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CHILDHOODS IN CYPRUS: FROM CHILDREN'S POINTS OF VIEW

An Interdisciplinary Conference
Ledra Palace, Nicosia
October 16, 2004, 9:00am – 6:00pm



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INVITATION

You are cordially invited to the interdisciplinary conference *Childhoods in Cyprus: From Children's Points of View* which is organised by the Center for the Study of Childhood and Adolescence in collaboration with KAYAD on October 16, 2004, 9:00am – 6:00pm at the Ledra Palace in Nicosia

Stavroula Philippou
Using Rules to Represent Others: Pupils' Agency in their Talk About National Outgroups.

Avra Pieridou
Greek Cypriot Children's Construction of Musical Identities: Enculturation, Ideology and the Musical Self.

Lunch Break
1:00-2:00

Session 3
2:00-3:30
Pavlina Hadjitheodoulou-Loizidou
Children in Front of the Curriculum: Looking for Intercultural Dimensions in a Monocultural Setting or for Monocultural Dimensions in Multicultural Settings?

Galatia Agathocleous
"The Teachers Prefer the 'Turks' To Us"; "The Teachers are Good But They Don't Like the Turks": Interpretation of School Reality as Experienced by Greek Cypriot and Turkish Cypriot (Gypsy) Pupils in Limassol.

Loizos Symeou
Ethics in Childhood Research: Lessons from the Field in Cyprus.

Coffee Break
3:30-4:00

Session 4
4:00-6:00
Charis Psaltis
Gender Identity Construction and Cognitive Development: Two Sides of the Same Coin.

Niki Kyrou-Thoma
Statements of Quiet Children and of a Comparison Group on Own Behaviour.

Mehmet Kaciki and Zafer Bekirogullari
Child Abuse and its Effect on Drug Use in Northern Cyprus.

Stelios Stylianou
Juvéniles' Views on Juvenile Delinquency.

PROGRAMME

9:00-9:15 Registration
9:15-9:30 Introductory Remarks
Spyros Spyrou, Director, Center for the Study of Childhood and Adolescence.

Session 1
9:30-11:00
Chara Makriyianni
Greek Cypriot Children's Constructions of National Identity and Museum Education in Cyprus.

Biran Mertan and Ugur Maner
Concepts of War and Peace in Cypriot Children.

Miranda Christou
Challenging Pedagogy: Greek Cypriot Youth and the Teaching of History.

Coffee Break
11:00-11:30

Session 2
11:30-1:00
Spyros Spyrou
Children's Views of Domestic Workers in Cyprus.