# EARLI Conference on

### SIG 5 Learning and Development in Early Childhood

#### EARLI SIG5 2016 - October Newsletter

June 29-30, July 1, 2016 in Porto, Portugal

"Bridging Multiple Perspectives in Early Childhood Education"

We are very excited that the Faculty of Psychology and Educational Sciences of Porto University (FPCEUP) host the 4<sup>th</sup> international conference on *Early Childhood Education organized by the EARLI SIG 5*, between June 29-30, July 1, 2016 in the lovely Porto city, in Portugal.



The conference aims to provide a forum for researchers and practitioners to explore the processes, practices and effects of early childhood education and research, and to address the role of parents, teachers and peers in young children's development and learning in the contexts of home, early childhood settings, and school. The *EARLI SIG 5* 2016 Conference specific theme is "Bridging Multiple Perspectives in Early Childhood Education".







**Keynote speakers** are confirmed and will provide us with extremely rich presentations focusing on different key aspects related to the conference aim. Check our website (<a href="http://www.fpce.up.pt/sig5earli2016">http://www.fpce.up.pt/sig5earli2016</a>) for updates and more information on Professor **Catherine Snow** (Harvard Graduate School of Education, USA), Professor **Manuel Sobrinho Simões** (Institute of Molecular Pathology and Immunology at the University of Porto, Portugal) and Professor **Karine Verschueren** (University of Leuven, Belgium) lectures' topics.

#### **CALL FOR PAPERS**

As a researcher with specific interest in learning and development of children from birth to 8 years of age and/or with work in the area, we warmly invite you to **participate in the conference** as well as to **submit a paper** (individual paper; individual poster; symposia). *Call for papers* is now open.

## 15<sup>th</sup> October 2015 till 15<sup>th</sup> January 2016

Check the SIG5 2016 EARLI conference website for more information: <a href="http://www.fpce.up.pt/sig5earli2016">http://www.fpce.up.pt/sig5earli2016</a>

Hope to see you in Porto!

The organizing committee

