

Greetings Colleagues,

On behalf of the Executive Board I am excited to contact you as the AERA Research on Evaluation (RoE) SIG Chair for 2014-2015. We hope that each of you will consider becoming more involved in the SIG from now until April as we continue our traditional activities and work to add some new initiatives. Please see the table at the end of this message for the new officers' titles and contact information. Welcome aboard Dr. Ardice Hartry, Dr. Sheila R. Schultz, and Dr. Anne T. Vo.

New Business

1. Annual Meeting Paper and Session Submissions. The 2015 AERA Annual Meeting will be held Thursday, April 16 – Monday, April 20 in Chicago, IL. Consider submitting a proposal to the RoE SIG. The call for proposals is available at AERA.net, submissions are due on **July 22, 2014**.

2. Volunteers Needed for RoE Membership Committee. We want to get feedback from the membership regarding their perceptions of our activities and their suggestions for future events. If you would like to volunteer to work on the committee please send an email to nicolelewis.eps@gmail.com with the subject RoE Membership.

3. Volunteers Needed to Tweet. In spring of this year, the RoE SIG joined the Twitter universe. If you have a knack for "tweeting" or are willing to learn, consider volunteering to assist in communicating SIG information via Twitter. If interested, email nicolelewis.eps@gmail.com with the subject RoE Twitter.

KUDOs

Thank you to our outgoing officers, executive board, and all who planned and participated in activities last year and at the annual meeting. A special thanks is extended to Dr. Elizabeth Oyer for her commitment and strong leadership.

Announcements: We have been asked to share the following announcements with you.

1. As co-chair of the CPE TIG David Fetterman has launched a collaborative, participatory, and empowerment evaluation survey. It is designed to help identify common principles and common tools we use to help others learn how to evaluate. If you would like more information or to participate, the online survey is available at: <https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/MZGHGTF>

2. The Center for Culturally Responsive Evaluation and Assessment Conference will be held September 17 - 20th in Oak Brook, IL. Register by August 15th to take advantage of the early bird rate. More information can be found on our website <http://education.illinois.edu/crea/conference>.

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Thank you for your membership and anticipated involvement.