

The Early Childhood Care and Development Program
Arab Resource Collective

In cooperation with

The School of Arts & Sciences
Department of Education at LAU

Cordially, invite you to attend

Inclusive Education & Diversity in Early Years

A REGIONAL CONFERENCE FOR ECCD PROFESSIONALS

November 5-7, 2009

BEIRUT - LEBANON

The general aim of the conference is to raise awareness and to highlight the importance of inclusion and diversity in early years as the best time to develop a positive and self determined personality in children. In addition, the conference aims to establish an advocacy strategy for the inclusion of all children in their communities.

The conference will include sessions on topics such as, (but not limited to):

- Teaching all students
- Accommodating different learning needs and styles
- Challenging non-inclusive practices
- Children participation
- Involving parents
- Accepting self and others
- Acknowledging the right of the child
- Celebrating diversity
- ... and other relevant topics

PRESENTATIONS/ PAPERS SUBMISSIONS

All participants who wish can submit proposals for papers and presentations on the relevant topics of the conference.

LOCATION & PLACE OF VENUE

Lebanese American University- Beirut Campus
www.lau.edu.lb

APPLICATIONS

Application forms should be filled and submitted to ecd@mawared.org no later than September 25, 2009.

RESOURCE EXHIBITION

There will be an ongoing resource exhibition during the conference. So please bring along any resources you and/or your organization have produced about Early Childhood (Arabic and/or English) for display and sharing with other participants.

CONTACTS

For more information please visit www.mawared.org/eccd or send an email to ecd@mawared.org

