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**2003 AESA Conference (October 29 – November 2)
Mexico City: Sheraton Maria Isabel Hotel and Towers**

A Note from Dianne Smith, the Conference Program Committee Chair:

Founded in 1525, Mexico City is the oldest capital in the Americas. The city will offer AESA members the largest number of museums and the fourth largest number of theatres in the world as well as many archaeological and historical sites.

Sheraton Maria Isabel Hotel Room Rates

Single/Double Rooms in Deluxe Section

\$110.00 US dollars + 15% Federal Tax + 1.75% Lodging Tax, Triple \$20.00 US dollars per room

Single/Double Rooms in Towers Section

\$155.00 US dollars + 15% Federal Tax + 1.75% Lodging Tax

(There are more expensive sections of the hotel, if anyone is interested.)

GROUP RATE WILL APPLY ARRIVING ONE WEEK PRIOR OR AFTER THE SCHEDULED DATE

Tips: Bell Boys \$ 3.50 US dollars in/out

Maids \$ 4.00 US dollars per night

The hotel will host a Welcome Reception (October 29, 2003) with margaritas, fruit punch, and Mexican snacks. The patio is colorful and airy.

800 numbers are not available. All reservations must be received by the hotel 30 days prior to arrival. The fax number is (52 55)5208-4090 or email reservations to isabel.antunez@sheraton.com. Groups Coordinator is Isabel Antunez (52 55)5242-5645. Fax and email messages must show "Attention to Isabel Antunez."

Delta Airlines is AESA's "official" carrier for the 2003 conference in Mexico City. The information is listed below:

5% discount on published fares

10% discount on full coach fares

Additional 5% discount on fares booked 60 days before travel.

You must use the following (800) telephone number (800.241.6108).

You must give the following file number (File 195614A-American Educational Studies Association).

If you have questions, please feel free to email me at smithdia@umkc.edu. My phone number is 816.235.2458. Thanks, Dianne Smith

2003 General Sessions, Meetings and Displays

<p style="text-align: center;">Kneller Lecture Dr. Lynda Stone University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill Thursday, October 30, 5:30-7:00pm</p> <hr/> <p style="text-align: center;">R. Freeman Butts Lecture Dr. Angela Valenzuela University of Texas-Austin Friday, October 31, 5:30-7:00pm</p> <hr/> <p style="text-align: center;">Presidential Address Joseph Newman University of South Alabama</p> <hr/> <p style="text-align: center;">Sheraton Maria Isabel Marquirita Reception Wednesday, Oct. 29, 8:00pm</p> <hr/> <p style="text-align: center;">Educational Foundations Editorial Advisory Board Thursday, Oct. 30, 12:00-1:30pm</p> <hr/> <p style="text-align: center;">Educational Studies Editorial Advisory Board Thursday, Oct. 30, 3:30-5:00pm</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Registration Wednesday, 5:00-7:00pm Continues Thursday-Saturday</p> <hr/> <p style="text-align: center;">Book Exhibit Thursday-Friday, 9:00am-5:00pm Saturday, 9:00am-12:00pm</p> <hr/> <p style="text-align: center;">AESA Executive Council Meeting First meeting: Thur., Oct. 30, 8:00-11:45am Second mtg: Sun., Nov. 2, 7:30-10:00am</p> <hr/> <p style="text-align: center;">Council of Social Foundations of Education (CSFE) Business Meeting Friday, Oct. 31, 8:30-10:00am</p> <hr/> <p style="text-align: center;">Committee on Academic Standards and Accreditation (CASA) Friday, Oct. 31, 1:30-2:45pm</p> <hr/> <p style="text-align: center;">Graduate Students and New Professors Saturday, Nov. 1, 8:30-10:00am</p> <hr/> <p style="text-align: center;">Graduate Students and Publishing Saturday, Nov. 1, 1:30-2:45pm</p>
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A Message from our Book Exhibits Co-Coordinator Sandra Spickard Prettyman

The AESA Book Exhibits room for the 2003 conference in Mexico City will be open Thursday and Friday from 9:00am to 5:00pm. On Saturday, the Book Exhibits Room will be open from 9:00am to 12:00 noon. At this time we will close to prepare for the book distribution, which will take place on Saturday beginning at 1:00pm. Graduate students will be allowed to enter from 1:00 to 1:30pm. After this, the book distribution will be open to graduate students and faculty members. Suggested donations for this year's distribution are \$7.00 for graduate students and \$10.00 for faculty members.

AESA authors who wish to have their books displayed in the Book Exhibits Room at the conference in Mexico City are highly encouraged to bring one or two copies of their book to the conference. If you are not able to do this, you can contact Sandra Spickard Prettyman, AESA Book Exhibits Co-Coordinator (ssandra@uakron.edu) so that she can try to arrange with publishers to send these texts. Please contact Sandra even if you plan to bring your own copies so that a complete list of participating authors can be available at the exhibit. Please contact her as early as possible, so that all arrangements can be made in advance. See you at the conference.

Thanks to AESA Committee Members
 from Joe Newman, President and
 Dianne Smith, Program Chair

AESA members work hard behind the scenes to keep our organization running and to organize our annual meetings. We want to recognize the following members for their contributions this year.

