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# XXIX RIDEF

## Encuentro Internacional de Educadores Freinet

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León España

### EDUCACIÓN Y EQUIDAD DE GÉNERO



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# PRESENTATION

A RIDEF is a meeting and a celebration. Teachers from all around the world who believe in the school as an engine of social change towards a humanity sustained in love, justice and knowledge, meet and celebrate this beautiful ideal. Following the example of Freinet, they celebrate it working: by sharing generously strategies, methods, experiences, theory and especially practice, and they also celebrate it sharing leisure time that is a time of joy as well.

This meeting has been held since 1968, when it was celebrated for the first time in Belgium. And this year 2012, it will fulfil its XXIX edition in the Spanish city of Leon, from 23rd July to 1st August.

The objectives are repeated and renewed. Reflection, debate and research about the school of today in order to get the school for tomorrow. A school for everybody, a school of values, participatory, cooperative and critical. A teacher training in this regard.

Added to this, the issue that structures all the work at RIDEF is : Education and gender equality. Aspects. Needs. Stages and achievement strategies. In line with the World Conference on Women and the Millennium Development Goals. Trying to do our bit to reverse an intolerable situation of discrimination against girls and women in the world.

Finally, the objective for the organization is to facilitate the successful work of the participants, a pleasant stay, knowledge and enjoyment of natural and cultural environment of our city and our country and the personal enrichment that a meeting like this supposes.

All participant movements collaborate to achieve these objectives, and they are responsible of a cooperative work plan to be developed during the meeting which is focused on workshops, discussions, conferences and assemblies.

18:30 h.-Roundtable: "Status of Coeducation in the different continents"  
Participants: Teresita Garduño Rubio from México. Founder and director of the Institute for Educational research. Antoinette Mengue Abesso from Cameroon, professor at a Teacher Training School. M<sup>a</sup> Joaquina Sánchez Ortiz de Landaluze from Spain ex-coordinator and responsible for coeducation at the institute "Polígono Sur" of Seville. Miki Igari from Japan. Social Studies teacher at a Public High School in Tokyo metropolis. Moderator: Juan José Vicente Cuesta member of MCEP (Spain)

20:30 h.- Dinner 21:30 h.- "Women in Music"

Throughout the day, we will have the participation of associations that work for the women's rights, exhibitions, theatre, films...Associations and groups involved: Feminist Association in Leon, FLORA TRISTÁN, PROMETEO group, Men for Equality, Association to aid victims of sexual assault and domestic violence, ADAVAS. Bookshops and publishers.

## II WORKSHOPS ON FREINET BOOKS OR MAGAZINES

"Fundació Càtedra Enric Soler i Godes" of the University Jaume I at Castello de la Plana, held in 2010 the

" I Workshops on Freinet school books and magazines" made at the schools of the II Spanish Republic. Now, due to the celebration of this RIDEF in Leon, we want to meet again at the "II Workshops on Freinet school books and magazines"

This RIDEF 2012 meeting wants to contribute to the training and sensibilization on gender equality, therefor, all the workshops, lectures, debates and round tables will have this axis. We also want to offer our cooperation to the subject and we therefore invite fellow participants to investigate the contents of the notebooks in relation to gender equality and on the contribution of women teachers who practiced Freinet techniques in internal and external exile.

We also want to take advantage of the meeting to continue our lines of research on school notebooks and specifically on the outcome of that school practice after the purification of teachers by the Franco regime after the Spanish Civil War. To advance the study of internal and external exile of those teachers pioneers in the application of Freinet techniques, will be part of our work in these II Workshops.

This special “open day” allows the RIDEF open to the world around and interested people come to know us and participate.

### Why a FORUM DAY: EDUCATION AND GENDER EQUALITY?

The transverse axis of all the activities at the RIDEF is the right to education of girls and women with equal opportunities. The education must help to provide them with enough resources for their development, which is only possible in a coeducational school. Likewise, we are interested in the development of training actions to prevent gender violence.

The Forum day programme includes:

9:30 h -- 11:00 h.- Long Workshops\*, open to every visitor who is interested.

We highlight the Coeducation Workshop coordinated by: Paulina Gómez Rosado, Primary School teacher from the University of Seville. Member of the working group that drafted the second Equality Plan of the Ministry of Education of the “Junta de Andalucía”. ; and Rosa Pereda Serrano, teacher who, with other teachers of the MCEP, started in 1982 the co-education workshop.

11:15 h.- Opening Ceremony. Speakers: Teresita Garduño Rubio, for FIMEM and Emiliano Padilla Molina, for MCEP.

