

Thank for your interest in the 2015 CAREC Post-Conference. We are expecting a fantastic day of diverse topics and discussion related to this year's theme, 'The Decline of Children's Play in the 21st Century': Rhetoric or Reality? The format of the conference is open, meaning attendees are free to choose from among the sessions provided and the listing of individual choices beforehand is not required. All attendees and presenters must register for this 1-day event.

Please keep up to date with changes to the agenda and notification of room location by visiting CAREC's Facebook page.

Registration Opens April 1, 2015

All attendees and presenters must register (Regular fee \$20; Student fee \$10). Please note that the nature of the registration process does not afford the possibility of refunds. To register for the 1 day event go directly to the membership services main page (link below); choose CAREC Post-Conference 2015 from the drop down list under Event Registration. Please note: you do not need to register for the main CSSE conference to attend the CAREC post-conference.

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Time Slot	Event CAREC Post Conference June 4, 2015	Room
8:45- 9:00	Welcome & Introductions	TBD
9:00- 9:45	Keynote: Just play: Rethinking playing through playfulness Pam Whitty-University of New Brunswick & Jane Hewes -Grant MacEwan	TBD
9:45- 10:00	Refreshment Break (light snacks provided)	TBD
10:00- 11:15	Choice A ECE outdoor education (OE) and "best-practices" Hartley Banack- UBC Embracing risk in the Ontario woodlands: Four children's risky play experiences at a Canadian Forest Kindergarten Heather Coe-Queens University Le jeu est mort! Vive le jeu! À propos du jeu caché en classe préscolaire Krasimira Marinova- l'Université du Québec en Abitibi-Témiscamingue Monick Lebrun-Niesing-Université Victor Ségalen, Bordeaux Choice B Play is hard work: Challenges and strategies Raudhah Yahya -University of Sheffield Playful pedagogy: How playing supports holistic education Amy E. Dickerson-Nipissing University	TBD
11:30- 1:00	Mid day refreshment (light lunch provided)	TBD
1:15- 2:00	Choice C Learning from children's play around the world Mia Elfenbaum-Red River College of Applied Science & Technology Observer le jeu symbolique de l'enfant de 4 ans en contexte éducatif: résultats préliminaires Sarah Landry, Université de Montréal	TBD
1:15- 2:00	Choice D Play and Developmentally Appropriate Practice in the grade one classroom Joshua Speedie - Nipissing University Family play: Optimal contexts for relationships Kimberly Bezaire, Haniya Mohamed, & Brooke Gouweleeuw-George Brown College	TDB
2:00- 2:20	Refreshment Break (light snacks provided)	TDB
2:30- 3:15	The influence of co-teaching on teachers' pedagogical practices and perceptions: A case study in a Chinese-English international kindergarten Hongliang Fu-University of Alberta Title: Playing in Prince Edward Island: A model for professional development in early education Alaina L. Roach O'Keefe – University of Prince Edward Island	TBD
3:15-	Concluding Remarks	TBD

Special Notes:

Please insure to bring your own <u>refillable water bottle</u> with you to the conference. Packaged bottled water will not be available. For your convenience refillable water stations are located throughout Ottawa U. If you have specific dietary requirements, please email <u>dharwood@brocku.ca</u> prior to April 15, 2015.

CAREC will also be editing a special section in the Canadian Journal of Education based on the theme of this year's conference. CJE Call for Papers: Special Issue Capsule Thinking Differently About Children's Play. Paper submissions must be uploaded to CJE's online journal system by September 25th, 2015 for consideration. For details see http://www.cje-rce.ca

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