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## CALL FOR PAPERS

### Lessons and Legacies of Early Childhood History (Special Issue)

The current attention to ECEC programs and policies worldwide makes it imperative to understand developments in the past. This special issue aims to add to the burgeoning literature on ECEC history in recent years to present new work by scholars working in diverse international contexts.

The special issue will take a wide frame regarding early years history in terms of its perspectives, geography and its scope, to include contributions 'beyond kindergarten' and the main ECE country players. The aim is to open up the question of what ECE history is. What is the role and place of history in current policy and pedagogical discourses? What are the interconnections between ECE history and other institutional or policy histories?

We welcome submission of papers on topics, themes, and locations having little prior coverage, including, for example, histories of early education for indigenous children, for children with special needs, for marginalized children, for children in the global south. We particularly invite submissions on ECE history in Eastern Europe, Africa, Asia, and South and Central America.

Articles can be up to 6000 words in length, including references and tables. It is planned to include these papers in the **March 2018** issue of the journal. Please email your abstract (up to 500 words) to the Special Issue editors by **March 15, 2017**. The submission date for full papers will be **August 31, 2017**. All papers will be peer-reviewed.

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