



Newsletter

COMPARATIVE AND INTERNATIONAL EDUCATION SOCIETY

Call for Nominations: CIES Awards

Joyce Cain Award for Distinguished Research on African Descendants

This award honors the memory of Joyce Lynn Cain, a faculty member at Michigan State University, and a colleague and devoted scholar of comparative education. As an African American scholar, Joyce not only committed her scholarship to the study of African descendants, but was equally dedicated to introducing individuals across ethnic boundaries to her pride and admiration of the African culture, particularly in Southern Africa.

The award recognizes and honors excellence in scholarly articles that explore themes related to people of African descent. The award is presented to an outstanding article that demonstrates academic rigor, originality, and excellence, and contributes to a better understanding of the experiences of African descendants. It is open to all members of CIES who conduct research on African descendants.

Any CIES member in good standing, including the author, may nominate a scholarly work that has been published in the year 2003 for the award. Nominations should include three copies of the nominated article and a cover letter requesting its consideration, and should be received no later than **October 15, 2003**.

Please send nominations to:

Dr. Jeanita W. Richardson
Chair, Joyce Cain Award Subcommittee
State Council of Higher Education for Virginia
101 North Fourteenth Street
James Monroe Building
Richmond, VA 23219
E-mail: przdnc@aol.com

Gail P. Kelly Award for Outstanding Doctoral Dissertation

Each year the Comparative and International Education Society (CIES) recognizes an outstanding doctoral dissertation with its Gail P. Kelly Award. Created to honor the distinguished comparative educator Gail P. Kelly and her many contributions to CIES, the Gail P. Kelly Award honors a doctoral dissertation that addresses social justice and equity issues in an international context.

The award is conferred upon an outstanding Ph.D. or Ed.D.

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Call for Nominations: CIES Board of Directors and Vice-President

The CIES Nominations and Elections Committee calls for nominations for Board of Directors and Vice-Presidential candidates. The job of this committee is to present CIES members with two candidates for Vice-President, as well as candidates to fill the two open slots in the Board of Directors. CIES members will vote for these candidates in early 2004.

Vice-Presidential nominees should a) show evidence of long-term membership and be current members in CIES; b) demonstrate leadership in CIES either through membership on the Board of Directors or other significant leadership role(s); c) show evidence of attendance and participation in regional and national meetings of the Society; and d) show evidence of leadership and scholarly attainment. They also should show evidence of work on behalf of CIES at local, regional, national or international levels. Prospective candidates should be aware that although CIES has under discussion ways to support the responsibilities of the Vice-President, candidates nonetheless will require support from their own organization to host the annual conference, which includes administrative and logistical support for the annual meeting.

Board of Directors nominees should show evidence of strong commitment to the Society, must be current with their membership, and should have regularly participated in the annual conference. Participation in regional conferences is considered a plus as are any activities intended to promote comparative and international education scholarship regardless of professional status and setting.

All CIES members are invited to make nominations. Self-nominations are also welcome. We expect that nominations are made with the prior approval of the candidate and that nominations should include information about their record of service, qualifications, and address with e-mail. No particular format for nominations is required.

The Nominations Committee is making a particular effort to ensure the creation of a broad slate that speaks to the diversity of the CIES membership in terms of geography, institution, gender, and race/ethnicity.

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UREAG Committee Sets Agenda of Inclusion and Visibility for 2004

The Under-Represented Racial, Ethnic, and Ability Groups is a committee of CIES committed to increasing the visibility and participation of its members in all CIES programs, policies, and activities. At its business meeting in New Orleans, I advised the members that in striving for effectiveness in the attainment of UREAG's mandate, there exists a need for a secretary. Evangeline Nderu was therefore elected to serve as secretary for 2003 to 2004. Members also moved that Susan Peters has done a good job in planning UREAG's 2003 plenary session and should continue as the organizer for the 2004 conference.

In addition, at the business meeting, members set an exciting agenda for 2004, and made several requests to the CIES Board through its representative, Peg Sutton. These requests include the appointment of UREAG members to CIES committees, formalization and documentation of the election process

for UREAG's chairperson, and the number of years he/she is to serve as the chairperson. Among other accomplishments, we are pleased to announce the updating of our listserv to help facilitate information dissemination. UREAG's business meeting and plenary session attracted 40 to 60 people, respectively.

