



## International conference on homosexuality in secondary and tertiary education

# May 17-18, 2019 University of Leuven, Belgium



### **CONFERENCE BOOKLET**

## Programme and Abstracts of Presentations

#### **Conference Theme**

This conference aims to contribute towards a better understanding of homosexuality in secondary and tertiary education. The conference targets lecturers at teaching colleges and universities, teachers in secondary education, policy makers and representatives of sector organisations.

Education institutions play a critical role in eliminating the social breeding ground for homophobia and in providing a safe, secure space for young people to explore their sexual orientation and gender identity. Despite notable progress in some parts of the world, the experiences of the LGBT community illustrate that education systems still largely fail to meet these expectations.

Conference participants will obtain insights from a large comparative analysis in 8 European countries, as well as the effects of living in a same-sex household on test scores, early school leaving and the labour market. In addition, the conference provides practical workshops on didactical materials for secondary and tertiary education.

The conference takes place on the international day against homophobia, transphobia and biophobia. The conference is organised by the research center Leuven Economics of Education Research (LEER) of the Faculty of Economics and Business at KU Leuven, and the partners of the Homo'poly project (www.homopoly.eu). The conference takes place in Leuven, Belgium.

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Pre-Conference for network members Thursday May 16, 2019		
18:00 - 19:00	Registration – Part 1	
19:00	Reception & Homo'poly network dinner	

	1 <sup>st</sup> day
	Friday May 17, 2019
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8:30 - 9:00	Registration – Part 2
	Refreshments and networking
9:00 - 9:15	Opening Speeches:
	Prof. Dr. Chantal Van Audenhove, University of Leuven
	Prof. Dr. Oliver Holz, University of Leuven
9:15 – 10:15	PLENARY 1
	(Room HOG 00.85)
	Shaun Dellenty
	Cinami Zenemy
	Inclusion For All - A Whole School Approach to LGBT+ Inclusion
10:15 - 11:15	PLENARY 2
	(Room HOG 00.85)

#### **Kristof De Witte**

What are the effects of living in a same-sex household on test scores, early school leaving and the labour market, evidence from the Netherlands

11:15 – 11:45 **COFFEE BREAK** 

#### **CONCURRENT SESSION 1: 11:45-13:15**

	CHAIR Oliver Holz	CHAIR Carmen Santamaria	CHAIR Blanca Sariblan	CHAIR Philipp Aigner & Ralph De Jong
	Room xxx	Room xxx	Room xxx	Room xxx
11:45 - 12:15	A gaynergy antibullying label for secondary schools	A twisting discourse on homosexuality. Silent role of teachers in the student's Coming out process	Colourful families & opening doors	Workshop with secondary school students from Belgium, Germany, The Netherlands (and The United Kingdom)
	Author: Peter Dankmeijer	Authors: Justyna Ratkowska- Pasikowska & Małgorzata Jarecka-Zyluk	Workshop leader: Gemma Kendall & Laura Turner	
12:15 - 12:45	The Fear of Talking Queer: Post-graduate trainee teacher preparedness to address LGBTQ+ issues in UK Secondary schools.	The Gay-Straight-Alliance (GSA) at the R.W. Fassbinder Fachoberschule für Sozialwesen and the Fachoberschule für	Titel	

	Author: Sarah Charles & Alison Hardman	Gestaltung Authors: Andrea Beutel & Lukas Hoffmann			
12:45 - 13:15	Education, occupation, homophobia: Are the effects of educational attainment and work experiences changing through time?	lgbtiq.elementary – 12 methods for discussing LGBTIQ in secondary schools			
	Authors: Stef Adriaenssens & Jef Hendrickx	Authors: Markus Nusselt & Johannes Uschalt	Workshop leader: çavaria		
13:15 - 14:15	LUNCH				
14:15 - 14:45	PLENARY 3 (Room HOG 00.85)				
	Lotte Geunis				
	The issue and a comparative analysis of homosexuality				
14:45 - 16:15	CONCURRENT SESSION 2: 14:45-16:15				
	CHAIR Nesrin Oruc Ertück	CH <i>I</i> Guy Wal		CHAIR Corinna Kapfelsperger	

