

NERA/NFPF Board's plan for 2017

The Board will continue to work on NERA/NFPF's main tasks: The annual congress, the journal and the networks within the overall aim of developing the quality of educational research in the Nordic countries. The Board will also continue to develop the association as to become the first choice for educational researchers and scholars in the Nordic countries.

1. Recruitments of members

- further develop the quality of the congress
- further develop the quality of the journal
- further develop the web site to make it even more informative for members and user friendly
- continue to follow up member registrations at NERA/NFPF congress

2. Networks

- further strengthen the networks through developing their presence on the NERA/NFPF web site
- further discuss the structure, role and functions of the NERA/NFPF networks

3. Congress economy

- continuously discuss the congress costs in order to keep the registration fee at a reasonable level

4. Nordic studies in education

- actively support the editor in the quality assurance and development of the journal, see also editor plan

5. International activities

- Continue its cooperation with EERA (European Educational Research Association) by playing an active role in the EERA Council
- Via EERA NERA and her representative participate in efforts to sensitize the European commission and similar bodies to the importance of educational research and funding hereof.
- Use the slot NERA/NFPF has at the AERA congress (American Educational Research Association)
- At ECER 2017 in Copenhagen NERA will promote the association at a table with material and dialogue.

6. The board panel discussion at the congress 2018

- Organize a panel discussion at the conference 2018 with the theme: The tension between Education/Pedagogy (pedagogik) and Educational Sciences (utbildningsvetenskap) in which the former has been threatened by the later in the Nordic countries (Sweden, Norway and Denmark).