I want to extend my appreciation to Robert Arno, Steven Klees and Joseph Zajda for their participation in UREAG's Global Village Dialogue and contributing to its success. I would like to extend my thanks to last year's conference presenters and participants who made it possible for us to have a program and visibility. In spite of the intense economic hardship, many of you honored your commitment to present your papers. The presentations were not only enlightening but also inspiring. Thanks! In this my last year as chairperson, I want to reaffirm my commitment to join forces with

you to work toward realizing the goals and missions of UREAG. These texts and other information will become available on the UREAG website soon!

<http://www.cies.byu.edu/Ureag/main.aspx/>

Also, I am to inform you that the Conference Program Chair, Karen Hyer and her committee are working hard to plan for the 2004 conference. Please, I encourage you to submit a proposal and plan to present at this conference. The deadline for the call for papers is **October 1, 2003**.

Please e-mail any question or idea to me at geo-jaja@byu.edu or to Evangeline Nderu at nderu001@umn.edu. I encourage you to submit write-ups for posting on UREAG's website. I look forward to working with you in the remaining months as chairperson and meeting/seeing you in Salt Lake City.

Thanks,
Macleans Geo-JaJa
Chairperson, UREAG

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dissertation that manifests academic excellence, originality, methodological, theoretical and empirical rigor, and deals with issues of social justice and equity in international settings. Those issues may include gender, race, class, ethnicity, and nationality, among others.

The dissertation should reflect the scholarly purpose of the Society: comparative, cross-cultural, interdisciplinary and international studies contributing to the interpretation of developments in education in their broad and interrelated political, economic and social contexts. Any Ph.D. or Ed.D. dissertation written in English and defended at an accredited institution of higher education from July 2002 through August 2003 is eligible for consideration.

Any CIES member in good standing, including its author, may nominate a dissertation. Nominations should include one unbound copy of the dissertation, a copy of the form signifying departmental and university approval of the dissertation, and a cover letter requesting that the dissertation be considered for the Gail P. Kelly Award.

The deadline for nominations is **October 15, 2003**.

The recipient of the Gail P. Kelly Award will be honored at the 2004 CIES Annual Meeting and will receive a travel voucher to defray part of the cost of attending the meeting. The award recipient will present a brief summation of the outstanding dissertation.

Nominations, applications and queries should be sent to:

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University of Kentucky
Department of English
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Lexington, KY 40506
E-mail: tmclay@uky.edu

Honorary Fellow Award

The title of CIES Fellow is awarded to senior members of the Society who have distinguished themselves by their scholarship, teaching, mentoring; their policy, administrative or technical activities in the field of comparative and international education; and who have made a significant contribution to the development of the Society and the field by their active participation in its affairs.

Nominations will be accepted through **November 1, 2003**.

For further information, please contact:

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Welcome to the New Chair of the New Scholars Committee

Welcome to Ernesto Treviño, Harvard Graduate School of Education, the new CIES Board Member representing new scholars, and co-chair of the New Scholars Committee! I look forward to three wonderful years of work on behalf of the student members and recent graduate members of CIES. After serving for the past three years, I look forward to seeing products of the energy and creativity new leadership can bring. Good luck, Ernesto, and of course all my help and support.

Katherine Schuster

UREAG-CIES Travel Fund Policy and Procedure

Greetings UREAG Members,

I invite you to apply for the UREAG-CIES Travel Grant. Each year, the CIES Board makes available a limited number of awards to UREAG-CIES members presenting papers at CIES' annual conference. All awards are made on a basis of merit. The criteria and amounts for each award are described below.

Award Criteria

Award decisions are influenced by the following criteria: merit of applicant's conference presentation, the nature of the applicant's participation in UREAG, impact and potential value to the philosophy and goals of UREAG, value for the development of the applicant's potential, appropriateness of submitted budget, need, and proof of external support. A key factor in the award decisions is merit of acceptance of the proposal for conference presentation.

Macleans Geo-JaJa
Chair, UREAG

UREAG Sponsors Global Village Dialogue

The Under-Represented Racial, Ethnic, and Ability Groups (UREAG) committee of CIES is sponsoring a Dialogue Forum under the Global Village Dialogue to raise awareness of issues involving UREAG. The invited discussants will provide the springboard for understanding the issues involved in under-represented groups' human development and entitlements.

