

## **Minutes NW 4 business meeting**

During the business meeting we presented and discussed the contributions received by the network this year: 286 submissions (+10%), 245 accepted, 42 peer reviewers, 27 chairs, 142 Papers, 10 Posters, 1 Video, 1 Ignite talk, 1 Panel discussion, 4 Research workshop and 19 Symposia. 21 sessions were focused on the special NW call on “Inclusion at risk in education”.

Participants feedback on the conference was generally very positive: the conference app, session titles and NW social dinner were some of the highlights. Suggestions for improvements were related to the use of Twitter, the opportunity to organise welcoming session for newcomers, a “coffee space” for the NW members, and a contact session during the conference for those interested in exploring cooperation on Erasmus+, Horizon Europe, ERC and MSCA.

At the meeting the link convenor, with support from the convenors group, submitted the proposal for Honorary Network Member of Liz Todd, who acted as a link convenor of the network in the past few years. The proposal was approved.

Considering the large amount of participants to the NW activities, we invited three colleagues (Hermína Gunnþórsdóttir, Olja Jovanović and Jonathan Rix) to join as new co-convenors in addition to the current convenors group (Ines Alves, Fabio Dovigo and Michelle Proyer).

The quality of posters presented at Hamburg was positively commented. To further improve the design and organisation of posters (often presented by young researchers) we proposed to develop some guidelines to be published on the ECER NW webpage.

Finally, we recall that the Glasgow conference will host the NW Seminar “Forced Migration and The Global Education 2030 Agenda: From educational research to policy and practice”, developed with the support of EERA and in close collaboration with NWs 7 and 20.