Children's Identity and Citizenship European Association Annual General Assembly Saturday 22 May 2010 Casa Convalescencia, Barcelona



Minutes

The Annual General Assembly was attended by 36 individual members and representatives of 36 institutional members. Christine Roland-Lévy [FR] was in the Chair.

1. Apologies

Apologies for absence were received from Ian Davies [UK].

2. Chair's remarks

Nanny Hartsmar has been elected as President Elect and will take up her position on 1st October 2010. Julia Spinthourakis will take up the office of CiCe President on 1st October 2010.

In 2011 the CiCea AGA will take place in University College Dublin, Ireland on Saturday 11 June.

3. To adopt the minutes of the Annual General Assembly on 23 May 2009 in Malmö as a true record.

Correction to minutes: the heading on page 3 will be amended to read 'To discuss the proposed programme for the Association for **2009-2010**'. The ratification of the minutes from the AGA held in Malmö was proposed by Panayota Papoulia Tzelepi (EL), seconded by Magda Danciu (RO) and was agreed unopposed. The minutes will be signed as a correct record of the meeting.

4. To receive the Executive report

The annual report 2009-2010 was presented by the Chair. With the addition of a point concerning the elections of President Elect, approval of the report was proposed by Panayota Papoulia Tzelepi (EL), seconded by Wolfgang Berg (DE) and was accepted by the members present. Since the report was printed and circulated the Executive Committee have held one further meeting.

5. To accept the Treasurer's report

The Treasurer's report was presented by Anne Marie Van den dries (BE). Approval of the report was proposed by Beata Krzywosz-Rynkiewicz (PL) and seconded by Cathie Holden (UK) and was accepted by the members present.

6. To receive a report from the Editor of the Association's journal

A report from Ian Davies (UK), the Editor of the Association's journal, was presented to the meeting by Marta Fülöp and is included in the appendix to these minutes.

7. To discuss the proposed programme for the Association for 2010-2011:

Association 2010-11: Executive Proposals

1. To extend and develop the Association's membership, including by attracting new members **from other fields of research**

Outcome: Proposal 1 agreed.

- 2. To define different activities in order to increase the research visibility of the Association:
 - a. to keep providing attractive (€1,500) research grants
 - **b. to develop the activities of our Research Centres** (& to advertise them widely)
 - to provide travel research grants, via a competition of projects, to go to our Research Centres
 - d. to provide an annual award for one or two best published paper(s)
 - e. to provide an <u>award</u> for outstanding achievement
 - f. to start a publication series
 - g. to find other specific research activities (e.g. workshops?)

Outcome: Proposal 2 agreed. The details of item c and e will be finalised at the Executive Committee meeting in Warsaw. Members asked that a report on how to apply for mobility to travel is included in the CiCea newsletter.

3. To clarify the role of the Association in connection with CiCe5 Academic Network.

Outcome: Proposal 3 agreed. The Executive Committee agreed to continue to clarify the differences between CiCe and CiCea and to have a CiCea information/membership desk at CiCe Conferences.

4. To organise an election for Executive members and to nominate a treasurer to take office from 1 October 2011 to 30 September 2015.

Outcome: Proposal 4 agreed.

5. To prepare and audit annual accounts for the fourth year of the Association (October 2009 to September 2010).

Outcome: Proposal 5 agreed.

6. To convene the 2011 Annual General Assembly of the Association in June 2011, in Dublin, Ireland, and to report to the members.

Outcome: Proposal 6 agreed.

All Executive proposals were unanimously accepted by the members present.

9. Any Other Business

There was no other business.

This is a true record of the meeting

Christine Roland-Lévy (President), Anne Marie Van den dries (Treasurer), Susana Gonçalves (Secretary) for the Executive Committee.

