RECE conference 2018 Copenhagen, Denmark
Regular updates and information will be provided at the RECE eventpage and Facebook: RECE (Reconceptualizing Early Childhood Education)
Preliminary Conference Program

*Inequality in Early Childhood Education and Care*

Main Conference

**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 14, 2018**

Registration, welcoming reception and plenary at The Danish School of Education (DPU).

**MONDAY, OCTOBER 15, 2018**

Registration
Full day of conference

**TUESDAY, OCTOBER 16, 2018**

Excursions
Half day of conference

**WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 17, 2018**

Full day of conference
RECE Business Meeting
Conference dinner

**THURSDAY, OCTOBER 18, 2018**

Half day of conference
Closing ceremony
Conference Host

The Danish Center for Research in Early Childhood Education and Care hosts the conference. The Center is a joint venture between:
- Roskilde University (RUC)
- Aarhus University, the Danish School of Education (DPU)
- The Danish Union of Early Childhood and Youth Educators (BUPL)
- The University Colleges of Denmark

We are delighted to have the Danish School of Education (DPU) as a venue to host the RECE conference in 2018, in cooperation with Roskilde University, Department of People and Technology.

Roskilde University (RUC) was established 1972, originally in order to challenge academic traditions and to experiment with new ways to create and acquire knowledge. RUC cultivates a project and problem oriented approach to knowledge creation, because of a belief that the most relevant results are obtained by solving real problems in collaboration with others. RUC also cultivates transparency, because of a passionate belief that participation and knowledge sharing are prerequisites for freedom of thought, democracy, tolerance and development. Read more: https://ruc.dk/en/about-roskilde-university
The Danish School of Education (known in Denmark as DPU) constitutes Denmark's largest and strongest university environment for basic and applied research within the field of education and educational theory (pedagogics). DPU is a department of Aarhus University located in Copenhagen. Read more: http://edu.au.dk/en/

The Danish Centre for Research in Early Childhood and Care was established in 2015 as a collaboration between RUC and DPU. Initiated by the Danish Union for Pedagogues with the ambition to unite and strengthen research in ECEC, which was a scattered and minor field of research in DK.
Conference Venue
The Danish School of Education (DPU) was established in 2011 as a department at the Faculty of Arts at Aarhus University and is located in Copenhagen. DPU is located close to the city center and very close to the public train station Emdrup St. All conference activities will be held at DPU.

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Visa information

Below you will find a list of countries with and without a visa requirement. If you have any questions to the list, please contact The Danish Immigration Service. For questions regarding the visa process in regards to RECE please contact the Host Committee at cedif-sekr@ruc.dk.

If you need a visa, please visit the page “Apply for a short term visa to Denmark” (on the left side of this page), and if you do not need a visa, please visit the page “Visa Free Travel” (on the left side of this page).

Countries with a visa requirement

If you are a citizen of one of the following countries, you must have a visa in order to enter Denmark:

