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Dear Professors Shin, Arimoto, Cummings, and Teichler,

The Comparative and International Education Society Higher Education SIG (HESIG) has established an Awards Competition for Best Book in the complementary areas of comparative and international higher education.

We are writing to extend congratulations to you for being recognized for the CIES Higher Education SIG Best Book Award for your recently edited volume **Teaching and Research in Contemporary Higher Education: Systems, Activities, and Rewards**.<sup>1</sup> This was a highly competitive selection process and your book was reviewed by a minimum of three members of the HESIG Awards Committee.

We are honored to offer you the CIES Higher Education SIG Best Book Award for 2015. We hope you will be able to accept this award in person at the CIES HESIG Business Meeting in Washington DC in March 2015. It is anticipated that this meeting will be scheduled on 11 March 2015, which is a Wednesday, from 1:15-2:45 p.m. (Venue: Washington Hilton, Concourse Level, International Ballroom West). Please let Prof. Gustavo Gregorutti know via email ([ggregoru@andrews.edu](mailto:ggregoru@andrews.edu)) as soon as possible if you are able to attend this meeting in person to formally accept your award.

Sincerely,

Gustavo Gregorutti  
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<sup>1</sup> Shin, Jung Cheol, Akira Arimoto, William K. Cummings, and Ulrich Teichler, editors. 2014. *Teaching and Research in Contemporary Higher Education: Systems, Activities, and Rewards*. Dordrecht, Heidelberg, New York, London: Springer.

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