All CIES members are invited to join in the Dialogue, to listen and to learn from the invited speakers, and join as active participants in the Dialogue.

Macleans Geo-JaJa

Announcement

After three years as a CIES Board Member and Webmaster, *Miguel Angel Escotet* will be moving on from Florida International University to the University of Duesto in Spain as Professor and Dean of Graduate Studies. Congratulations!

APPLICATION FOR UREAG TRAVEL GRANT - CIES 2004

I. Background Information

A. Name: _____

B. Membership Status:

Indicate CIES membership status (check one):

_____ I am a current member. If yes, for how long? _____

_____ I plan to apply as new member for 2004.

_____ I am a non-member.

UREAG member? Yes _____ (How long? _____) No _____

Past CIES conferences attended (years attended) _____ No. of presentations given _____

[Note: Current CIES and UREAG membership are not required for eligibility for this travel grant, but preference will be given to CIES and UREAG members.]

C. Institutional Affiliation and Address:

D. Point of Origin for Travel to CIES 2004 (if different from affiliation and address above):

On a separate sheet of paper, please provide a brief explanation of the total amount needed for travel to the conference, and sources of funding you will apply to for the amount needed in addition to the UREAG travel grant. (A UREAG Travel Grant is \$300, with the possibility of up to \$500 per application, depending on number and quality of eligible applications received).

II. CIES Proposal

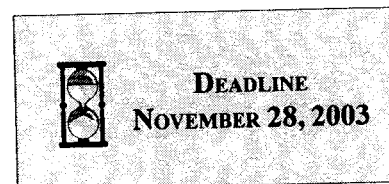
Please provide one or two paragraphs describing what session(s) you propose to present and/or activities you plan to participate in while attending the conference. It will be most helpful to attach an abstract of proposed session(s) with this application.

We will evaluate the proposal based on its quality/relevance to the theme of the conference ("Development as Freedom: The Role of Education") and to complementing the mission of UREAG (increasing knowledge and awareness of issues regarding under-represented racial, ethnic and ability groups).

Send Completed Application to:

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Brigham Young University
Provo, Utah 86402 USA
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Deadline: November 28, 2003



Southeastern/Mid-Atlantic Regional Conference

Venue: the conference has moved to the University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill
Dates: November 14-15, 2003
Conference Theme: "Learning to Live Together: Global Trends and the Implications for Schooling"
Call for Papers Deadline: October 15, 2003

Please send proposals to:
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For further updates, please refer to the CIES website:
<http://www.cies.ws>

New CIES Research Committee

CIES President Kassie Freeman has commissioned several special presidential advisory committees to advise her during her year in office.

The "New Directions In Comparative and International Education Research" committee has already begun organizing itself to realize its mandate. Chaired by Kelvin S. Sealey, a doctoral candidate and adjunct lecturer at Teachers College, Columbia University, the five person committee includes Camille Nakhid of the Auckland University of Technology, Carlos Torres of UCLA, David Phillips of the University of Oxford and Ki-Seok Kim of Seoul National University.

Charged with identifying potentially new directions in comparative and international education research, an action which could widen membership in CIES and broaden the economic base upon which CIES is supported, the committee intends to submit a list of "new directions" in research to the president before next year's annual board meeting.

CIES 2003 Western Regional Conference

Theme: "Higher Education and its Communities: Linking Tertiary Education to Contemporary Changes"
Dates: November 7-8, 2003
Hosted by: University of Southern California in Los Angeles, CA

Tertiary education, as the most advanced educational level, has become the site for strong forces for change, many of them derived from economic and technological globalization. As new actors from the business world, new students from different countries and social location, and increased calls for a fit between education and the economy converge, what are the changes affecting academic governance, the emergence and continuation of fields of study, the concerns for social equity and diversity, and the responsiveness to democratic and civic ideals?

