

BCES CONFERENCE

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The overall aim of the Annual International Conference of the Bulgarian Comparative Education Society (BCES) is to be a premier global forum for scholars, researchers, educators, and policymakers to engage in critical discussions on various topical problems of education in national, international, and comparative perspectives. Serving as a vital hub for education specialists, the BCES Conference promotes a culture of open dialogue, collaborative efforts, and idea sharing and provides a unique opportunity for individuals from diverse backgrounds and perspectives to come together, share their insights, and collectively address the challenges and opportunities facing education today.

The BCES Conference is a prominent academic event that attracts participants from around the world, reflecting its strong international character. The key aspect of the BCES Conference is its diverse participation. Academics and practitioners from Europe, Asia, Africa, the Americas, and beyond gather to share research, insights, and experiences. This multicultural exchange enriches the discourse, allowing for a deeper understanding of educational systems worldwide.

The BCES Conference welcomes theoretical, methodological, and empirical contributions, fostering interdisciplinary approaches, innovative methods, and research collaboration.

2. Purposes of the BCES Annual International Conference

The BCES Conference exemplifies international scholarship, fostering connections that transcend geographical and cultural boundaries in the pursuit of educational excellence. The overall BCES Conference aim is operationalized through the following purposes, which are to:



- **Promote Scholarly Exchange:** Provide a platform for the dissemination of cutting-edge research and innovative ideas in comparative and international education.
- **Foster Collaboration:** Encourage networking and collaboration among researchers, educators, and policymakers from around the world.
- **Address Global Challenges:** Explore solutions to pressing educational challenges in a rapidly changing global context.
- **Enhance Understanding:** Deepen understanding of the similarities and differences in educational systems and practices across countries and cultures.
- **Support Policy Development:** Inform evidence-based policymaking by sharing research findings and best practices.
- **Empower Educators:** Equip educators with the knowledge and tools to address the needs of diverse learners in an interconnected world.

3. Scope of the BCES Annual International Conference

Established as a platform for showcasing cutting-edge research in education, fostering intellectual exchange, and encouraging the dissemination of new knowledge and best practices, the BCES Conference covers a broad range of topics within the field of education, including but not limited to:



- Comparative studies of educational systems.
- International education issues.
- School education policies, innovations, practices & entrepreneurship.
- Educational leadership and management.
- Higher education, teacher education, and professional development.
- Law, equity, inclusion, and social justice in education.
- Sustainability in education.
- Educational technology, digital learning, and AI.
- Well-being in school ecosystems.