	Room xxx	Room xxx	Room xxx	
14:45 - 15:15	Perception of gender identity in employment. Preliminary analysis of research  Author: Justyna Ratkowska-Pasikowska	"Aufklärungsprojekt München" - workshops with an autobiographical approach to promote acceptance of LGBT+ and encounter stereotypes in (mainly) secondary schools and teacher training  Author: Philipp Aigner	Crossing bridges  Workshop leader: Anita Héger	
15:15 - 15:45	How Polish teachers treat homosexual students  Author: Marta Gierczynska	Anti-homo/transphobia teacher training in Greece, Cyprus and Lithuania  Author: Peter Dankmeijer	Lifeboat challenge & Kitchen table diary	
15:45 - 16:15	Portable Escape Room: Coming-out! Authors: Mónica Fumero Purriños & Enrique Latorre Ruiz	Title Authors: Sofie Cabus	Workshop leader: Ralph De Jong & Ernesto Lemke	
16:15 - 16:45	COFFEE BREAK			
16:45 - 18:15	CONCURRENT SESSION 3: 16:45-18:15			
	CHAIR Kristof De Witte	CHAIR Fiona Shelton	CHAIR xxx	

	Room xxx	Room xxx	Room xxx
16:45 - 17:15	A Munich Approach to Implement Sexual Education and Diversity in Biology Teacher Education	Erasing LGBTQI+ Sexualities through Invisibility in English Language Teaching Materials.	Title
	Authors: Franziska Behling, Christian Förtsch & Birgit J. Neuhaus	Author: Angelos Bollas	Workshop leader:
17:15 - 17:45	Changing gender stereotypes in children's picture books: a multimodal analysis	Antibullying or prosociality	Game of life
	Author: Carmen Santamaría García	Author: Peter Dankmeijer	
17:45 - 18:15	LGTB+ inclusion in the English classroom of secondary: a case study in Aragón (Spain)	An evaluation of a University wide project focussed on advancing LGBTQ+ representation and visibility in curricula, teaching and learning environments.	
	Authors: José M. Yebra & Ana Puértolas	Author: Maurice O'Brien	Workshop leader: Corinna Kapfelsperger & Philipp Aigner
19:00		CONFERENCE DINNER: Faculty Club	

		2 <sup>nd</sup> day					
	Saturday May 18, 2019						
9:00 - 9:30		Registration					
		COFFEE BREAK					
9:30 - 10:15	PLENARY 4 (Room HOG 00.85)						
		Ralph de Jong & Kristof De Witt	е				
	Effects of the didactical materials – Evidence from a randomized controlled trial in the Netherlands						
	CONCURRENT SESSION 4: 10:15 - 12:15						
	CHAIR Lotte Geunis	CHAIR Oliver Holz	CHAIR Ernesto Lemke				
	Room xxx	Room xxx	Room xxx				
10:15 - 10:45	Title	Liebe ist wenn niemand in ein Schema gepresst wird	Classroom debate				
	Author: Fiona Shelton	Author: Eva Steinherr	Workshop leader: Eva Palencia & Blanca Sariblan				
10:45 - 11:15	Break the double taboo. Invisible	LBT Female students in a Co-educational	Speed meeting				

	environment. Homosexuality of people with intellectual disabilities	context		
	Authors: Justyna Ratkowska-Pasikowska & Ewa Gawlik	Author: Mónica Fumero Purriños	Workshop leader: Halina Krupa	
11:15 - 11:45	Mainstreaming sexual diversity in sex education for secondary schools. Lessons learned from the Dutch comprehensive sex education program 'Long Live Love'.	Review of LGBTI rights in education in Europe	Homo'poly – The game	
	Authors: Koenraad Vermey, Lisette Schutte (Soa Aids Nederland) & Marianne Cense (Rutgers)	Author: Peter Dankmeijer		
11:45 - 12:15	Titel			
	Author: Fiona Shelton & Jacob Blatherwick		Workshop leader: Evi Baeyens, Carla Cosyns & Mieke Van Den Bossche	
	CLOSING REMARKS (Room HOG 00.85) Marta Gierczyńska-Kolas			
12:30		Lunch		