CALL FOR PAPERS

For the 68th Meeting of the
SOUTHEAST PHILOSOPHY OF EDUCATION SOCIETY
and the 60th Meeting of the
SOUTH ATLANTIC PHILOSOPHY OF EDUCATION SOCIETY

February 4–6, 2016; Asheville, NC

We encourage you to participate in a joint meeting of the Southeast Philosophy of Education Society (SEPES) and the South Atlantic Philosophy of Education Society (SAPES) in Asheville, North Carolina, February 4–6, 2016. Given the substantial challenges facing educational institutions in general, and philosophical inquiry within and about them in particular, we believe it is increasingly important to create a space in which current and emerging scholars and practitioners can engage in meaningful dialogue and discussion. To that end, and building upon the long traditions of each organization in providing a friendly forum for conversations concerning philosophical ideas related to a broad variety of educational topics, SEPES and SAPES invite you to submit proposals for our first joint meeting.

While there is no particular theme to the conference, we are focusing particularly on expanding participation in discussions concerning foundational issues facing any and all aspects of PK-20 education. Such expansion aims to include graduate students, practitioners, and scholars who may not be affiliated with an education foundations/philosophy of education program, but are interested in engaging with philosophical ideas concerning education, broadly defined, with those who are. Topics might include, but are not limited to, the relationship between schooling and society; democracy and education; issues of diversity and commonality in education; the integration of theory and practice; neoliberalism, neoconservatism, and conservative modernization in education; and methodological approaches to education research.

Proposals should be no more than 500 words, excluding references, and should be submitted online through the following link: http://tinyurl.com/sepes-sapes

The presentation time for papers is approximately 15 to 20 minutes, and presenters are responsible for bringing all required technology. Please send all questions to sepesociety@gmail.com.

Proposal deadline: 1 November 2015

Conference Accommodations:
Doubletree Asheville-Biltmore
115 Hendersonville Road
Asheville, NC 28803
$109 per guest room/per night
http://www.doubletreeasheville.com/

Many thanks, and we looking forward to seeing you in Asheville!

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