- Afghanistan
- Albania****
  *(Citizens with biometric passports are exempt from the visa requirement. Biometric passports have been issued since May 2010. As from 1 March 2012 non-biometric passports will no longer be valid for travel abroad)*
- Algeria
- Angola
- Armenia
- Azerbaijan
- Bahrain
- Bangladesh
- Belarus
- Belize
- Benin
- Bhutan
- Bolivia*
- Bosnia-
  Herzegovina****
  *(Citizens with biometric passports are exempt from the visa requirement. Biometric passports have been issued since May 2010. As from 1 March 2012 non-biometric passports will no longer be valid for travel abroad)*
been issued since 15 October 2009)
Botswana
Burkina Faso
Burma (Myanmar)
Burundi
Cambodia
Cameroon
Cape Verde
Central African Republic
Chad
China**
Comoros
Congo
Cuba
Democratic Republic of Congo
Djibouti
Dominican Republic
Ecuador
Egypt*
Equatorial Guinea
Eritrea
Ethiopia
Fiji
Gabon
Gambia
Georgia (Citizens with biometric passports are exempt from the visa requirement. All passports issued from 28 July 2014 are biometric passports)
Ghana
Guinea
Guinea-Bissau
Guyana
Haiti
India*
Indonesia
Iran
Iraq
Ivory Coast
Jamaica
Jordan
Kazakhstan****
Kenya
Kosovo
Kuwait
Kyrgyzstan
Laos
Lebanon
Lesotho
Liberia
Libya
Madagascar
Macedonia (FYROM) (Citizens with biometric passports are exempt from the visa requirement. Biometric passports have been issued since April 2007)
Malawi
Maldives
Mali
Mauritania
Moldova**** (Citizens with biometric passports are exempt from the visa requirement. Biometric passports have...
been issued since 1 January 2011)
Mongolia
Montenegro****
(Citizens with biometric passports are exempt from the visa requirement.
Biometric passports have been issued since May 2008. All new passports are biometric)
Morocco*
Mozambique
Namibia
Nauru
Nepal
Niger
Nigeria
North Korea
Oman
Pakistan*
Papua New Guinea
Philippines*
Qatar
Russia****
Rwanda
Sao Tomé and Príncipe
Saudi Arabia
Senegal
Serbia****
(Citizens with biometric passports are exempt from the visa requirement.
This does not apply to persons with passports issued by the Serbian Coordination directorate Koordinaciona uprava. Biometric passports have been issued since July 2008)
Sierra Leone
Somalia
South Africa
South Sudan
Sri Lanka
Sudan
Suriname
Swaziland
Syria
Taiwan (Citizens with a passport issued by Taiwan which contains an identity card number are exempt from the visa requirement. The same applies to citizens with old Taiwanese passports with "Republic of China" on the front page, if the stated place of birth is Taiwan and the passport contains an identity card number)
Tadjikistan
Tanzania
Thailand*****
Togo
Tunisia****
Turkey***
(Citizens with biometric passports are exempt from the visa requirement. Biometric passports have been issued since 12 January 2015) Uzbekistan 
Vietnam 
Yemen 
Zambia 
Zimbabwe 

Passports issued by the Palestinian Authority

Visa-free countries
If you are a citizen of one of the following countries, you do not need a visa in order to enter Denmark:

Andorra
Antigua and Barbuda
Albania ****
(Only citizens with biometric passports are exempt from the visa requirement. Biometric passports have been issued since May 2010)

Argentina
Australia
Austria
Bahamas
Barbados
Belgium
Bosnia-Herzegovina****
(Only citizens with biometric passports are exempt from the visa requirement. Biometric passports have been issued since 15 October 2009) 
Brazil
Brunei
Darussalam
Bulgaria
Canada
Chile
Colombia
Costa Rica
Croatia
Cyprus
Czech Republic
Dominica
El Salvador
Estonia
Finland
France
Georgia (Only citizens with biometric passports are exempt from the visa requirement. All passports issued from 28 July 2014 are biometric passports)
Germany
Greece
Grenada
Guatemala
Honduras
Hungary
Iceland
Ireland
Israel
Italy
Japan
Kiribati

Latvia
Liechtenstein
Lithuania
Luxembourg
Macedonia (FYROM) (Only citizens with biometric passports are exempt from the visa requirement)
Malaysia
Malta
Marshall Islands
Mauritius
Mexico
Micronesia
Moldova**** (Only citizens with biometric passports are exempt from the visa requirement. Biometric passports have been issued since 1 January 2011)

Monaco
Montenegro**** (Only citizens with biometric passports are exempt from the visa requirement)
Netherlands
New Zealand
Nicaragua
Northern Marianas
Norway
Palau
Panama
Paraguay
Peru
Poland
Portugal
Romania
Samoa
San Marino
Saint Kitts and Nevis
Serbia**** (Only citizens with biometric passports are exempt from the visa requirement)
visa requirement. This does not apply to persons with passports issued by the Serbian Coordination directorate (Koordinaciona uprava). Seychelles Singapore Slovakia Slovenia Solomon Islands South Korea Spain St. Lucia St. Vincent and the Grenadines Sweden Switzerland Taiwan (Only citizens with a passport issued by Taiwan which contains an identity card number are exempt from the visa requirement. The same applies to citizens with old Taiwanese passports with "Republic of China" on the front page, if the stated place of birth is Taiwan and the passport contains an identity card number). Timor-Leste Tonga Trinidad and Tobago Tuvalu Ukraine (Only citizens with biometric passports are exempt from the visa requirement. Biometric passports have been issued since 12 January 2015) United Arab Emirates United Kingdom United States Uruguay Vanuatu Vatican City State Venezuela

*Citizens with diplomatic and service passports are exempt from the visa requirement.  
** Citizens with diplomatic passports are exempt from the visa requirement, and citizens with a "Hong Kong Special Administrative Region" passport, a "Região Administrativa Especial
de Macau” passport or a "British National Overseas" passport are exempt from the visa requirement.

