Summer School in European Education Studies

2024 Edition

Engage with leading scholars in an open laboratory on thinking and researching education in Europe

SUSEES outline

SUSEES is a Summer School in European Education Studies open to 15 emerging researchers from all across the world who intend to consolidate their expertise in studying education policies, practices and outcomes assuming the European dimension as the privileged point of observation.

The 2024 edition of SUSEES will be held at the Maison Inter-Universitaire des Sciences de l’Homme d’Alsace (MISHA), University of Strasbourg, from 1 to 5 July 2024.

SUSEES promotes innovation in teaching and research, fostering theoretical and methodological imagination in the field of educational research, and acts as a laboratory for emergent researchers to develop interdisciplinary thinking and research about European education.

The 15 selected participants will be part of a larger group of 60 students involved in a 5 days and 40 hours module where renowned scholars from the field of educational research will be asked to present and discuss specific theories and related methodological developments and demonstrate how these are used in their own work on European education. The resulting dialogic and dynamic environment will provide participants with new insights on the potentials of the theoretical and methodological resources in producing new research questions on European education.

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SUSEES Past lecturers


How SUSEES works

A multidisciplinary staff and a plural design strategy
An intensive and dialogic learning environment with a strong commitment to innovation

At SUSEES every year, renowned scholars give lectures, presenting the way they use particular theories and approaches. The scope of the lectures is to provide participants with new insights on the potentials of those theoretical and methodological resources in producing new research questions in studying education in Europe.

To make the lectures interactive, scholars provide in advance a syllabus in order to enable participants to become familiar with the approach they propose.

The lectures are followed by work sessions:
- feedback sessions with the SUSEES lecturers
- a laboratory for research imagination on education in Europe where participants are divided in groups and asked to elaborate on the approaches presented during the lectures and develop a common writing project.

During SUSEES, participants will also benefit from a capacity-building seminar on ‘academic writing’, and from the continuous support of experienced mentors.

How to apply

Who can apply
Emerging researchers (PhD students and/or holders) interested in developing their expertise in the study of education in Europe.

How to apply
Send your CV, a letter describing your current main research project, and your motivation in participating to SUSEES to the following email address: susees2017@gmail.com by 30th March 2024. The SUSEES Committee will select candidates and confirm acceptance by 15th April 2024.

Registration is due by 30th April 2024. SUSEES’s activities will be held in English.

SUSEES 2024 has no fees.

Travel and accommodation
Participants will cover their own travel costs. Accommodation from 1st to 5th July 2024 (4 nights) will be covered by the MISHA, University of Strasbourg.
SUSEES 2024 Programme
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SUSEES 2024 Speakers and Topics
(Provisional programme – dates to be defined)

Researching education policy instruments in Europe
Luis Miguel Carvalho, Institute of Education, University of Lisbon

Researching European education discursively
Emiliano Grimaldi - University of Naples Federico II, Italy

Implosion of the common public in the media: Using Baudrillard as an explorative stress test approach to explore educational consequences
John Benedikto Krejsler, University of Aarhus-Copenhagen, Denmark

Researching the digital governance of education in Europe sociomaterially
Paolo Landri, National Research Council, Italy

Researching the form of education systemically
Eric Mangez, UCL, Louvain and Pieter Vanden Broeck, Columbia University, US

Populism, religion, and education policy research
Eszter Newmann, Central European University, Budapest, Hungary

Researching European education from the perspective of conventions
Romuald Normand, Université de Strasbourg, FR

Chinese and South American perspectives on the building of European education?
Dalila Andrade Oliveira, Federal University of Minas Gerais, Brazil, and Dan Zhang, East Normal University, Shanghai, China

Researching European education biographically
Nelli Piattoeva, Tampere University, FI

Researching European education historically
Christian Ydesen, Aarhus-Copenhagen University

Parallel workshops on Writing a scientific paper
Social activities

- Meeting at Euro-métropole, the Observatory of educational success
- Guided tour of Strasbourg
- Visit to the European Parliament
- Visit to the University Palace and the National Library
- Visit to the village of Riquewihr
SUSEES Venue in Strasbourg

Université de Strasbourg
Maison interuniversitaire des sciences de l’Homme – Alsace (MISHA)
All. du Général Rouvillois, 67083 Strasbourg, France

The SUSEES MOOC

The last editions of the SUSEES MOOC are hosted by the SUSEES website. For further information, see www.susees.eu

Important dates

Summer School dates:
July 1st – 5th, 2024

Application deadline:
30th March 2024

Decisions on applications:
15th April 2024

Registration due:
30th April 2024