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## CALL FOR PROPOSALS

**JURE 2008**

### **11th Conference of the Junior Researchers of EARLI**

**Leuven, Belgium 8 - 11 July 2008**

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Proposal submission: 3 December 2007

Date of notification: 21 January 2008

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<http://www.earli-jure2008.org/>

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It is our great pleasure to invite you to participate in the 11th conference of the Junior Researchers of EARLI, taking place in Leuven, Belgium, from 8 until 11 July 2008.

#### **THEME**

The conference theme is "Innovative and Creative Perspectives: New Directions in Educational Research". The overwhelming use of new technologies has recently marked educational research as well as provided new possibilities for conducting research. JURE 2008 offers opportunities to discuss innovative research perspectives and developments with young researchers and senior experts. In addition, the conference offers a variety of keynotes and workshops on research techniques and other issues related to the daily practice of educational research.

#### **OBJECTIVE AND SCOPE**

The aim of JURE 2008 is to provide a space for all young educational researchers to focus on the innovative rather than the traditional aspects of their research projects. The term "junior researcher" includes PhD-students and graduates who have received their doctorate within the last three years. The goal of this conference is to highlight the creative aspects of the work of new researchers and to open possibilities for discussing the limitations and contributions of these new perspectives with experienced researchers in the field. To enhance opportunities for in-depth discussion the organising committee has introduced a peer-reviewed process in which papers and posters will be reciprocally reviewed by the participants.

#### **IMPORTANT DATES**

Deadline for proposal submission: December 3, 2007

Date for Notification of decision: January 21, 2008

#### **PROPOSAL FORMATS**

1. Paper presentation: A paper session consists of 3 conceptually linked papers. Each presentation lasts 20 minutes followed by 15 minutes for questions and discussion.
2. Poster presentation: Posters are grouped conceptually. Each poster is introduced with a brief oral presentation. After the introductions there is time to individually walk around the posters.
3. Round tables: Contrary to paper sessions, in which the presenters should at least present a finished literatures study or should have analyzed and interpreted their data, round tables should give you the opportunity to discuss outcomes as well as the design of a research projects or research in progress.

**FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE VISIT:** <http://www.earli-jure2008.org/>

We look forward to meeting you in Leuven!

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