

IJPE

International Journal of
Progressive Education

Volume 6 Number 3 October, 2010



*An Interactive Journal Sponsored by International Association of Educators
(INASED)*

International Journal of Progressive Education

Frequency: Three times a year; February, June, and October

ISSN: 1554-5210

Indexing/Abstracting:

- 1- OCLC-WorldCat: <http://www.oclc.org/worldcat/default.htm>
- 2- Journal Finder: <http://journalfinder.uncg.edu/demo/>
- 3- Directory of Open Access Journals: (DOAJ): <http://www.doaj.org/home>
- 4- EBSCO Publication: <http://www.ebsco.com>
- 5- AERA e-journals: <http://aera-cr.asu.edu/ejournals/>
- 6- [NewJour](#) (A Listing of New Electronic Journals)
- 7- Cabell's Directory of Publishing: <http://www.cabells.com>
- 8- International Society for Exploring Teaching and Learning: <http://www.isetl.org/>
- 9- Australian Government Education Portal: <http://www.education.gov.au/goved/go>
- 10- Education Network Australia: <http://www.edna.edu.au/edna/go>
- 11- ERIC: <http://www.eric.ed.gov/>

2010 Subscription Rates

- \$35 Association Member USA (Canada: \$40; Rest of World: \$50)
- \$45 Individual USA (Canada: \$50; Rest of World: \$55)
- \$35 Student USA (Canada: \$40; Rest of World: \$50)
- \$140 Library/Institution USA (Canada: \$160; Rest of World: \$160)

Single Issues and Back Issues: \$25 USA (Canada: \$35; Rest of World: \$35)

If you wish to subscribe for the printed edition of IJPE, please send the subscription fee as check or money order (payable to International Association of Educators) to the following address:

International Association of Educators
1971 S. Orchard Street
University of Illinois
Urbana, IL 61801 USA

Print copies of past issues are also available for purchased by contacting the Customer Service department subscription@inased.org

International Journal of Progressive Education

Editor:

Mustafa Yunus Eryaman

Canakkale Onsekiz Mart University, Turkey

Associate Editor:

Chen Xinren

Nanjing University, China

Assistant Managing Editors:

Eryca Rochelle Neville

University of Missouri-Columbia, USA

Nihat Kahveci

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, USA

Alex Jean-Charles

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, USA

Mustafa Koc

Isparta Suleyman Demirel University, Turkey

He Ning

Nanjing University, China

Editorial Board:

Bertram Chip Bruce

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, USA

Peggy Placier

University of Missouri-Columbia, USA

Yang Changyong

Southwest China Normal University China

Sharon Tettegah

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, USA

Fernando Galindo

Universidad Mayor de San Simón, Bolivia

Susan Matoba Adler

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, USA

Carol Gilles

University of Missouri-Columbia, USA

Julie Matthews

University of the Sunshine Coast, Australia

Nezahat Guclu

Gazi University, Turkey

Cushla Kapitzke

University of Queensland, Australia

Catalina Ulrich

Universitatea din Bucuresti, Romania

Rauf Yildiz

Yildiz Technical University, Turkey

Juny Montoya

Universidad de Los Andes, Bogotá, Colombia

Winston Jumba Akala

Catholic University of Eastern Africa, Kenya

Kwok Keung HO

Hong Kong Institute of Education, Hong Kong

Sara Salloum

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, USA

Mustafa Ulusoy

Gazi University, Turkey

Pragasit Sitthitikul

Walailak University, Thailand

Serkan Toy

Iowa State University, USA

Catherine D Hunter

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, USA

Ismail Sahin

Selcuk University, Turkey

Bongani Bantwini

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, USA

Cemalettin Ayas

Sinop University, Turkey

Mehmet Acikalin

Istanbul University, Turkey

Luisa Rosu

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, USA

Caglar Yildiz

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, USA

Sheila L. Macrine

Montclair State University, USA

Tuncay Saritas

Iowa State University, USA

Hakan Dedeoglu

Hacettepe University, Turkey

Ihsan Seyit Ertem

University of Florida, USA

Youngung Min

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, USA

Raul Alberto Mora Velez

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, USA

Van-Anthoney Hall

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, USA

Chan Raymond M.C.

Hong Kong Baptist University

Pauline Sameshima

Washington State University, USA

Martina Riedler

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, USA

Erdal Toprakci

Cumhuriyet University, Turkey

Advisory Board

Lu Youquan

East China Normal University, China

Ma Hemin

East China Normal University, China

Chrispen Matsika

Georgia College & State University

Wei Liu

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, USA

Jeylan Woliye Hussein

Almeya University, Ethiopia

Zorhasni Zainal Abiddin

University Pudra Malasia

The views expressed in this publication are not necessarily those of the Editor or the Editorial Review Board, nor the officers of the International Association of Educators (INASED). Copyright, 2006, International Association of Educators (INASED). ISSN 1554-5210

TABLE OF CONTENTS

Volume 6, Number 3
October 2010

Articles

- 6** **Majority Teachers' Perceptions of Urban Adolescents and Their Abilities: Probes from Self-Reflection and Teacher Autobiographies**
Authors: *Immaculee Harushimana*
- 26** **A Participatory Action Research Study of Nature Education in Nature: Towards Community-based Eco-pedagogy**
Authors: *Mustafa Yunus Eryaman, Sukran Yalcin Ozdilek, Emel Okur, Zeynep Cetinkaya, Selcuk Uygun*
- 38** **Geography Teachers' Usage of the Internet for Education Purposes**
Authors: *Adem Sezer*
- 51** **Identifying students' learning style preferences regarding some variables in an EFL classroom**
Authors: *Cevdet Yilmaz & Salih Zeki Genc*