

Emerging Scholar Stream

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Emerging Scholar Stream 2019 Session Schedule

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Day 1 – Tuesday, June 25

Tips and Tools: How to get the Best Out of the 2019 Conference

2:15 PM, in De Dam 1

Presenters: Joyce Johnston and Verona Leendertz

This session targets beginning conferees or those who would like to enhance their previous experiences. The ESS Co-Chairs will help you extract new ideas from the conference sessions, meet senior professionals, create networks with peers and researchers from the conference and broaden your horizons—as well as your friendships—at the social events.

A Night Out in Amsterdam

8:00-10:00 PM, Meet in Hotel Lobby

Leader: Verona Leendertz

Join with fellow grad students plus anyone else who wants to explore a social night out on the town in Amsterdam. All conferees are invited! Meet up with local Executive Committee members in the hotel bar area for group departure.

Day 2 – Wednesday, June 26

International Networking: Finding Research Colleagues Outside Your University

2:15 PM, in the Koepelzaal

Presenter: Erkko Sointu, University of Eastern Finland

With more than 50 co-authors, Erkko Sointu is an expert on outreach, collaboration and funding for research teams across institutions. His Fulbright project even included building a website to help colleagues network while helping yourself. Now he is sharing his expertise, tips and tricks with you starting from inside your institution, then moving out into the international research community.

Day 3 – Thursday, June 27

Graduate Student Panel

12:00 PM, in the Koepelzaal

Presenters: Koen DePryck, Universiteit Brussels; Belgium, Abby-Gail Blanchard, FHR Institute for Higher Education, Suriname; Yashee Gowree, Vrije Universiteit Brussel and Institute of Knowledge Management, Belgium; Veruschka Pelsers-Carstens and Koos De Villiers, both of North-West University, South Africa

In this panel, graduate students discuss topics including the value(s) of participating in conferences, conferences as stepping stones toward publication, networking, difficulties and thresholds facing graduate students from low-and-medium income countries.

Day 4 – Friday, June 28

Reviewing ED + IL 2019 to Plan for ED + IL 2020

10:45 AM, in De Dam 1

Presenters: Verona Leendertz and Joyce Johnston

Appraise your conference experience as you appreciate what you've learned, compile the contacts you would like to pursue and contribute to the networks you have joined. Conclude by formulating follow-up ideas for future conferences, especially EdMedia + Innovate Learning 2020.