

RDCs Meetings Agenda – ATEE 2025 Annual Conference

Marino Institute of Education – 26-29 August 2025

Day 1: Tuesday, August 26th 4:00 PM – 6:00 PM

RDC Group	Chair	online	Room	Topic and Agenda
Methods & Theories Applicable in Teacher Education Research	Tatjana Bru Blixen	no	MAPLE ROOM	Posthuman Turns in TE: Redefining Concepts such as Reflection, Knowledge and Agency. We invite (current as well as prospective) participants to explore how posthumanist perspectives can help us understand AI acting not just as a tool, but also as a co-agent in meaning-making, analysis, and/or pedagogical designs/practices. Together, we will discuss a selection of recent journal articles on this topic, share experiences, and critically reflect on emerging ethical and methodological frameworks.
Global Education				No meetings
Education for Social Justice, Equity and Diversity	Chandrika Devarakonda Michelle Proyer	yes, hybrid	ROOM 3	Workshop on Understandings of Social Justice, Equity and Diversity Welcoming interested participants to exchange on how they conceptualize the focus points of our RDC in their research and teaching. We are looking forward to exchange and compare international perceptions. Drawing from current discourses, we can explore further ideas and goals for the RDC and how you can contribute.
Empowering Teacher Education	Manuela Schlick	no	ROOM 7	This first meeting is directed to colleagues new to our projects. After a short workshop input on values and meaningful moments in teacher

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	Francis Prescott-Pickup Ufuk Atas			education we are going to inform new members and all interested about our work (25 minutes) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● presentation of our 4 research sub-groups ● introduction of new interested members ● Q&A session
Professional Development of Teachers				No meeting on this day
Health, Environmental and Sustainability Education	Diola Bijlhout Teresa Vilaca	Hybrid	ROOM 10	Welcome and Introduction to the RDC. Outlining Vision, Mission, Discuss Current Projects
Professional Development of Teacher Educators				No meeting on this day
Enabling Teachers for Entrepreneurship Education				No meeting
Science and Mathematics Education	Lorraine Harbison	Hybrid	ARBUTUS ROOM	Welcome. Introduction of delegates, identifying areas of expertise and interest. Details of the RDC & invitation for election of co-chair and deputy chairs. Exploration of topics presented by delegates at ATEE. Consideration of involvement in current project https://www.mathscify.org/
Digital Technologies	T.J. Ó Ceallaigh & Cornelia Connolly	hybrid	WALNUT ROOM	This meeting will provide a comprehensive overview of our RDC and its ongoing initiatives. The session will include:

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				<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A brief introduction to the role and scope of the RDC, highlighting its purpose and contributions to the field. • An interactive workshop on the use of GenAI in teacher education, designed to spark discussion, share insights, and explore practical applications. • Updates on current projects, showcasing progress, challenges, and key outcomes to date. • An opportunity to collaboratively discuss future directions and priorities, ensuring members are actively involved in shaping the RDC's vision and next steps. <p>The meeting aims to be both informative and engaging, offering participants a chance to share perspectives, exchange ideas, and strengthen collaboration within the RDC.</p>
Technical and Vocational Education				No meeting on this day.
Emerging researchers				No meeting on this day.

Day 2: Thursday, August 28th 11:45 - 12:45

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Methods and Theories Applicable in Teacher Education Research				No meeting on this day

Education for Social Justice, Equity and Diversity	Chandrika Devarakonda Michelle Proyer	yes, hybrid	ROOM 3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Updates of the RDC members • Website • Ideas from the members
Empowering Teacher Education	Manuela Schlick Francis Prescott-Pickup Ufuk Atas		ROOM 7	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • “debriefs” by all presenters of the four RDC-related presentations during the conference (reasons for leaving teacher education, meaning at work as TEs, lived values of TEs, meaningful moments in TE) • reflections, questions and new ideas by members on RDC work presented during presentations • outlook and discussion of next steps and activities
Professional Development of Teachers	Maria A. Flores		ROOM 9	Welcome. Introductions. Presentation of current projects and next book. Discussion of next steps and activities.
Health, Environmental and Sustainability Education	Diola Bijlhout Teresa Vilaca	hybrid	ROOM 10	Forging ideas, new collaborations for future projects and feedback
Professional Development of Teacher Educators	Onur Ergunay Angela Sugliano (online)	hybrid	WALNUT ROOM	The agenda of the PDTE RDC meetings will be to work together on defining topics for developing a series of webinars throughout the year (from October 2025 to June 2026), focusing on issues central to our RDC’s mission.
Science and Mathematics Education	Lorraine Harbison	Hybrid	Arbutus Room	<p>Discussion on next steps as RDC - project planning, publication opportunities.</p> <p>Identification of future potential leadership of the RDC & invitation for election of co-chair and deputy chairs.</p> <p>Exploration of topics presented by delegates at ATEE and mathscify.org:</p>

				potential for assessment of STEM education.
Enabling Teachers for Entrepreneurship Education				No meeting
Global Education				No meeting
Digital Technologies	T.J. Ó Ceallaigh & Cornelia Connolly	hybrid	ROOM 5	<p>Workshop: Envisioning an IDEAL Future in a digital world through European Teacher Academies</p> <p>This interactive workshop invites participants to engage with the concept of European Teacher Academies as dynamic spaces for professional growth and innovation, supporting both in-service and pre-service teachers, as well as educational leaders. Building on the experiences of the IDEAL Future Teacher Academy, which focuses on developing digital educational leaders across Europe, the session will highlight both current achievements and the pathways ahead. Beyond showcasing existing resources, the workshop will open up a forward-looking dialogue. Importantly, the session will provide space to discuss future opportunities for collaboration, new directions for teacher academies, and how participants can contribute to and benefit from ongoing and upcoming initiatives in the IDEAL Future project and beyond.</p>
Technical and Vocational Education	Tatjana Bru Blixen	no	ROOM 4	Reshaping reflective practices and bridging the gap between classroom-based instruction and practical training in VET and AI-supported environments (e.g. giving second language speakers new opportunities to develop their language skills through tailored language input). We will discuss some given examples, recent studies on the topic,

				<p>share professional beliefs and experiences.</p> <p>A group from the RDC Theories & Methods in TE (Lithauen) might join us to help welcome the newcomers.</p>
Emerging Researchers	<p>Marta Kowalczuk-Walędziak</p> <p>Erika Kopp (online)</p>	hybrid	ROOM 15	<p>This interactive session invites early career researchers to connect, share, and learn about opportunities offered by the new Emerging Researchers RDC. Co-chaired by Marta Kowalczuk-Walędziak (in person) and Erika Kopp (online), the meeting will focus on building trust and community, getting to know participants' research interests, and proposing the RDC's key activities. These include scientific writing workshops, project application support, peer review opportunities, and collaborations with established researchers and other RDCs. The session will provide a space to identify common themes, discover shared interests, and explore future collaborations – laying the foundation for a vibrant emerging researcher network within the ATEE.</p>