

AERA SIG: Ecological/Environmental Education
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1996 PROGRAM FOR NEW YORK

Much SIG activity in recent months has been focussed on developing the program for the 1996 AERA Annual Meeting. While we regret that some proposals could not be accommodated in the program, we are delighted with the program that the SIG will be presenting in New York.

Our program includes a business meeting (with what promises to be a wonderful address by Maxine Greene and Peter Corcoran), an invited address (by provocative cultural critic Andrew Ross, with an international panel of discussants), two paper sessions and a round-table session. We do not have times for the sessions yet, but be sure to look out for them in your program.

We received 24 submissions and were able to fit 17 of these into the SIG program. In evaluating proposals we followed the standards and procedures used by the AERA Program Committee, including blind reviews. All proposals were sent to at least two reviewers, and the Program Co-chairs thank the following members for their part in the evaluation process: Michael Brody, Peter Corcoran, Justin Dillon, Bob Jickling, Amanda Woods McConney, Thomas Nelson, Joy Palmer, Elaine Schwartz, Greg Smith, Henry St Maurice and Pat Thompson.

PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

While we do not wish to undervalue any of the contributions to our 1996 program, we are very proud of two of our highlights, and congratulate Peter Corcoran and Henry St Maurice respectively for organizing them. *Maxine Greene*, who needs no introduction to AERA members, will be addressing the SIG Business Meeting, with Peter Corcoran, on "Community and Ecology: the Weaving of Relationships". This address should attract a number of people who do not usually come to our SIG and we hope we can persuade them to join.

Andrew Ross, from New York University, is author of *Strange Weather: Culture, Science, and Technology in the Age of Limits* and *The Chicago Gangster Theory of Life: Nature's Debt to Society*, and he will present an invited address on "Global Questions: Green Cultural Criticism in Environmental Education". His address will then be discussed by a panel including Madhu Suri Prakash (Penn State), Yuri Gromyko (Independent

Methodological University, Russia), Henry St Maurice (University of Wisconsin), Annette Gough (Deakin University, Australia) and Noel Gough (Deakin University, Australia). As with Maxine Greene's address, we are hoping that Andrew Ross will attract people who do not usually come to our SIG but who are interested in the issues we are raising through this session and who may then join our SIG.

CONGRATULATIONS PETER CORCORAN!!

Founding SIG member and frequent presenter at AERA SIG sessions, Peter Corcoran of Bates College, Maine, was elected to the position of President elect elect at the recent annual conference of the North American Association for Environmental Education. Peter will take up the presidency of NAAEE in late 1996. As you may know, NAAEE has a Commission on Environmental Education Research, which has members in common with our SIG and it may be useful to forge stronger links between us and the NACEER during Peter's presidency.

ELECTIONS

As you may have guessed from the absence of ballot papers, the nominated candidates for the SIG Executive have been elected unopposed. These members will take office as from the 1996 New York meeting.

Chair: Annette Gough

Chair-Elect: Michael Brody

Secretary/Treasurer: Gregory Smith.

Our next election is due prior to the 1997 AERA meeting in Chicago.

MORE SIG MEMBERS NEEDED

If the SIG is to get more slots on the AERA Annual Meeting program then we need to recruit more SIG members (who are also AERA members). We are only a few members short of qualifying for one more slot on the program, but if we can get even more members we can get even more slots. Please endeavour to recruit at least one new member before or during the New York meeting. The future of the SIG is in the membership's hands.

* SIG newsletter formats must be approved by the Executive Officer of AERA and, as this has no such approval, it is 'not a newsletter'. This approximation has been prepared by the 1996 Program Co-chairs, Annette Gough and Noel Gough.

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1997 MEETING IN CHICAGO

Chicago might seem a long time away, but in terms of thinking about proposals for program presentations (due 1 August 1996) it is never too soon, especially if you are thinking of collaborating with someone you might only ever see at AERA! The Chicago meeting dates are 25 to 29 March 1997, so mark these in your diary now!

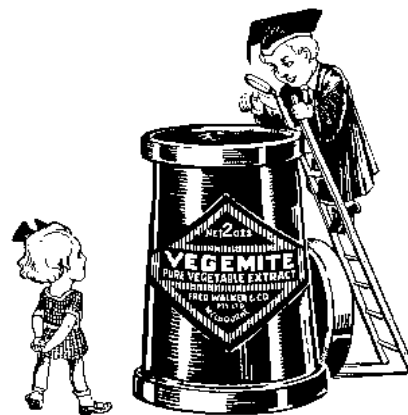
MEMBERSHIP LIST

Following is a list of SIG: EEE members—names of financial members are asterisked (*). Please check that your name is here and that your financial status and location is correctly recorded. If you notice the absence of colleagues whose names you think should be here—please pass the membership information onto them. If your name does not have an asterisk (*), please send your membership dues to Michael Brody as soon as possible. This is the only way you can ensure being kept informed of SIG activities.

Eleanor Abrams, Durham, NH
Steve Adams, Berkeley, CA
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*Ruth Allen, New Orleans, LA
Ann Atkin, Palo Alto, CA
Nadine Ball, Somerville, MA
Beverly Balley, Toronto, Ont. Canada
Carole Basile, Houston, TX
Jeff Bloom, Wolfville Nova Scotia, Canada
*Eddie Boyes, Liverpool, England
*Michael Brody, Bozeman, MT
Jennifer Brown, Clayton, Victoria Australia
* Eileen D. Bunderson, Provo, Utah
Judy Burry-Stock, Tuscaloosa, AL

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Karen Clay, Calistoga, CA
Linda Condron, Columbus, OH
*Peter Blaze Corcoran, Lewiston, ME
*Christine Cunningham, Ithaca, NY
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*Marcia Fetters, Charlotte, NC
Terry Ford, Tacoma, WA
*Bruce Frana, Cedar Rapids, IA
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*Patricia K. Frietag, Bethesda, MD
*Joe Galbo, Turlock, CA
*Annette Gough, Geelong, Victoria Australia
*Noel Gough, Clayton, Victoria Australia
*Boris S. Gershunsky, Moscow
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*Tina Jarvis, Leicester, England
Gail Jones, Chapel Hill, NC
Gary Johnson, San Jose, CA
*Peter Kahn, Waterville, ME
Christine Klein, Bridgeton, MO
*Edouard Lagache, Berkeley, CA
*Glenn Laird, Houston, TX
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Gary McCloskey, Miami, FL
*Amanda McConney, Kalamazoo, MI

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 *Joy A. Palmer, Durham England
 *Leigh Peake, Portsmouth, NH
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Not a caption competition

The above illustration is an editorial indulgence. While we have enjoyed our sabbatical in North America immensely, we are experiencing some nostalgia for certain elements of the Australian environment!

Annette and Noel Gough