Call for Papers

"Transhumanist Education, Politics, and Design

Confero: Essays on Education, Philosophy and Politics

For this special issue of Confero, we welcome contributions from scholars with various disciplinary backgrounds to debate transhumanistic issues in relation to education, politics, and design.

Topics suitable for this special issue could include, but are not limited to, the following:

- Transhumanism, corporeality and (un)learning
- Transhumanism and disease(s)
- Transhumanism and monstrosity
- Transhumanism and citizenship
- Transhumanism and surveillance
- Transhumanism and cognitive science
- Transhumanism and values (social, economical, ethical, juridical, environmental, moral, instrumental, utilitarian, hedonic etc.)
- Transhumanism and intersectionality (e.g. race, sexuality, gender, ethnicity, able-bodied, crip)
- Human enhancement, prosthesis and extension
- Morphological freedom
- Educating the transhuman
- Queering transhumanism
- Transhumanism and speed
- Transhumanist design
- Definitions, practices and consequences of transhumanism (e.g. bio-hacking and DIY citizenship)
- A battle for/of the anthropocene? Posthumanism vs. transhumanism
- Transhumanism as subversive power

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The editorial group can be reached at confero@liu.se. A first full draft of the essay should be sent to confero@liu.se on or before May 15, 2016. The subject line of the submission should read “Submission for SI on transhumanism”.

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