the CiCe office.

The CiCe Association (CiCea) organises school visits during the conference for its members, please contact the CiCea office on cicea@londonmet.ac.uk for further information.

Conference Booking Fees

The Conference fee includes attendance to all sessions, a conference pack, the Conference Reception on Thursday evening, lunch on Friday and Saturday and refreshments during the breaks. It also includes a copy of the proceedings (to be published in early September 2012) that will be posted to the address you give on your booking form. It does not include travel and accommodation, not the Conference Dinner on Friday evening.

Full Fee	Bookings made after the 16th of March 2012	€360
Early bird Fee	Bookings made before the 16th of March 2012. This fee includes an <i>Introductory Membership</i> * to the CiCe Association for one year. (2012-2013)	€300
CiCe Association (CiCea)	All delegates who are members of CiCea or whose institutions are institutional members of CiCea	€280
Research Students	Please provide evidence of your student status <i>(Please see the Student Conference call for papers if you also want to attend the Research Student Conference)</i>	€60

* *The Introductory Membership includes bi-monthly email Newsletters, use of our European Research Centres, access to the association Research Support Grants, eligibility for our Best Annual Publications Awards and the opportunity to vote and stand for Election. It does not include the association's Journal, CTL. Please see www.cicea.eu/ for details.*

CiCe Network Institutions: The European Commission Grant covers the fees of up to two delegates from each institution. Please select the option CiCe member on the online booking form and book as normal. Please remember that your institutional coordinator will have to contact the CiCe office in advance to confirm eligibility.

Booking deadlines

The online booking form to the conference will open on the 15th of November 2011 and will close on the 1st of May 2012. We expect the demand for places to be high and we encourage you to book as early as possible as there will be a cap in numbers this year due to space constraints.

Payment of conference fees

On the online booking form you will find a link to the London Metropolitan University online shop, where you can pay by card. Your booking/invoice reference is your full name. You will have to pay the appropriate fee to ensure that your booking is processed. If your institution is paying for you, we may be able to invoice you, please contact the CiCe office for details.

Please note:

- *Your card will be charged the equivalent amount in UK Pounds, using a fixed exchange rate*
- *If you are a research student, you need to send the CiCe office proof of your student status.*

Cancellations and refunds

Cancellations received in writing or by email before **16 March 2012** will be refunded at 50%. No refunds will be made for cancellations made after 16 March 2012.

Conference delegate page

Once your booking and payment have been received, you will be issued with log-in details to access the Conference delegate page on the CiCe website. This is a password protected area where all information on the conference, including programme, abstract book, full papers, delegate list and agenda, will be available to download.

The delegate page will be updated regularly, please check it before you set off for York to make sure that you have the latest information.

Conference Key dates

> 9 January 2012

All proposals must be submitted via the online form on the CiCe website. Regrettably we cannot consider proposals submitted after this date.

> 13 February 2012

By this date the Scientific Committee will consider all proposals and notify proposers.

> 16 March 2012

Deadline for Early bird bookings to the conference. This is also the final date for papers to be submitted by email [to cice@londonmet.ac.uk](mailto:cice@londonmet.ac.uk) to be made available to conference delegates in advance of your presentation.

> 1st May 2012

Deadline for all conference bookings, you will not be able to book a place at the conference after this date.

> 24-26 May 2012

Conference sessions from Thursday 24 May pm until Saturday 26 May midday.

> 6 July 2012

Deadline for submission of papers for Conference Proceedings.

For further information, or if you have any queries, please check the Conference page on the CiCe website or e-mail: cice@londonmet.ac.uk