



CIES 2012

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Announcements



The Comparative and International Education Society is pleased to announce the 56th annual meeting, which will be held in San Juan, Puerto Rico on April 22-27, 2012. As the oldest city under the US flag, San Juan's rich history and culture will serve as a stimulating backdrop for the CIES conference.

Conference Updates

2.23.12

As the room block at the Caribe Hilton is completely sold out, CIES participants can make reservations at the Conrad San Juan Condado Plaza hotel, which is 0.7 miles away from the conference venue. CIES room rates range from \$189-\$209, not including 11% tax and 14% resort fee. Use group code ACIF. The cutoff date for this rate is March 12, 2012.

Hotel Address: 999 Ashford Avenue, San Juan, Puerto Rico, 00907

Phone Number: 787-721-1000

2.21.12

The CIES 2012 room block at the Caribe Hilton is completely sold out. We are working to secure comparable special rates at a nearby hotel and will post details as soon as they are finalized.

2.7.12

The early bird deadline for registration has been extended to February 15. Register now to take advantage of the discounted rates.

1.17.12

The preliminary, unedited draft of the CIES 2012 conference program is now available here. The program has been arranged to minimize topic and presenter overlap while accommodating special requests that were submitted with proposals. The preliminary program is subject to change. Paper sessions, group panels, and business meetings have been scheduled. Discussants and chairs for paper sessions to the general pool will be appointed by January 21, 2012.



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To change any personal information that appears in the program, including names and affiliations, log in to the proposal submission site and select “Edit Personal Contact Information” under the Submitter menu.

If you face an irresolvable scheduling conflict, send an email to cies2012.pr@gmail.com with “Request for Schedule Change” in the subject line by Feb 8, 2012. Include your paper title and reason for your request. It may not be feasible to accommodate all requests. Requests based on personal preferences for specific days or times will not be considered.

Stay tuned for more information

1.13.12

- Registration is now open! Please register by February 8, 2012 to take advantage of the discounted early bird rates.
- The preliminary online program will be available on Tuesday, January 17.
- CIES attendees who would like to share lodging expenses can check the roommate locator page for more information.

1.3.2012:

- Acceptance notifications were sent out on December 20, 2011. Submitters can log in to the online submission site [here](#), and click on ‘Submit or Edit a Proposal’ to check on the status of their proposal. If, after checking the site, you are still unsure of the status of your submission, please contact the CIES 2012 organizers.
- We recommend that CIES attendees begin to make travel and lodging arrangements. Visa invitation letters are available for download from the online submission site for participants who need to apply for visas to travel to the US. Please check the [travel](#) page for more information.
- The pre-conference workshops are now listed [here](#). The workshops are open to all registrants who are interested, although capacity is limited. Participants may register for the workshops (\$5) online. Registration will open on January 16, 2012.
- To take advantage of the discounted early bird rates, **register by February 8, 2012**. The final registration deadline for presenters is March 19, 2012. After that date, unregistered presenters will be removed from the program.
- The preliminary online program will be available the week of January 16. Stay tuned!
- Participants are encouraged to check the [awards](#) pages and apply if eligible.