

Previous HER Workshops (2003 – 2012):

Pittsburgh (2012)
University of Pittsburgh

Berlin (2011)
Humboldt University

Vancouver (2010)
University of British Columbia

Mexico City (2009)
Center for Research and Advanced Studies -
Department of Educational Research

Shanghai (2008)
East China Normal University

Dublin (2007)
Dublin City University

Tokyo (2006)
University of Tsukuba

Vienna (2004)
University of Klagenfurt

Vancouver (2003)
University of British Columbia

The Organization of the Workshop

The Workshop will be hosted by the University of Ljubljana (Slovenia). It will be organized by staff and students of the Center for Educational Policy Studies, Faculty of Education.

The Workshop is co-sponsored by the Comparative and International Education Society (CIES) Higher Education Special Interest Group; the Canadian Society for the Study of Higher Education (CSSHE); the Centre for Policy Studies in Higher Education and Training, University of British Columbia at Vancouver, Canada; and the PASCAL International Observatory.

Workshop Venue

University of Ljubljana
Kongresni trg 12, Ljubljana

University of Ljubljana, Faculty of Education
Kardeljeva ploščad 16, Ljubljana

Call for Papers and Panels

Papers and panels are invited to address the above-mentioned and related themes. Proposals of up to 400 words (for papers) and 800 words (for panels) should be received per electronic mail (file transfer) by or before June 1, 2013 at ceps@pef.uni-lj.si. Presenters will be notified by June 14th.

Details concerning communication, registration, accommodation, and the program will be found at the workshop website:

<http://www.pef.uni-lj.si/index.php?id=766>



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Higher Education Reforms: Looking Back – Looking Forward 10th International Workshop on Higher Education Reform

October 2-4, 2013, Ljubljana





About University of Ljubljana

The University of Ljubljana is the oldest and the biggest university in Slovenia. With approximately 50.000 graduate and postgraduate students and 4000 higher education teachers and researchers who are studying and working in the 23 faculties and 3 arts academies it fulfils its mission: implementing and promoting basic, applied and developmental research and pursuing excellence and the highest quality as well as the highest ethical criteria in all scientific fields and art.

The university was founded in 1919 on the basis of centuries of educational tradition, remaining the only Slovenian university for half a century. The University is based in Ljubljana, the capital of Slovenia, a relatively large Central- European city with over 300.000 inhabitants. Students account for more than one-seventh of the population, giving the city a youthful and lively character.

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After four or five decades of far-reaching reform, Higher Education (HE) has profoundly changed. The 2013 Workshop theme gives an opportunity to look at the larger picture of these changes, the developments behind them, the drivers of change, and the effects of reform. At the same time, the theme invites contributions about the likely futures of HE over the next generation, suggesting (or speculating on) developments that will further change HE.

The 2013 workshop gives an opportunity for comparative analysis and discussion, either by geography (comparing, for example, reform policies within the same region, for instance former Communist Eastern European or Latin American countries) or by theme (for example the growing importance of private HE institutions in various countries) and the future of public HE). As the overall workshop theme suggests, contributions will consider development over time rather than a single reform initiative at a particular point in time.

Workshop theme: <http://www.pef.uni-lj.si/index.php?id=802>

Call for proposals: <http://www.pef.uni-lj.si/index.php?id=767>

Key Note Speakers:

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