Nominating Committee

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Educational Studies

Call for Papers

Special Issue on

Brown v. Board of Education, 1954

In recognition of the 50th anniversary of Brown v. Board of Education, guest Editors Dianne Smith and Sandra Tutwiler invite papers regarding the historical, present, and future impact that this ground-breaking Supreme Court decision has had on the following elements of schooling in the US:

- 1) race and race relations, segregation, desegregation, and re-segregation;
 - 2) student achievement, standards, and high stakes testing;
 - 3) teacher and student relationships, i.e., the power of caring in schools, teacher expectations for students;
 - 4) culturally relevant curriculum and pedagogy;
 - 5) families' socio-economic status (or class) and school equity;
 - 6) student identity formation in relationship to the overrepresentation of white women teachers in urban, rural, and suburban schools;
 - 7) the "savage inequalities" (Kozol, 1991) that exist within the urban schools;
 - 8) urban school politics, i.e., local school boards;
 - 9) historically black colleges and universities;
 - 10) the continued "mis-education (Woodson 1933/1993) of black youth in U.S. schools.
- Issues of race, class, gender, language, politics, economics, religion, difference, and colonization are themes to be addressed interns of this special issue on Brown v. Board of Education.

Papers addressing one or more of the above in relationship to teacher education and social foundations are highly recommended. We also invite book reviews, essay reviews, media reviews, and poetry.

Length of Paper: 20-25 pages double-spaced
 Citation Style: Chicago Manual of Style
 Deadline for Submissions: March 1, 2004

Please send all submissions to:
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**American Educational Studies Association
2002 Financial Report (Prepared by Huey-li Li, April 13, 2003)**

Dear Members:

Greetings from your outgoing treasurer. Serving as AESA's treasurer from 2000 to 2002 was an invaluable experience for me. I would like to thank you for your support for AESA. Due to space limitations, I am not able to submit detailed financial reports to you via *AESA News and Comment*. Herewith, I would like to briefly explain AESA's finances. Following the example of our former treasurer, Harvey Neufeldt, I classified AESA's assets into three types of funds: perennial categorical funds, conference lecture funds, and operating funds. The George Kneller Fund, Maxine Greene Fund, Educational Studies Reserve Fund, and AESA General Reserve Fund are our perennial categorical funds. AESA saved these funds in long-term CDs and only utilized the interest we earned to sponsor Kneller Lectures and receptions at our 2001 & 2002 conferences. The Butts Lecture Fund was our conference lecture fund, which was based on contributions from publishers who participated in our book exhibitions at our annual conferences. This fund was used to sponsor the annual Butts Lectures. Our operating fund was based on our membership dues. This fund enabled AESA to pay for our members' subscriptions to *Educational Studies*, the publication of *AESA News and Comment*, the stipend for the publication of *Educational Foundations*, and our CSFE (Council of Social Foundations in Education) membership dues. As you can tell, your membership dues play a key role in sustaining AESA's daily operation and continuous development. Thank you very much.

Listed below are two 2002 financial reports. The first report summarizes our 2002 conference expenditures and conference revenue generated from conference registrations and donations from various institutions. Many thanks to **Joe Newman, Wanda Newman, Sue Ellen Henry, Eric Bredo, Mark Ginsburg, Dianne Smith, Sandra Spickard Prettyman**, and numerous members who volunteered to help with the conference registration. Because of their generous support and dedicated services, AESA was able to fully fund our conference activities, including classic receptions in Pittsburgh. The second report itemizes our sources of revenue and expenses in the year of 2002. If you have any questions concerning AESA finances, please feel free to contact me at aesa2003@uakron.edu. I will reply to you as soon as possible.

Respectfully submitted,
Huey-li Li

AESA 2002 Conference: Financial Report, Prepared by Huey-li Li (Jan. 22, 2003)

Revenue:

Pre-Conference Registration	\$13,020.00
On-Site Conference Registration	\$ 5,353.00
AESA Butts and Kneller Lecture Funds	\$ 5,000.00
Donation from Dean George Uhlig at University of South Alabama	\$ 2,000.00
Co-sponsorship from History of Education Society	\$ 2,500.00
Donation from Dean Alan Lesgold at University of Pittsburgh	\$ 1,000.00
Co-sponsorship from University Council of Educational Administration	\$ 750.00
Co-sponsorship from IISE	\$ 200.00
Donation from Graduate Students Organization at University of Pittsburgh	\$ 50.00
Total:	\$29,873.00

Expenditures:

Omni William Penn Hotel	\$17,194.70
Honorarium for Butts and Kneller Lecturers	\$ 5,000.00
Programming	\$ 1,500.00
Program Booklets	\$ 1,687.01
Shipping	\$ 298.00
Name Badges & Secretary Support	\$ 400.00
Cash Box & Write-in Stick	\$ 24.85
Total:	\$26,104.56

Balance: \$3,768.44

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REVENUE

Sources	Amount
Membership Dues:	
Regular (415)	\$18,675.00
Student (180)	\$ 5,400.00
Emeritus (20)	\$ 700.00
Joint (5)	\$ 375.00
Share of the Profit from LEA	\$ 644.37
Total	\$25,794.37

EXPENSES

Item	Amount
Publications:	
Educational Foundations (excluding Vol. 16, no. 4)	\$ 3,000.00
Educational Studies	\$ 6,324.00
AESA News and Comments	\$ 2,500.00
CSFE Group Membership Dues	\$ 2,250.00
CASA	\$ 45.48
Officers' Office Expenses	\$ 300.00
President	\$ 250.00
Vice President	\$ 2,000.00
Secretary	\$ 392.78
Treasurer	\$ 500.00
Conference Coordinator	
Spring Meeting	\$ 292.75
Tax Preparation (for 2001)	\$ 450.00
Statutory Representation	\$ 224.00
Election (self-addressed envelopes)	\$ 91.00
Member's Returned Check Fee	\$ 10.00
Special Expenditure:	
Tote Bags for Graduate Student Scholarship Fund Raising	<u>\$ 635.00</u>
Additional donation to Graduate Student Scholarship Fund	<u>\$ 140.00</u>
Total	\$19,405.01

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