The western regional meeting will offer an opportunity to examine various topics, linking institutions of tertiary education (universities, community colleges, and other organizations) to contemporary changes that

implicate all these institutions, whether in urban, suburban, and rural settings; public or private domains; and real presence, distance, or virtual education networks. Individual papers and panels will include studies and analyses of the nature of the intellectual/professional and teaching/learning communities now in existence, considering the dynamics that characterize the ongoing processes of change, accommodation, and resistance in higher education.

Topics not connected with higher education are most welcome. The theme of the conference intends to provide a focus but participants are completely free to deal with issues of their concern and preference.

Proposal Submission Deadline: October 10, 2003
Send proposals, questions, and comments to:
source@usc.edu

For more information about the western regional conference, please go to:
<http://www.usc.edu/dept/education/TheSource/CIESWesternReg.htm>

A 20th Anniversary Archival Retrospective: On Celebrating Accomplishments and Preparing for the Work Ahead

*Erwin H. Epstein
Loyola University of Chicago*

Prepared for presentation at the Annual Meeting of the Comparative and International Education Society in Washington, DC, March 2001.

I call this a "20th anniversary retrospective" to commemorate the establishment of the official Society Archives twenty years ago. I view the marking of this anniversary as more than a footnote to CIES history. Indeed, it is a cause for celebration. The existence of an official archives is a mark of distinction for a professional organization. It signifies that the organization has been properly and solidly institutionalized, and, more importantly, that the field and people it represents have a sense of institutional memory. Twenty years or so of existence is not long for an archival collection, and we are fortunate to have a rather decent one, something not to be taken for granted.

To be sure, the Archives stands as a monument to the Society's institutionalization. However, to be truly useful it should also serve as a creative source of the historical record. It will not serve the latter purpose if it is no more than a large deposit box, and, candidly, it is

not much more than a big stuffed space at this time. A proper archives breathes with life, with some people tending to its growth and development and other people drawing wisdom from its contents. These categories of people need and nurture each other. The work of those assigned to put the collection in order is wasted if there are not people to exploit the information and knowledge it contains. Conversely, those who seek to draw knowledge from the collection will be disabled from their purpose if no one has catered to its management and expansion.

The Archives' first two decades have been marked by the establishment and development of the records collection -- and the assignment of people to tend it. I believe that it is time now to concentrate at least as much, on building the second group: that is, comparativists who exploit the information contained within. Indeed, I contend that the Archives will begin to wither as a facility unless people begin using it. Fortunately, a few critical steps have been taken toward making the Archives a living collection, but much more needs to be done.

For the full paper, including notes, please go to CIES' website (www.cies.ws) or contact the Secretariat for a copy.

Language Issues Special Interest Group (SIG)

The following is a memo from the Language Issues SIG Organizing Committee to the CIES Board of Directors. The Board discussed this request at the CIES 2003 New Orleans Conference and voted to approve its formation.

At this year's annual conference, over 45 presentations were conducted regarding language issues in education. This has led some of us within CIES to believe that there is a strong contingency within the organization that would like to investigate these issues. In an attempt to begin this discussion, Carol Benson of Stockholm University called an informal gathering on Thursday, March 13, 2003 during the conference to examine the issue of bilingual education in developing countries.

Attended by 42 conference participants, the session was intended as an opportunity for networking among those investigating these issues. It was decided by the participants that what they desired was a Special Interest Group (SIG) on Language Issues which could serve to function more formally within CIES. An ad hoc committee was formed. This committee consists of Carol Benson, Diane Brook Napier,

Meg Gordon, Rodney Hopson, Andy Lieberman, Hartford Mchazime, Fernando Rubio, and Solange Taylor. This committee met on Friday, March 14, 2003, to begin to explore the function of this group.

We are writing to you now to request an official status as the Language Issues SIG in CIES. Our initial purpose would be to facilitate the organization of sessions on languages issues at the 2004 annual conference in Salt Lake City and establish a presence in the program. Additionally, we will work to promote networking during the rest of the year among researchers and practitioners addressing language issues in countries around the world. We have discussed an initial sequence of activities to this end which we would be more than happy to share with the board, if requested.

We appreciate the consideration of the board on this matter.

