



March is here, and with it, the promise of longer days, and perhaps a glimpse of spring (even though it's been pretty wintery so far...). We are very grateful for everyone who submitted their proposals for this year's Research Day and are super excited for the great lineup we have in store. We encourage all of you to register for Research Day if you have not done so yet! In addition, the EDST Blog is now open for submissions, so please check out the details below. This month, we are also happy to host an informative workshop by Dr. Claudia Ruitenbergh about Post-PhD career trajectories. Overall, March is a very full and eventful month, and we look forward to seeing you all in one of our events, and of course at Research Day, on Friday, March 31.

- Announcements -

Register for EDST Research Day 2023!

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Educational Studies
RESEARCH DAY 2023

Reimagining education for an equitable,
sustainable, and connected world

March 31, 2023
In-person

[Registration is open](#) for this year's Research Day, held on Friday, March 31.

This year's theme is **Reimagining education for an equitable, sustainable, and connected world**: In the past few years, the world has undergone intense changes, the nature and pace of which are unprecedented. The disruption and uncertainty caused by the Covid-19 pandemic have highlighted that we cannot continue life as usual, and this demands a different educational response. This conference is an invitation for us to come together to rethink education for a world that is equitable, sustainable, and connected. We welcome proposals that engage the themes of social justice, environmental justice, technology, and education. While these themes raise important questions, applicants should not feel limited to addressing these themes only. We, thus, also invite proposals on other education-related topics.

For more details on this year's Research Day please visit our 2023 Research Day webpage: <https://edst.educ.ubc.ca/researchday/>

EDST Blog: Call for Submissions



The EDST blog is open for submissions! The editorial team invites EDST students, faculty, and staff to submit contributions to the blog. While we welcome contributions for all topics related to education, we invite authors to consider the topic of "**Community**" as a theme we can gather around. *How are communities formed? What does it mean to live, work, learn, or educate in community? What goals might educative communities hold in common?*



Submission Process:

Blog posts (typically 500-1,500 words) may take on many forms, including [public-facing scholarship](#), [blogging about university or student experiences](#), co-authored pieces, narratives, poetry, or multimedia posts. [Submissions](#) are accepted on a rolling basis, with priority to those submitted by April 14th.

Have an idea you're unsure about? Authors are encouraged to reach out to blog editor, Jessica Lussier, (edstblog.editor@ubc.ca) with questions about submissions.

Presenting a paper, poster, performance, roundtable, or other type of presentation at [EDST Research Day?](#) Consider making your research day presentation into a post for the EDST blog! (*Keep your eyes peeled for an example on the blog later this month*)



Additionally, the blog is pleased to announce the addition of *Silas Krabbe* and *Yotam Ronen* to [the editorial board](#). Many thanks to past EDST students who volunteered their time on the blog's editorial team.

- Events -

Post-PhD Career Trajectories- A workshop with Prof. Claudia Ruitenberg

Join us for an informative workshop about career trajectories after graduation, with Prof. Claudia Ruitenberg!

Date and Time: March 16, 1:30pm-3:00pm

Location: Multipurpose Room (PCN 2012)/ online. **(This is a Hybrid event, please RSVP to receive zoom link.)**

Workshop: And then what? Planning your post-PhD career trajectory

This workshop is intended for current or recently graduated PhD students. I will discuss the main considerations in orienting yourself toward various post-PhD career trajectories and preparing accordingly. We will discuss both academic and non-academic types of careers, as well as decisions about geographic locations and how to define the field or fields in which you want to position yourself. Other topics include the kinds of qualifications that matter most in different trajectories, how to decide whether to apply for

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Dr. Claudia W. Ruitenberg
Professor
EDST

MARCH 16, 2023
1:30PM TO 3:00PM
PCN 2012/ZOOM
(Please RSVP below)

Sign up here

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Please RSVP Here:

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Co-working sessions

What are co-working sessions?

Co-working sessions are casual drop-in work sessions hosted in person at EDST Multipurpose Room (PCN2012), or virtually via zoom. During a session you can work alongside your peers and meet your goals. Sessions begin with a check-in to share our goals for the day, followed by focused working blocks and short breaks to check-in with each other. Whether you need a bit of motivation to get some work done, or just want to say hello to EDST classmates, co-working is for you!

MARCH SCHEDULE

Day	Time (PST)	Host	Location
Wednesday, March 08	2:30 – 6:30pm	Roshni	PCN 2012
Friday, March 17	1:00 – 5:00pm	Roshni	PCN 2012
Monday, March 20	2:00-6:00pm	Eva	Online
Wednesday, March 29	2:00-6:00pm	Itamar	PCN 2012



Please sign up to RSVP: https://ubc.ca1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_eCzH4PILOX2E5BI

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