

Minutes Gender and Education Network (NW8), NERA2023

This year the network meeting was scheduled *before* all the session which made it difficult to make any reflections about the conference. Due to these circumstances, mainly practical matters were discussed during the network meeting. Reflections from the network members:

- It was very convenient that you could create and build your own personal program.
- It was very convenient with the prepared paper lunch bags.
- The locations of the sessions were scheduled the day before the conference, which is too late.
- There were no notifications about last minute cancellations. It is very important that the convenor of the network as well as the chair receive this information from the organizers beforehand.
- Information from the convenor: feel free to contact me regarding ideas about a joint symposium in the network or in collaboration with other networks, special issue calls, book calls, open positions, new publications in the field of gender and education in the Nordic countries, ideas about a pre-conference or conference calls of relevance for the network. I'll be happy to share this information in the network.

Notes from the convenor

Presentations: Number of accepted abstracts 13. Accepted papers: 12. Two presentations were cancelled, so in all there were ten paper presentations during the conference. One accepted poster presentation. Nordic countries represented in the network at NERA2023: Denmark (1 paper presentation) Norway (3 paper presentations) and Sweden (6 paper presentations and 1 poster presentation). Fourteen new members have signed up for the NW8 send list this year, which is good news.

NERA2024 will be organized by Malmö University, Sweden. I hope I'll see you in Malmö next year!

All the very best,

Ylva Odenbring, convenor of the Gender and Education Network, NW8