Respectfully,
Language Issues SIG Organizing Committee

Special Projects Committee of the WCCES

As a result of the WCCES formal meeting in London in July 2002, the Council undertook the task of re-structuring its Standing Committees. Among the organizational changes, a Special Projects Committee was created. The Committee will play the role of conceptualizing and organizing projects to promote the field of comparative and international education, particularly among those who are poorly represented in current activities of the Council. Among the projects contemplated are exchange programs whereby scholars spend a semester or two studying and/or teaching Comparative and International Education at universities in countries other than their own, special consulting whereby scholars and educators assist countries with urgent education needs such as expanding on-line education capacity, adult literacy, basic education, the education of street children, and refugees. The Special Projects Committee will work closely with the other standing committees, especially those for Finance & Fund Raising and Admissions & New Societies, in order to achieve its goals. One immediate activity would be the listing on the WCCES and CIES websites of

sponsorship and funding opportunities for individuals to attend the 2004 Congress of the WCCES in Cuba between October 25 and 29.

The committee is chaired by Robert F. Arnove (USA) with Karen Biraimah (USA) serving as Co-Chair. Other committee members include Marcela Mollis (Argentina), Lee Wing On (Hong Kong), Shin'ichi Suzuki (Japan), Robert Borrromeo (Philippines), N'Dri Therese Assié Lumumba (Cote d'Ivoire/USA), Sheldon Shaeffer (UNESCO, Bangkok), Alcantara Santuario (Mexico), Wang Chan-chun (People's Republic of China), Katarina Tomasevski (Denmark/Switzerland), Anthony Welch (Australia), and Irving Epstein (USA).

Please contact Robert F. Arnove (arno@indiana.edu) or Karen Biraimah (biraimah@mail.ucf.edu) or any of the other members concerning your ideas as to how best to further the activities of the committee. Both the WCCES and CIES websites will contain locations for posting information relevant to the mission of the committee.

FIU to Become New Secretariat Home

By Lynn Ilon

The Society's Secretariat has been formally transferred to the Intercultural Institute for Educational Initiatives at Florida International University. The transfer took place on September 1st. The incoming officers of the Secretariat are Dr. Lynn Ilon, Director of the Intercultural Institute who will be Secretary and Dr. Hilary Landorf, a professor of Global Studies who will be Treasurer for the Society. The Secretariat will also employ a half-time graduate assistant, Ms. Joan Oviawe.

The Institute of International Education has served as Secretariat since 1995, and IIE's New York office has been the home of the Secretariat since 1999; Hey-Kyung Koh has served as Secretary and John Lever as Treasurer during this tenure. Their devoted work on behalf of the Society has been invaluable both in on-going duties of the Secretariat and in participation in Society Board meetings in the spring of each year. Their last duty as Secretariat has been to put out this newsletter.

The Secretariat regularly edits and distributes the Society's newsletter, administers its elections and serves as secretary during annual board meetings. In addition, the Secretariat will now take over the operation of the Society's website. That site has been ably organized by Dr. Miguel Escotet (also of Florida International University) until recently.

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**“DEVELOPMENT AS FREEDOM:
THE ROLE OF EDUCATION”****2004 CIES ANNUAL MEETING
48TH ANNUAL CIES CONFERENCE
SALT LAKE CITY, UT • MARCH 9-12, 2004**

*Announcement from Karen Hyer, CIES 2004
Program Chair*

Conference Website: <http://cies.byu.edu>

Important Dates

Proposal Submission Deadline:

1 October 2003

Conference Pre-Registration:

2 February 2004

Hotel Rooms Blocked Until:

6 February 2004

Welcome to Salt Lake City, Utah!

President-Elect Donald B. Holsinger and the 2004 CIES Program Planning Committee welcome you to the 48th Annual Meeting of the Comparative and International Education Society, hosted by Brigham Young University in Salt Lake City, Utah. Pre-conference activities and meetings will begin on Monday, 8 March and the formal conference will commence on Tuesday, 9 March. The conference will conclude with a banquet on Friday evening, 12 March.

Theme***Development as Freedom:
The Role of Education***

Past conferences have explored the globalization theme. Many panelists have concluded that globalization will be a major force for prosperity only if backed by adequate policies, including, in particular, policies expanding and improving education. The contribution of education to development has become indisputable. Commonplace arguments for that relationship have frequently focused on private and social returns to investments in education. Nobel Laureate Amartya Sen argues for the contribution of education in a different way by drawing attention to the role of education as the primary instrument for expanding substantive freedoms and enhancing people's participation in society

and decision-making.

