XX Congress of the AMSE-AMCE-WAER
“Education and training in the face of the great challenges of our time: Migrations, digital society and sustainable development”

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The question of sustainability, the axis of the global public agenda, brings together some of the challenges that societies have and will face in the coming decades as it involves, among other aspects, answers to issues such as the increase in international migration, the digital revolution and the need to protect the environment. These are issues that concern the joint functioning of societies but that challenge education and training in a very specific way. The training institutions that make up the educational systems are not immune to change, both in its foundations and in its operation, play a central role in the development of a common future that consolidates the foundations of humanity on the planet. These challenges have a universal dimension, but they are also expressed at national and local levels, in the ways in which problems arise and in the ways of responding to them. The resulting national dimensions are inscribed in specific cultural anchors and are expressed through concepts and terminologies that are not always universal. The complexity of the challenges require a plurality of approaches and a call to all disciplines that can contribute to an overall understanding.

The holding of the XX Congress of the AMCE in June 2020 in Buenos Aires becomes an opportunity for the debate in education to acquire centrality both in the academic and public agenda. It is about generating an international academic instance on education where training and the complex processes associated with it are stressed within the framework of the transformations of contemporary societies that expose us to challenges whose scale, speed and complexity are unprecedented in history. The XX Congress of the AMCE, co-organized by UNIPE and UNSAM will thus be the occasion to give the floor to all
researchers who, from their respective domains, are in a position to provide the necessary clarifications and to have both the voices of officials whose responsibility is to carry out innovations based on the contributions of educational research.

Activities

The Congress will have plenary moments (open to all participants) and work tables where researchers will present their contributions. The open events will feature simultaneous translation into the three languages of the Congress: Spanish, French, and English.

Among the planned plenary moments, there are: the opening conference, three panels of specialists that will discuss each of the axes of the Congress - Migrations, Digital Society and Sustainable Development - from different perspectives and traditions. There will also be a panel of officials and educational authorities that will provide insight into the problems from the management of training institutions, national or international organizations.

Forms of participation in the Congress

The forms of participation foreseen in the 2020 Congress for researchers are three: Symposia or Colloquiums, Presentations and Posters. Applications will be made through the congress website (http://www.amse2020.org/es/) in any of the three formats mentioned and in one of the three congress languages: English, Spanish, French. They will be evaluated by members of the Scientific Committee.

I. Present a Symposium or Colloquium.

A symposium or a Colloquium consists of a group of at least six presentations on a common theme that generally covers the most recent data in a particular field related to one of the 3 axes of the congress. The minimum duration of a Symposium is half a day and the maximum is two days. Each Symposium must include contributions from at least two countries. There is no maximum number of participants in a symposium.

A symposium is presented by at least two expert researchers from different countries, with one of them (the referent) who is responsible for the entire procedure.

Steps for the presentation of a symposium or colloquium:

1. The referents prepare an abstract of the symposium of a minimum of 400 words and a maximum of 500 with at least 5 bibliographical references.
2. They elaborate a brief introduction of a maximum of 200 words.
3. They identify the group of colleagues who might be interested in participating in the Congress under this format and invite them to join the Colloquium. In the invitation they enclose the abstract of the symposium prepared by the referents, the brief introduction and the form that the participants who accept the invitation must complete.
4. The referent in charge of the entire procedure enters the symposium information at the congress site. For which participants must provide the following information:

- The title of the symposium.
- The author's personal information
• The abstract in PDF format of 400 words minimum and 500 words maximum in which the symposium problem is presented.
• The brief introduction of 200 words maximum.
• The axis in which the symposium is registered: migrations, digital society, sustainable development.
• 5 keywords
• A maximum of 5 bibliographical references
• The information gathered in the card about the participants of the symposium:
  a) Institution of membership of the author or authors of the presentation
  b) Email address
  c) Abstract of the presentation of the participants of approximately 500 words.

5. The symposium is sent for global evaluation to the scientific committee. When the symposium is approved, the referent receives an email that enables the registration of referents and participants in the Congress.

6. Registration is individual and the rates are governed by the same criteria as all other applications.

○ III. Submit papers or free communications

The author (or authors) of the communication proposal must submit, at the time of applying as a participant, the following information:

• The title of the communication.
• Author's name (authors)
• Institution you represent (or represent)
• Email address (of the author or authors)
• The axis in which you register your presentation or presentation
• 5 keywords
• An abstract in PDF format that is attached to the applicant's information of a minimum of 400 words and a maximum of 500 words that presents the problem of the presentation or communication.
• A very brief introduction to the work of approximately 200 words that is included in the general application information form.
• Maximum 5 bibliographic references.

○ III. Present a poster

The poster must have a format of 1.2m X 0.8m (A0 format). The printing and transportation of the poster are the responsibility of the author.

The author of the poster proposal must deposit the following information at the time of registration:

• The title of the poster
• Author's name
• Institution he represents
• Email address
• The axis in which you register your poster
• 5 keywords
• Summary of poster content (500 words maximum)
• Maximum 5 bibliographic references.

**Important notice for participants:** The same participant may only be the author or co-author of a maximum of three (3) applications of any kind, that is, he may apply for three papers; a poster, a communication and participate in a colloquium, etc. Your participation must not exceed the number of three applications in total.

Once the Scientific Committee accepts the summary, the applicants will proceed to register for the Congress.

**Registration Fees**

As a biannual activity the Congress of the AMCE makes an international call and self-finances through the registration of participants in the Congress. This forces to unify the value in a certain currency and scale generating a regionalization of the registration costs.

It should be noted that with the accession to the AMCE there is a bonus of 100 euros in the participation fees. The following table presents the registration fees for Congress according to category and region of residence. Note that the registration to Congress for those who join the AMCE is subsidized with 100 euros. In order to join the AMCE and access the congress registration fee, applicants will be directed to the AMCE website. On the AMCE website, all research teachers will pay a membership fee of 50 euros except for Argentines and Africans who will have a reduced rate of 25 euros. That is to say, that for these last two cases: Argentines and Africans, the total registration fee for the congress, including accession to the AMCE, is 75 Euros.

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Undergraduate and postgraduate students of UNIPE and UNSAM may participate as Congress attendees free of charge, with prior online registration.

All approved abstracts will be published online on the AMCE website and rapporteurships will be requested from the symposiums in order to make states of international debate available to the academic community.

**Inscription**

From June 1, 2019 entering the web


https://www.conftool.pro/amse2020/

**Important dates**

**June, July, August, September, October 2019**

Period for the nomination of the work of the participants.

**September-October-November 2019**

Evaluation of the postulated works

**October - November 2019**

Acceptance or rejection communication and payment management.

**November - December 2019 and January 2020**

Deadline for payment of the corresponding tariffs.

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Realization of the XX Congress "Education and training in the face of the great challenges of our time: Migrations, digital society and sustainable development".

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