



2013 IASCE Conference

(International Association for the Study of Cooperation in Education)

The Transformative Power of Cooperation in Education

4, 5 & 6 July 2013

Faculty of Education, University of Hull, Scarborough Campus, England.



About the Conference

Featuring presentations of research and innovative practice spanning twenty-three countries and five continents, participants will have opportunities to learn from a wide range of researchers, practitioners, and educators. All presenters are engaged in challenging and innovating pedagogy, policy, and practice through co-operative learning and co-operation.

The Transformative Power of Co-operation in Education is organised by the International Association for the Study of Cooperation in Education (IASCE) with support from the Faculty of Education at the University of Hull, England and the International Association for Intercultural Education (IAIE). For over 30 years, the IASCE has led the way in highlighting and disseminating research and practice in co-operative learning and co-operation in education.

The 2013 conference will be located at the University of Hull Scarborough Campus, situated beside the sea and overlooking the attractive town of Scarborough, with easy access to spectacular countryside and historic cities.

Participants will have the opportunity to become immersed in a conference design that is both innovative and interactive. Through dynamic engagement, delegates will be able to experience first-hand the power of co-operation to support dialogue, reflection and spirited exchange, as well as develop new networks and friendships.

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The goals of the conference include:

- Deepening understanding of how co-operation can be appropriately developed and expanded in different contexts to encourage learning and development, and
- Encouraging educational and organisational innovation and transformation based on co-operative values.

Session titles include:

- Using co-operative values to develop strong identities in young people;
- Building classroom community and engagement through storytelling and creative pedagogy;
- What can co-operative learning contribute to the intercultural classroom?
- Reflections on the use of iPads in enhancing co-operative learning in English language lessons;
- Co-operative schools: policy, visions and practices;
- Links between co-operative learning and Islamic principles;
- Music in us all: building community through co-operative music making;
- Co-operation for social change: supporting young people to lead the change they want to see in society.

Keynote speakers are:

- Dr. Pasi Sahlberg: Director General of the Centre for International Mobility and Cooperation, Helsinki, Finland, Board Member of IASCE and author of the provocative book Finnish Lessons: What Can the World Learn from Educational Change in Finland?
- Dr. Robert Slavin: Director of the Center for Research and Reform in Education at Johns Hopkins University Baltimore USA, Professor at the Institute for Effective Education at the University of York UK, and co-founder of the US-based Success for All Foundation. Dr. Slavin was a founder of IASCE and served as its president;
- Maureen Breeze: Co-President of IASCE, South West Regional Co-ordinator of the Schools' Co-operative Society, UK and freelance education consultant. Maureen will lead a group presentation, with colleagues who are engaged in co-operation in education in a variety of contexts in the UK.

Who is the conference for?

If you are an academic, an educator at any level in any phase in formal or informal education or you are interested in the application of co-operation in any aspect of education, then this conference is for you.

How to take part:

Full details of the programme and sessions, registration details and costs can be found at www.iasce.net.

Any queries/questions contact: maureen@iasce.net

Early bird booking closes 31 March. Last registration date 19 June.

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