The theme of the 2004 annual meeting is an attempt to see development as an enhancement of human freedom and education as a principal means of getting there. Development is not only about raising GNP. No one wants money for its own sake. One wants money for something else, including education and good health. Freedom of different kinds is constitutive of development and fundamentally derives from education. To be free to lead a good life, to live a normal lifespan, to be free from suffering escapable ailments—these freedoms are the best and final objective of schooling worldwide.

Individual papers and panels will include studies and analyses of the limitations of annual income growth to achieve development, new ways of measuring development, the meaning of freedom, and its relationship to curricula of schools around the globe. Sub-themes include, *inter alia*, the importance of social goals in poor countries and how education is and is not able to achieve them, the efforts to extend schooling to the world's most vulnerable citizens, and overcoming deep-rooted biases to invest in the education of girls as well as boys.

Conference Venue

The 48th Annual Meeting of the Comparative and International Education Society will be held in Salt Lake City, Utah. A beautiful, safe, and vibrant city, Salt Lake combines unparalleled access to natural recreation, a bustling economy, dynamic nightlife, remarkable history, warm hospitality, and Utah's Greatest Snow on Earth.™ Salt Lake combines the amenities of a major metropolitan area with the friendliness of a small, western city. Hosting the Olympic Winter Games of 2002 enhanced the community's profile as a world-class travel destination, while showcasing Salt Lake as an unspoiled, family-friendly destination.

The conference will be hosted by Brigham Young University. BYU is a private, faith-based university that seeks to develop students of faith, intellect, and character who have the skills and the desire to continue learning and to serve others throughout their lives. These are the common aims of all education at BYU. Both those who teach in the classroom and those who direct activities outside the classroom are responsible for contributing to this complete educational vision.

The conference venue will be the Little America Hotel and Towers and the Grand America Hotel. The Little America Hotel and Towers is located at 500 South Main Street, Salt Lake City, Utah 84101. The hotel is the gateway to downtown Salt Lake City, a short walk from the city's main business district and various cultural and sports centers. The hotel offers the following amenities: elegant oversized suites, Salt Lake's largest indoor/outdoor swimming pool, health club with sauna, whirlpool, and fitness center—or guest privileges at other nearby health & fitness centers, full-service Business Center offering fax, copy, printing, computer, and shipping services, two fine restaurants and an award-winning Sunday Brunch, intimate piano lounge with two large, cozy lobby fireplaces, new large 31" TVs with in-room movies, and complimentary airport shuttle service for individual guests.

The Grand America Hotel is located at 555 South Main Street, Salt Lake City, Utah 84111. Inspired by the charm and craftsmanship of Europe's classic hotels, the Grand America offers 775 luxurious rooms, including 395 exquisite suites, all meticulously crafted from the finest materials and gifted artisans of Italy, Spain, Portugal, France, and America. The Grand America Hotel is truly a monument to elegance and hospitality. The hotel offers the following amenities: in-room movies, games and services, 24-hour room service, 24-hour

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airport transportation, twice-daily housekeeping service, evening turndown service, complimentary personal safe, ironing amenities, hairdryer, complimentary safe deposit boxes, outdoor swimming pool in a garden setting, children's pool and whirlpool, complimentary overnight shoeshine and morning newspaper, private bar, and non-allergenic pillows.

For reservations, the Little America Hotel may be reached by calling (800) 453-9450 or by visiting the hotel web site at <http://www.littleamerica.com/slc>. The Grand America Hotel may be reached by calling (800) 621-4505 or by visiting the hotel web site at <http://www.grandamerica.com>.

Family Programs

We encourage you to bring your family to Salt Lake City. Our family programs will give them an opportunity to experience what Salt Lake City has to offer at an affordable price. Participants will spend the week attending a variety of tours, museums, and movies. They will learn about and gain hands-on experience in things such as science, art, and genealogy. A knowledgeable tour guide will be with them at all times.

