

GSID Open Seminar on Comparative Education By Dr. Shin'ichi Suzuki



Data: July 1st

Time: 12:00~14:00

Venue: Meeting Room #1 @ GSID (8F)

Language: English

Everyone is WELCOME!!

Biography

Born in Manchuria in 1933. Being a product of Waseda University himself, he has been teaching at the University for decades. His main research theme is history of education in Britain. He devoted much of his time to theoretical studies on “comparative approaches in education”, working closely with some influential academics such as Brian Holmes and Juergen Schriewer, on shifting paradigms in comparative education.

The gist of the lecture

Conventionally the Nation-State has been used as a Unit in Comparative Education. Nowadays when globalization of human institutional activities are more prevalent over the various areas of social, economic, political, cultural and religious actions, the notion of nation-state cannot easily be accepted as the research unit in comparative studies in education. What can be the new units for comparative studies in education? He will argue for the notion of Topos (場), and its possibilities for generative discourse-formations in comparative education.