



# 5<sup>th</sup> ENSEC Conference

## Social Emotional Learning and Culture



1 - 4 July 2015

Faculty Human Kinetics

University of Lisbon, Portugal



ENSEC (European Network for Social and Emotional Competence) is a growing network of European Researchers and Practitioners who are interested in children and young peoples' social and emotional development and particularly in working to develop their resilience and their social and emotional competence. The network has been in existence now for seven years and has a growing and thriving membership right across the world. This conference builds on three previous successful and vibrant ENSEC Conferences in Malta, Turkey, The United Kingdom and Zagreb.

As an International network ENSEC draws together members from a diversity of cultures, geographically, linguistically, and of course professionally. Our conferences and networking have always involved consideration of the cultural dimensions to social and emotional competencies, therefore, this year we have chosen to make this our focus.

We expect that the 5<sup>th</sup> ENSEC Conference dedicated to **Social Emotional Learning and Culture** will be an opportunity for researchers, and practitioners to discuss and disseminate their work.

Delegates and previous participants will have the opportunity to find old friends from the previous conferences and make new friends, and additionally a unique occasion to visit and discover Lisbon a modern city with lots of traditions!

### Conference Chairs

Celeste Simões Faculty of Human Kinetics, University of Lisbon, Portugal

Kathy Evans, Faculty of Education and Social Sciences, University of Wales, Newport, UK

## Conference Themes include but are not limited to:

- **Cross Cultural Perspectives on Social and Emotional Learning**  
We would welcome presentations from delegates exploring both cross cultural understandings of social and emotional competency and cross cultural perspectives to understanding and facilitating social and emotional learning
- **Social and Emotional Learning and Professional Cultures**  
Our membership draws on a number of professions engaged in similar tasks and here delegates could present on their own theoretical or practical explorations of inter-professional working, and could also provide a space to explore the sometimes conflicting cultures of practitioner and client
- **Cross Cultural Perspectives on Resilience**  
Many of our members are actively engaged in exploring the concept of resilience and what it lends to our work, and here we welcome presentations on cultural interpretations of resilience and developing resilience in clients
- **Comparative and International Methodologies**  
Many of our network are engaged in the difficult task of exploring work in other countries than their own and making comparisons between ideas and strategies. This could be an opportunity for professionals to present theoretical responses to this challenge or to present their own international or comparative work or to present

## Conference Fees:



Before 31 <sup>st</sup> January 2013	
Full Registration	€350
Student Registration	€300
Group Registration (for 4 registrations)	€1050
After 31 <sup>st</sup> January 2013	
Full Registration	€400
Student Registration	€350
Group Registration (for 4 registrations)	€1200

# Guidelines for abstract submission:



**Proposals for participation** in the 2015 ENSEC Conference can be submitted in the following formats:

- Paper (full paper or work-in-progress)
- Symposium or Panel Presentation
- Workshop
- Poster
- Special session (brief presentations)

Email for abstract submission: [ensec2015@fmh.ulisboa.pt](mailto:ensec2015@fmh.ulisboa.pt)

Abstracts should be submitted in English and should include:

- The names of the authors of the paper and their affiliations and email contact (if the paper has multiple authors then an 'author for correspondence' should be identified)
- The title of the paper
- An indication of your presentation preference (Note: The Scientific Committee reserves the right to decide on the final allocation and presentation method).
- A 250 word overview of the presentation which could include:
  - Where the presentation presents primary research, its impact on practice, policy or theory
  - Where the presentation presents a theoretical argument to the current context in the scope of the presented argument
  - The relevance of the presentation to the conference theme
  - The national or international significance of the presentation
  - 3-5 keywords

There is a limit of two contributed submissions per registered author. After registering your abstract, you will receive a confirmation email.

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**Deadline for submission of abstracts: 31<sup>th</sup> October**

**Confirmation of acceptance of papers: 15<sup>th</sup> December (notification will be sent by email)**



We are looking forward to see you in the 5<sup>th</sup>  
ENSEC Conference in Lisbon, 1-4 July 2015

*Cecilia Lima &*