The programs begin at 9:00 A.M. each morning. Family program participants will return to the hotel in time for the Welcome Reception on Tuesday and the Gala Celebration on Thursday, but will not be back for the Kneller Lecture on Wednesday or the Closing Banquet on Friday. Participants may buy the entire week's package or they may select individual days they would like to attend. Reservations should be made by 2 March 2004 on the website but may also be made on site at the Little America Hotel. More information on the programs, including pricing information, may be found on the conference website <http://cies.byu.edu>.

Transportation**Flying to Salt Lake City**

Delta Airlines has been selected as the official CIES 2004 conference airlines. While Salt Lake City is served by a myriad of domestic and international air carriers, it is wise to make your travel arrangements far in advance.

Delta Airlines is offering special rates that allow you a **5 percent** discount off Delta's published round-trip fares* within the continental U.S., Hawaii, Alaska, Canada, Mexico, Bermuda, San Juan, Nassau, the U.S. Virgin Islands, and the Caribbean. By purchasing your ticket 60 days or more prior to your departure date, you can receive an additional 5 percent bonus discount. **Applicable restrictions must be met. Seats are limited. Booking classes I and U are not eligible for Delta Meeting Network discounts.*

A **10 percent** discount will be offered on Delta's domestic system for travel to the meeting based on the published unrestricted round-trip coach (Y06) rates. No advance reservations or ticketing is required, but if you purchase your ticket 60 days or more prior to your departure date, you can receive an additional 5 percent bonus discount. *Booking classes I and U are not eligible for Delta Meeting Network discounts.*

Special round-trip **Zone Fares** are also available to all cities served by Delta and Delta Express in the continental U.S., Hawaii, Alaska, Canada, Mexico, Bermuda, San Juan, Nassau, the U.S. Virgin Islands, and the Caribbean for savings on midweek travel to the meeting. Two-day minimum stay; no Saturday night stay required. Only seven days advanced reservations and ticketing. Fares are fully refundable, less administrative service fee.

To take advantage of these discounts, follow these simple steps:

Call Delta Meeting Network Reservations at **1-800-241-6760**, Monday-Sunday 8:00 A.M.—11:00 P.M. Eastern Standard Time (800-2300 EST). Or, have your travel agent call Delta's toll-free number to obtain these same advantages for you. **Refer to File Number 197952A.**

Travel in the continental U.S., Hawaii, Alaska, Canada, Mexico, Bermuda, San Juan, Nassau, the U.S. Virgin Islands, and the Caribbean only. These discounts are available only through the Delta Meeting Network Reservations toll-free number.

Attention Travel Agents: The meeting identifier code **must** appear in the tour code box on all tickets issued in conjunction with this event. Failure to do so may result in a debit memo for the travel agency issuing the ticket. Contact Delta Meeting Network for details.

From Salt Lake City International Airport to Hotel

The Americas run a complimentary shuttle service every 20 minutes from 6:00 A.M. to 10:00 P.M. each day. Outside these hours, the shuttle runs on a half hour basis, by request only. The shuttle will arrive outside baggage claim doors #6 and #10. The van is a light blue passenger van with white lettering stating "Little America," "Grand America," or "The Americas," as both Grand and Little America run the same shuttle runs. Upon departure from the hotel, the driver will announce in the lobby when the next shuttle is departing. A reservation is not necessary, and the shuttle is on a first-come, first-served basis.

Registration

We encourage you to use the secure online registration form to register for CIES 2004. It is quick, safe, and simple. Go to the conference website at <http://cies.byu.edu> and click on "Registration." If you prefer to fax or mail your registration, you may use the

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The deadline for submission of proposals is **1 October 2003**. Authors of accepted proposals will be notified by 15 December 2003. Abstracts should be related to the conference theme, *Development as Freedom: The Role of Education*. We strongly encourage electronic submission of proposals through the conference website. Please **do not** send proposals as e-mail text or by fax. If it is not possible to submit electronically, proposals may be mailed to:

Dr. Karen Hyer
CIES 2004 Program Chair
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Participants will be limited to three formal roles: 1) present a maximum of **one** formal paper or participate in one symposium; 2) present a poster session or roundtable discussion; and 3) serve as a session discussant and or chairperson. This restriction does not limit the number of times that participants may serve as session organizers (non-presenting) or as chairs or co-authors.

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Additional Conference Information

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Nominations should be sent to the committee chairs by October 1, 2003.

Thank you.

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