

CIES MEDIA FACT SHEET

GENERAL INFORMATION

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MISSION

The Comparative and International Education Society (CIES), Inc. fosters cross-cultural understanding, scholarship, academic achievement and societal development through the international study of educational ideas, systems, and practices.

FOUNDED

The CIES was founded in 1956 in the United States.

MEMBERS

The Society's members include 1795 academics, practitioners, and students from around the world (as of January, 2008). The Society also includes 907 institutional members, primarily academic libraries and international organizations.

DIVISIONS

CIES has regional chapters that meet annually.

SPECIAL INTEREST GROUPS (SIGs)

As of November 2007, CIES has 11 official SIGs, and 4 forming. These SIGs range from intellectual to geographical interests and their mission in general is to serve as sources on specific issues in education. A full list of CIES SIGs is available on the website:

<http://cies.us/SIGSinfo.htm>.

PUBLICATIONS

CIES has two publications:

1. The *Comparative Education Review*—a professional, refereed journal published quarterly (February, May, August and November) by the University of Chicago Press.
2. The CIES Newsletter—an informational document produced three times a year (January, May and September) by the CIES Secretariat containing news updates, announcements, committee reports and editorials (recent volumes are available online at <http://cies.us/newsletter.htm>).

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ANNUAL MEETING

March 17-21, 2008, New York City.

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