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## Physics education in kindergarten: children learning and teachers training

*Thursday 6 July 2023 11:10 (1h 30m)*

This symposium is proposed by the GIREP Thematic Group “Physics Preparation of Teachers in Grades K-6” and consists of a discussion on physics education in kindergarten from two interlaced perspectives: children teaching/learning and teacher training in physics. The three contributions suggest ideas to start a discussion on these challenging and multifaceted topics in view of the identification of innovative ways of teaching and learning physics in kindergarten.

### How would you like to present your contribution?

Live in Košice (time slot to be allotted based on the programme)

### Target education level (primary)

Pre-school education

### Target education level (secondary, optional)

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