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2nd Service-Learning Research Symposium

August 22, 2012

School of Economics, University of Buenos Aires
City of Buenos Aires, Argentina

This event was declared as an "activity of institutional interest" by the Higher Council of the University of Buenos Aires. Resolution 4562/12.

A declaration of educative interest by the Ministry of Education is currently in process.

Circular Communication 1

We invite you to the 2nd Service-Learning Research Symposium to take place in Buenos Aires, Argentina on August 22, 2012. The symposium will be organized by CLAYSS as a part of the 9th International Week of Service-Learning.

The second symposium will further the work of the 1st Service-Learning Research Symposium in Latin America which was organized by CLAYSS, the Organization of Ibero-American States, and the University of San Andrés and took place on September 14th, 2004.

On this edition, the Symposium will be organized by CLAYSS with the support of the University of Buenos Aires. It will be an opportunity to introduce the recent developments in the service-learning field with theoretical reflections on the systematization, evaluation, measurement of impact, and case studies of institutional programs or specific practices of service-learning.

All approved papers will be presented in round tables, oral presentations, and posters which present service-learning projects.

This Symposium will provide the opportunity for research groups to meet, collaborate on research projects, and share experiences.

The research topics will be:

1. Theoretical discussions and contributions on the definition of "service-learning" in a Latin American context.
2. Monitoring and evaluating institutional programs and practices of service-learning.
3. Case studies and systematization of programs and practices of service-learning.

Presentation of Scientific Papers

The deadline to submit papers for presentation is June 10. They can be presented in Spanish, Portuguese, or English.



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Papers may have a maximum of four pages. Additional instructions and presentation templates will be available for download at http://www.clayss.org.ar/XV_seminario/index-2012.html

The Scientific Board will evaluate the submitted papers and will inform the authors of their acceptance, indicating whether the presentation will be given orally or will be presented on a poster. Please send your submission to: jornada_investigacion@clayss.org.ar

Sign up Fees:

- National participants:
 - before July 31st: \$ 100.-
 - from August 1st onwards: \$150.-
- Foreign participants: u\$s 50.-
- Participants with approved papers must sign up and pay for the corresponding fee immediately after receiving confirmation of their approval.
- For information regarding the appropriate means of payment please write to: jornada_investigacion@clayss.org.ar.

We hope to see you in Buenos Aires!



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Tentative Agenda

9 to 10.15 am – Certification

10.30 am – Opening

Panel: introductory speeches

11.30 am – Coffee break

12 to 13.30 pm: 1st Committee Session

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1.30 to 2.30 pm: Lunch break. Posters exhibition.

2.30 to 4 pm: 2nd Committee Sessions

4 pm – Summaries and Conclusion

5 pm – End of activities