

European Association for Research on Learning and Instruction

## Dear SIG8 Members.

This newsletter includes important information concerning: (1) the introduction of a new SIG Co-Coordinator and a new JURE Coordinator, (2) the next ICM conference and summer school in Dresden, and (3) the 2019 Student Research Excellence Recognition:

- (1) New SIG8 coordinator: We are excited that Hanna Järvenoja became our new SIG 8 Co-Coordinator at our members meeting at EARLI 2019 in Aachen, and she will be serving in this role for the next four years (2019-2023). Hanna will be working together with Fani Lauermann for the next two years until Fani completes her term as senior coordinator of our SIG in 2021. Hanke Korpershoek stepped down after completing her four-year term as coordinator. Thank you Hanke for your excellent service to our SIG, and welcome Hanna to our team!
- (2) **Two new SIG8 JURE coordinators:** Two excellent young researchers Martin Daumiller and Julia Morinaj - were elected as our new SIG 8 JURE Assistant Coordinators, as Kristina Loderer stepped down after completing her two-year term. Thank you, Kristina, for your outstanding service and representation of our junior members! Welcome, Julia and Martin!
- (3) CALL FOR SUBMISSIONS ICM 2020 in Dresden: The call for submissions for the ICM 2020 in Dresden is now open. The submissions deadline is **December 9th**, 2019. The joint conference of SIG8 and SIG16 will be held from September 3rd until September 8th, 2020, with one overlapping day between the two SIGs. We look forward to receiving many excellent submissions! Please visit the conference website for further information regarding the submissions and deadlines: https://sig8meetssig16-dresden.de
  - LINK TO THE CALL FOR SUBMISSIONS: https://sig8meetssig16-dresden.de/wpcontent/uploads/2019/10/Call\_SIG8-16\_Dresden2020\_final.pdf
- (4) Summer School ICM 2020 in Dresden: We are continuing our great tradition of supporting young researchers by offering a summer school prior to the conference. The Summer School of SIG 8 and SIG 16 will be held together from the 31st of August to the 2nd of September, preceding the joint conference. The venue will be announced soon, so stay tuned! Link: https://sig8meetssig16-dresden.de/summer-school-2/
- (5) 2019 SIG8-Student Research Excellence Recognition: One excellent young researcher was recognized at the SIG 8 members meeting at EARLI 2019, for her outstanding first-authored paper presented at the conference, based on ratings received by an international selection committee of long-term SIG8 members. Warm congratulations to Monika Donker (Utrecht University) for the recognition of her paper on "Teachers' Physiological Arousal during Teacher-Student Interaction as Predictor of Teacher Emotions". We also congratulate her co-authors, Tamara van Gog, Thomas Goetz, Anna-Lena Roos, and Tim Mainard. Of course, we cannot miss this opportunity to recognize all other excellent young researchers who submitted their work for

consideration. The selection committee had a very difficult task of selecting just one paper, and it truly was a pleasure to read your outstanding work!

- (6) Stay tuned for our Call for Nominations for the SIG8 Lifetime Achievement Recognition: One of the highlights of every ICM is the Lifetime Achievement Recognition, which is awarded to a SIG member (or members) for their lifetime contributions to our scientific community and to our SIG. Stay tuned for our call for such nominations, which will be sent to our members within the next few weeks!
- (7) Please check your SIG8 membership via the EARLI.org Dashboard: Please make sure that you are registered as a SIG8 member (and not only as an EARLI member) via the EARLI.org Dashboard. You can do so by clicking on www.earli-eapril.org --> click on the tab "Dashboard" --> click on "My recent orders" --> check if you are a SIG8 member and if not --> click on "add new membership" --> add SIG-08 membership (8 EUR fee). As announced at our members meeting at EARLI 2019, we are currently the second largest SIG (short just two members to take the lead). Thank you for your continued support and active involvement with the SIG!

We very much look forward to welcoming you in Dresden at the next ICM in 2020!

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