

# Call for papers by



## *Outre-Mers. Revue d'histoire*

The journal *Outre-Mers. Revue d'histoire* intends to publish a special issue dedicated to the history and development of universities and schooling in the ancient colonial empires and the states set up at the independences.

Proposals should focus on the various areas of African colonial empires (the Francophone and Anglophone ones, but also the other ones of course); they could grapple along a comparative path with the various Asian areas (India, Indochina, Indonesia, Philippines).

The key issues to be scrutinised are: the creation of institutions of university cursus, the origins and sociology of students, the recruitment and evolution of teaching staff, the relations with the Authorities (political or religious ones), the role played in academic research (social sciences, health and medicine fields, sciences, agronomy, environment, etc.), the academic economics (finances, grants, foundations, etc.), the organisation of daily academic life (libraries, students residencies, the conception and building of architectural projects, etc.).

The issue of the variety of academic levels and higher education has to be considered, about technical and professional schools, teachers training colleges, institutes for professional training, research laboratories, etc. The conception and the evolution of such institutions under the guidance of the colonial authorities and their evolution after the independence are to be gauged too.

Studies by the Metropolitan institutions by colonised juniors do not enter the field of this call for papers.

Paper proposals are to be sent to the journal [sfhom2015@gmail.com] till the end of January 2016, with an argued summary, a presentation of sources and a CV. The publication of the special issue is scheduled in 2017 after a selection by the comité de redaction of *Outre-Mers. Revue d'histoire*.