## Call for Papers— Thematic Issue: Arts-Based Research in Teacher Education

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This special guest-edited issue will offer a range of commentary on arts-based pedagogy and approaches to research in teacher education. Contributors are invited to address the questions, "What does arts-based research and practice look like in teacher education?" and "How are arts-based approaches meaningful and useful in teacher education?" Articles submitted will explore issues of theory and practice in arts-based educational research by and about teacher educators.

Ways of thinking associated with different modes of artful representation include narrative prose, collage, photography, performance, and poetry. Examples of teacher education themes may incorporate the following: innovative programmatic development, assessment and evaluation of teachers and teacher education programs, teacher education reform efforts, mentoring, educational leadership, professional development, teaching portfolios, professionalism in teacher education, professional development schools, university-school partnerships, curriculum perspectives and issues, cohort development and socialization, alternative certification, ethical, moral, and legal issues, and issues of diversity and pluralism in a multicultural society.

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