

Third International Curriculum Conference

Mathematics Curriculum Development, Delivery, and Enactment in a Digital World

November 7-9, 2014 The University of Chicago Chicago, IL USA

ABOUT THE CONFERENCE

The Center for the Study of Mathematics Curriculum (CSMC) is hosting its Third International Curriculum Conference on the theme "Mathematics Curriculum Development, Delivery, and Enactment in a Digital World", November 7-9, 2014, in Ida Noyes Hall on the campus of The University of Chicago.

THE SETTING

Chicago is a beautiful city of 2.7 million people (metropolitan area 9.5 million) situated along Lake Michigan, the 4th largest freshwater lake in the world. The University of Chicago, one of the great universities of the world, is situated in the Hyde Park neighborhood of Chicago, a stable diverse neighborhood 7 miles south of the center of the city and 1 mile from Lake Michigan. Ida Noyes Hall is located along Chicago's historic Midway Plaisance, site of the 1893 World's Fair.

Chicago boasts world-class museums and cultural institutions. Among the sites in Hyde Park are the Museum of Science and Industry, the Oriental Institute, the DuSable Museum of African-American History, Frank Lloyd Wright's Robie House, and the Chicago home of Barack and Michele Obama.

THE CONFERENCE

The conference features speakers from four continents and is designed to promote the presentation and interchange of ideas and programs. There will also be demonstrations of the latest in digital products for teaching mathematics. The conference is open to all and will be of particular interest to leaders in education, researchers, school teachers, and school administrators who are interested in digital curricula in mathematics. Attendees will be able to interact with the speakers at every session, in discussion groups, at breaks, meals, and the conference reception.

Speakers include:

Loretta Asay, Clark County Schools, NV Jeffrey Choppin, University of Rochester Jere Confrey, Amplify Learning and North Carolina State University Phil Daro, Pearson and SERP (Strategic Education Research Partnership)
Chad Dorsey, Concord Consortium
A. J. Edson, Western Michigan University
Josephus Johnson, Battle High School, MO
Jean-Marie Laborde, Cabri and University of Grenoble, France
Brian Lemmen, Holland Christian High School, MI
Hee-Chan Lew, Korea National University of Education
Valerie Mills, NCSM and Oakland County Schools, MI
David Moursund, University of Oregon
Mogens Niss, Röskilde University, Denmark
Janine Remillard, University of Pennsylvania
Kenneth Ruthven, University of Cambridge, United Kingdom
Nathalie Sinclair, Simon Fraser University, Canada
Kaye Stacey, University of Melbourne, Australia
Michal Yerushalmy, University of Haifa, Israel

REGISTRATION INFORMATION

Registration for the conference will open on June 10, 2014.

Preregistration is required. There is no on-site registration.

Registration for the conference is \$290 if received by August 15, 2014; \$340 afterward. Students may register at any time for the reduced rate of \$250. Registration includes all sessions at the conference; a reception and dinner on Friday; lunch on Friday, Saturday, and Sunday; refreshments during morning and breaks; and conference materials and published proceedings.

Confirmation of registration will be sent upon receipt of completed registration form and payment by check or credit card. Registration fees are fully refundable until Monday, October 25, 2014. After that date, fees are not refundable.

LODGING

Participants are responsible for arranging their own lodging and transportation. A block of rooms has been reserved at the <u>Hyatt Place Chicago-South/University Medical Center</u>, a recently opened hotel located a mile from the conference site. There is free wi-fi and free transportation to the conference site. A special rate of \$159/night has been negotiated for conference attendees for a single or double room. When making reservations, ask for a room in the CSMC International Conference block or use the group code G-MPRO. Call 1-800-233-1234 or go online to make reservations.

TRANSPORTATION

Transportation to Chicago:

Chicago has two airports: O'Hare and Midway. During non-rush hours, the airports are about 45 and 30 minutes from the university by car, respectively.

Transfers Airport to/from Hotel and Campus

Shuttle service from either airport to hotels or to campus is available from Omega Airport Shuttle, Inc., www.omegashuttle.com, or from Airport Express. The campus pickup/dropoff closest to the conference venue at Ida Noyes Hall is across the street at Rockefeller Chapel. For transportation to or from Midway Airport you usually need to call to make a reservation at least 24 hours in advance.

Taxis are also available at the airports. Taxi fares to the university from O'Hare are typically \$50-65, and from Midway \$20-30, but there is only a \$1.00 fee for each additional passenger.

Transportation from Downtown Chicago to Hyde Park

The University of Chicago can be accessed via the 55th, 56th, 57th, and 59th St. Stations off the Metra (Metra Electric District line). For directions via the Chicago Transit Authority (CTA) or other transportation methods, check here.

Parking on Campus

Participants traveling to Ida Noyes Hall by car may want to visit The University of Chicago website (http://maps.uchicago.edu/index.shtml) for directions. On Friday, on-street parking is likely to be difficult and the campus parking map (http://maps.uchicago.edu/directions/parking) should be consulted. On Saturday and Sunday, there should be ample on-street and campus parking spaces nearby.