APPENDIX

A report to the CiCea Annual General Meeting 2010 from Dr. Ian Davies, the editor of the Association's Journal (*Citizenship Teaching and Learning*)

1. Publication of journal in 2009

Since the 2009 CiCea annual general meeting 2 issues have been published:

Volume 5 No. 1 was published in June 2009:

Alan Reid and Judith Gill: An Arm of the State? Linking Citizenship Education and Schooling Practice

Yan Wing Leung and Timothy Wai Wa Yuen: Participatory Citizenship and Student Empowerment: Case Study of a Hong Kong School

Stephen Gorard, Beng Huat See and Robina Shaheen: Educating for Citizenship: Some Lessons from England 2008

Rosnani Hashim and Charlene Tan: A Hyphenated Identity: Fostering National Unity Through Education in Malaysia and Singapore

Dagmar Richter: Teach and Diagnose Political Knowledge: Primary School Students Working with Concept Maps

Dieter Schmidt-Sinns: An Ecological Approach to Global Education.

Volume 5 No. 2 was published in December 2009. This was a special Canadian issue edited by Alan Sears.

Yvonne Hebert: Responsibility and Citizenship Education: Shifting Meanings, Policy and Curricula

Mark Evans, Leigh Anne Ingram, Angela MacDonald and Nadya Weber: Mapping the "global dimension" of citizenship education in Canada: The complex interplay of theory, practice, and context.

Jeff Orr and Robyn Ronayne: Indigeneity Education as Canadian First Nations Citizenship Education

Kristina Llewellyn and Joel Westheimer: Beyond Facts and Acts: The Implications of 'Ordinary Politics' for Youth Political Engagement

Carla Peck: Peering Through a Kaleidoscope: Identity, Historical Understanding and Citizenship in Canada

Ottillia Chareka: Who is In and Who is Out? The Politics of Inclusion and Exclusion in the Democratic Processes of Canada as Perceived by Recent African Immigrants

Book reviews are included in each edition.

2. Publishing arrangements

During March 2009 a publishing agreement was made between CiCea and citizED and Intellect. The first edition with Intellect will be Edition 6 Volume 1 and will be available in July 2010 (and dated 2011). The declared dates of the volumes will gradually become aligned with the actual publication date. There will be a special re-launch with wide circulation of information about the journal by the publisher. The articles to be included in the re-launch issue are:

Carole Hahn - Comparative Civic Education Research: What We Know and What We Need to Know Alistair Ross and Melinda Dooly - Young people's intentions about their political activity Gregory P. Fairbrother - Alternative Policy Measures for Improving Citizenship Education in Hong Kong

Penny Enslin and Nicky Hedge - A Good Global Neighbour: Scotland, Malawi and Global Citizenship Carla Peck et al - From Getting Along to Democratic Engagement: Moving Toward Deep Diversity in Citizenship Education

Suzanne Mellor - Insights from formal testing of Civics & Citizenship learning in Australia.

Book reviews will be included.

Volume 6 No. 2 will be a special European edition guest edited by Christine Roland Levy and Julia Athena Spinthourakis of CiCea.

3. Roles and Responsibilities within the Editorial Committee:

A paper was given to the committee outlining the main offices: one editor, 2 Associate Editors, Book Review Editor, Chief Regional Editors. The director of citizEd and the CiCea president are ex-officio members of the editorial board.

For the time being the following are in place:

Editor: Ian Davies (UK)

Associate editors: Marta Fulop (Hungary) and Alan Sears (Canada).

Book reviews editor: Mitsuhara Mizuyama (Japan)

Chief regional editors:

Africa - Professor Penny Enslin (University of Glasgow, UK)

Asia - Professor Kerry Kennedy (Hong Kong Institute of Education, Hong Kong) and Professor Wing

On Lee (Hong Kong Institute of Education, Hong Kong) Australia - Professor Murray Print (University of Sydney)

Canada - Professor Alan Sears (University of New Brunswick)

Europe – Professor Concepcion Naval, University of Navarra, Spain

South America - Rosario Jaramillo Franco (Ministry of Education of Colombia)

USA - Professor Judith Torney Purta (University of Maryland).