*** Citizens with diplomatic, special and service passports are exempt from the visa requirement.

**** Citizens with diplomatic passports are exempt from the visa requirement.

***** Citizens with diplomatic and service passports and "official passports" are exempt from the visa requirement.

In the Overview of Travel Documents, Visa Conditions and Border Crossing Points you can e.g. find an overview of foreign nationals who are exempt from the passport and visa requirement and an overview of approved border crossing points.
Staying in Copenhagen
Copenhagen offers a variety of accommodation possibilities. The RECE 2018 venue is very centrally located and close to public transportation. Your choice of accommodation can easily be across the entire city. Experience the essence of Danish design in one of Copenhagen design hotels in the hip Vesterbro district, or save your money for exploring and choose one of Copenhagen's many budget-friendly hotel and hostels. Visit Copenhagen offers a great overview of accommodation possibilities.

Weather
October is considered part of autumn in Denmark, and daytime temperatures usually range between 8-12 degrees Celsius (50 degrees Fahrenheit), with overnight temperatures ranging from the single digits to 0 degrees Celsius.

It is advisable to pack the following:
1. Umbrella
2. Windbreaker
3. Closed toe shoes
4. Scarf or shawl
5. Long pants

Currency
Denmark has its own currency Krone. It is however ‘locked’ to the euro. 1 Danish Krone is 0,13 € (currently 0,16 US$).
Getting around in Copenhagen
Amongst many Copenhageners, the bicycle is the preferred means of transport year around, but the weather in October is not always suited for cruising around by bike! There are many possibilities for bike rental, if you wish to “do it the Copenhagen way”!

Public transportation:
The public transportation in Copenhagen takes you everywhere, and trains, Metro and busses (including waterbuses) can be accessed with the same ticket. All you need to know is how many zones you will pass on your journey. You can buy single tickets at most train stations (and at the airport) or download the app “DOT Mobilbilletter”, which lets you buy tickets on the go. The most used travel planner is Rejseplanen, which can be accessed through your browser, or you can download the app.

The City Pass or The Copenhagen Pass might be a cheaper solution if you plan to use public transportation throughout the conference.

City Pass
With a City Pass, you can enjoy unlimited travel on buses, trains and the metro in Copenhagen in zones 1-4, from the moment you arrive in Copenhagen via the airport. You can buy the tickets upon arrival in the airport or in advance, in order for you to travel easily from and to the airport without having to think about where to purchase tickets, the types of tickets available or travel zones.
Prices: 24 hours City Pass (Adult: 11 €), 72 hours City Pass (Adult: 27 €)
Copenhagen Card
The Copenhagen Card combines public transportation, sightseeing admissions and various discounts. You get unlimited travel on trains, busses, metro and harbour busses throughout the entire capital region, including to and from the airport, and many tourist activities are free with the card. Available as a 24, 48, 72, or 120 hour card. The prices are (respectively): 53€, 74€, 89€ or 120€. Read more: https://copenhagencard.com

What to see and do in Copenhagen
One of the great things about Copenhagen is that almost everything is within walking distance, and walking is really the best way to explore the city. If you have time on your hand, you can visit one of many museums in Copenhagen, stroll along in the old or medieval neighbourhoods or visit Christiania. Other places worth visiting may be found on https://www.visitcopenhagen.com/copenhagen-tourist

Culture Night – Friday October 12th
Copenhagen's annual Culture Night kicks off the autumn break in Copenhagen and offers children and adults hundreds of cultural events in just one night: museums, churches, exhibition halls, art galleries, humanitarian organisations, political and cultural institutions open their doors to their secret rooms, basements, towers, and cultural events on this one night only. Whether you
wish to experience the Supreme Court, parliament or simply take a stroll in the streets - Culture Night is simply beautiful. The whole city is an integral part of Culture Night, and the range of cultural institutions and venues mirrors how versatile Copenhagen is. There are hundreds of events for all ages, so do not hesitate to bring the kids to Culture Night in Copenhagen. Read more about the cultural events and ticket-purchase here: https://www.kulturnatten.dk/en/Culture-night