EDUCATION & PANDEMICS ARCHIVE

CALL FOR SUBMISSIONS AND COLLABORATION

The Education & Pandemics Archive is a public history initiative for historians of education worldwide.

The COVID-19 pandemic has shown us that health crises have an enormous impact on education. In 2021, ISCHE therefore decided to launch an <u>Education & Pandemics Archive</u>. We want to collect and preserve past and present experiences related to pandemics and education. Another aim of our web archive is to offer inspiration for future research and to collaboratively think about the potential of digital sources and crowdsourcing initiatives.

To preserve and provide as much source material as possible, we cordially invite you all to contribute to and reflect on new ways of studying the past and imagine how present and future research on education and pandemics should or will be carried out – also in terms of developing new relationships between the past and our anticipated futures.

Possible source material could be:

- posts from social media (Twitter, Instagram, YouTube, etc.)
- newspaper articles
- photographs
- podcasts
- websites
- videos
- project materials (scans from drawings, etc.)

We invite you to collect with us, to become a contributor, a curator within our team, an institutional member and a promoter of our archive. Academic teaching staff, students and the general public are encouraged to collect and submit materials that they feel should be preserved, whether in the context of projects with students, young children and local communities or in connection with specific events. We value each item. Each submission will build connections to other items in our archive and contribute to a growing network of data and meaning for present and future histories of education.

For those interested in collaborating more closely with us, we offer partnerships that could attract funding for research and community projects.

We also welcome your input and suggestions.

Please get in touch with Karin Priem and the curators Ami Kobayashi, Rafaela Rabelo, Fanny Isensee, and Daniel Töpper by sending a message to ische-edupan-archive@ische.org.