CALL FOR PAPERS

The 12th Biennial Conference

Association canadienne d'histoire de l'éducation/ Canadian History of Education Association Quebec City, October 24-27, 2002

150 Years of Education in the Americas: Assessments and Prospects

In 2002, l'Université Laval will celebrate its 150th anniversary as a university holding a Royal charter. The biennial conference of l'Association canadienne d'histoire de l'éducation/ Canadian History of Education Association will be part of those celebrations and will coincide with the 340th anniversary of the foundation of the Séminaire de Québec, the oldest institution of education in North America. This context provides an opportunity for a retrospective look at the development of education in the Americas from its very beginnings to the present. We welcome comparative proposals about education in different countries. The concept of education ought to be understood in its broadest sense and should not be restricted to its institutional and academic meaning. Therefore participants are encouraged to explore a wide range of topics within this broader perspective:

- From primary school to university: New world experiences.
- External influences and the production of a new cultural identity.
- The transformations of childhood through school.
- Family, schools, media: Complementary educational experiences?
- Linguistic, cultural, ethnic, sexual differences.
- Cultural communities, education and citizenship.
- Higher education and the university's critical function.
- Professionalisation of teaching and cultural production.

L'Association canadienne d'histoire de l'éducation/Canadian History of Education Association invites researchers in the history of education and related academic fields (sociology, anthropology, philosophy, religious studies, etc.) To submit proposals. Graduate students are especially welcome. A limited amount of funding for travel expenses for graduate students may be available.

Proposals and papers may be in either French or English. Proposals are due March 1st, 2002.

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