11:45 h.- Symposium: “The right to education of girls and women with equal opportunities” Speakers: Federico Mayor Zaragoza, ex-General Director of UNESCO, University professor, ex-Minister of Education and Science and member of the European Parliament. He is nowadays President of the Foundation for a Peace Culture. Carmen Plaza Martín, General Director of Equal Opportunity and the Institute for women. Doctor of Laws, university professor. Sanye Gulser Corat, Director of the Division for Gender Equality of UNESCO. Presents and coordinates: Itziar Gurmendi, member of MCEP.

13:30 h.- Lunch. 15:00 h.- Visit to the stands.

15:30 h.- Colloquium talk “The city of girls and boys” Francesco Tonucci (Italy), professor at the Institute of Science and Technology of Cognition. Presents: Teresa Flores Martínez, member of MCEP (Spain).

17:00 h.- Presentation of The network “Women for a Better World”. Speaker: Marifé Santiago Bolaños, founder of this network of women between Africa and Spain. Presents: Pilar Fontevedra member of MCEP.

Long Workshops are held in the morning and take place during all RIDEF. With a defined responsible. Long workshops are proposed by any person or any Freinet group in the world. Short workshops are developed in one or two afternoon sessions and they also have a defined responsible.

Round tables and conferences are established as areas of information, participation and debate. Topics should be referred to the objectives of the meeting.

The assembly is the organ of participation and decision making by all representatives involved in the meeting. The assembly takes place in three stages over the event: RIDEF Presentation, organization and infrastructure and presentation of conclusions and agreements with the economic balance.

During RIDEF there will be exhibitions with several materials to be presented and evaluated by the participants: materials made in the classrooms. Publications and printed materials. Materials resulting from research and educational experiences.

Throughout the days when we celebrate the event, several cultural activities will take place involving an approach to our artistic, cultural and natural richness: Guided visit to Leon city, Several excursions to different places in the province: The mountainous area in Leon and Valporquero Caves, Astorga and Maragateria, Bierzo and Medulas. The road to Santiago in Leon: Sahagun and Mansilla de las Mulas. Concerts. Cooperative dinner: with the contribution, by the countries represented at the meeting, of food specific to each region of origin.

In short, what you will find at RIDEF in Leon is a mosaic of people from all around the world who come to learn and teach, to know each other, to work and enjoy, to collaborate and share. Anyway to live, to live and to live.

# RIDEF2012 SCHEDULE: From 23 July to 1 August 2012

	JULY									AUGUST		
HOURS	Monday 23 <sup>rd</sup>	Tuesday 24 <sup>th</sup>	Wednesday 25 <sup>th</sup>	Thursday 26 <sup>th</sup>	Friday 27 <sup>th</sup>	Saturday 28 <sup>th</sup>	Sunday 29 <sup>th</sup>	Monday 30 <sup>th</sup>	Tuesday 31 <sup>th</sup>	Wednesday 1 <sup>st</sup>		
8:00-9:00	BREAKFAST											
9:00-9:30	Spare time				<b>EXCURSIONS</b> *	Spare time						
9:30-13:00	Long works-hops presentation	Long works-hops	Long works-hops	Long works-hops		Long works-hops	Long works-hops FÓRUM DAY *	Long works-hops	Long works-hops	Sharing of the workshops		
13:00-13:30	Spare time					Spare time	<b>FORUM DAY UNESCO</b> *	Spare time				
13:30-14:30	LUNCH					LUNCH		LUNCH				
14:30-15:00	Spare time							Spare time				
15:00-15:45	Spare time							Spare time				
15:45-17:15	<b>Arrival in Residencia E.H.</b>	Short works-hops	Homenajes FIMEM	Short works-hops / Round table*		Short works-hops		<b>FORUM DAY UNESCO</b> *	Short works-hops	Short works-hops	Balance	
17:15-17:30		Spare time				Spare time			Spare time		<b>DEPARTURE</b>	
17:30-19:00		Short works-hops / Presentación Libros	FIMEM assembly	Short works-hops / Presentación Libros		FIMEM assembly Groups of languages			Debate	ASAMBLEA FIMEM		
19:00-20:30	<b>Official opening</b>								Lunes sin SOL			
20:30-21:30	DINNER											
21:30-22:00	<b>Cooperative dinner University restaurant</b>	Spare time										
22:00- *		Guided tour of the city	Folk Music	L'Ecole Buissonniere	Multi-cultural evening	Multi-cultural evening	Women in Music	Multi-cultural evening	Final Party			

\* In separate schedule