

## The Eighth International Conference on Geometry

Nahsholim (Israel), March 7–14, 1999

The conference will deal with subjects in geometry, in particular the areas of foundations of geometry, incidence geometry, geometric algebra, discrete and combinatorial geometry, and convexity. A special section "Geometry and school" will be devoted to subjects related to geometry in mathematics education.

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## 4th International Seminar on Didactics of Mathematics

Students, teachers, knowledge:  
From theory to didactic practice

Sulmona (Italy), April 23–25, 1999

The conference is organized by MATHESIS (Società Italiana di Scienze Matematiche e Fisiche. Sezione Peligna). The conference language is Italian, but the speakers' languages are Spanish, English and French, all translated.

Key speakers will be: Alan Rogerson (Australia), Bernard Sarrazy (France), Maria Luisa Schubauer Leoni (Switzerland), Angel Balderas Puga (Mexico), Rosetta Zan (Italy), Claudio Bernardi (Italy) and Bruno D'Amore (Italy).

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## Creativity and Mathematics Education

Münster (Germany), July 15–19, 1999

### Pre-announcement

Experts in mathematics education from all parts of the world will be invited to present their ideas and experiences

on the following topics at this international conference:

- How to promote the creativity of our children?
- How to stimulate our teachers?
- How to enrich mathematics education with creative activities?

International Program Committee: Alan J. Bishop (Australia), Wilfried Herget (Germany), William Higginson (Canada), Armin Hollenstein (Switzerland), Frantisek Kurina (Czech Republic), Maria Alessandra Mariotti (Italy), John Mason (Great Britain), Hartwig Meissner (Germany), Erkki Pehkonen (Finland), Michael R. Williams (Canada), Kiyohshi Yokochi (Japan) and colleagues from China/USA/NL.

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## SEMT 99 5th International Symposium on Elementary Maths Teaching

How the World of Mathematics Emerge  
from the Everyday Experiences of Children

Prague (Czech Republic), August 22–27, 1999

This bi-annual conference will focus on the teaching of mathematics to 6–11 years old children. There will be plenary sessions, research reports, topic groups, discussion groups and poster presentations.

Proceedings will be published before the beginning of the conference.

International Programm Committee: Lucilla Cannizaro (Italy), Claude Gaulin (Canada), Klaus Hasemann (Germany), Graham Littler (Great Britain), Milan Hejny (Czech Republic), Michaela Kaslová (Czech Republic), Milan Koman (Czech Republic), Jarmila Novotná (Czech Republic).

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## CIEAEM 51

**Cultural diversity in mathematics (education)**

Chichester (UK), July 21-26, 1999

The conference is organized by the *Commission Internationale pour l'Étude et l'Amélioration de l'Enseignement des Mathématiques (CIEAEM)*.

The aim of the conference is to enrich and enhance mathematics (education) by sharing and articulating experiences, interpretations and perspectives from differing cultures and education viewpoints. The rapidly disappearing national and international barriers and the prospects of future global societies and markets offer us a further incentive to search for productive ways in which communities with different belief systems and priorities can learn from each other.

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