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**2022-2023 Annual IRN Report
School Segregation and Education Marketization**

Dear Chair and Members of International Research Networks Committee,

I am pleased to provide you with an annual report of the School Segregation and Education Marketization network. In this letter, you will find our network objectives, activities, and future plans. Please let us know if you have any questions or feedback!

1. Objectives

Our network was renewed in May 2022 for two additional years. Our key objectives are to:

- mobilize research on school social segregation and make new and meaningful connections to education marketization and privatization;
- build and promote scholarly exchange among network members and between our members and other WERA members; and
- disseminate and promote knowledge mobilization of new and cutting-edge research of network members within the WERA association and beyond.

2. Activities

a. Two General Meetings

2022, August 11	Meet and Greet: Network Members Setting the agenda for the first year
2023, March 20	Reflect on network activities thus far, and discuss the agenda for the next year

b. Three Webinars & Follow-up Meetings

Please note that all webinars (with six presenters) are available on YouTube. See the links below.

Webinar 1:

Thursday October 20, 2022, 6 pm – 7 pm Eastern Time (New York, USA Time)
(*followed by a members-only meeting from 7 pm to 7:30 pm)

Presentation 1: Dr. Steve Kotok (St John’s University, USA)
The United States Charter School Movement and the Promise of Brown v. Board of Education

<https://youtu.be/BJBIYrXjYS0>

Presentation 2: Dr. Laura Perry (Murdoch University, Australia)
Theoretical Framework on the Causes of School Segregation

<https://youtu.be/CaKXNt-5ssE>

Webinar 2:

Thursday December 1, 2022, 6 pm – 7 pm Eastern Time (New York, USA Time)
(*followed by a members-only meeting from 7 pm to 7:30 pm)

Presentation 1: Dr. Andres Molina (Australian Education Research Organisation)
School Segregation and Social Cohesion

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=XWRx7Z2MZl4>

Presentation 2: Dr. Argun Saatcioglu (University of Kansas, USA)
Preference Compromise and Parent Satisfaction with Schools in Choice Markets:
Evidence from Kansas City, Missouri

<https://youtu.be/KC2IBQ9zQkk>

Webinar 3:

Thursday February 9, 2023, 6 pm – 7 pm Eastern Time (New York, USA Time)
(*followed by a members-only meeting from 7:00 – 7:30 pm)

Presentation 1: Dr. Roslyn Arlin Mickelson (University of North Carolina at Charlotte, USA)

Racially Diverse Educational Pathways and STEM College Outcomes:
A Quantitative Analysis of Students in North Carolina

<https://youtu.be/XsZNF-eX2B4>

Presentation 2: Dr. Ee-Seul Yoon (University of Manitoba, Canada)
Education Marketization, School Segregation, and Complex Inequalities:
Evidence from Australia and Canada

<https://youtu.be/SsY0zVYFJa4>

3. Future Plans (2023-2024)

a. Book project

The network members are collaborating on writing a proposal for the World Yearbook of Education on the theme of school segregation and education privatization. Our proposal will be submitted in September 2023. I will be able to provide an update next year.

b. Webinars

We plan to organize a new webinar series based on the completed book proposal. Webinars will provide opportunities for members and their collaborators to engage with each other's emerging and developing research activities.

If there is any additional information or clarification I can provide, please do not hesitate to contact me by email: Ee-Seul.Yoon@umanitoba.ca

Regards,



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