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I'm Tony Honorato, professor at the State University of Londrina (Brazil, UEL: www.uel.br), I work on research on education and theories of Norbert Elias. In Brazil the theories of Norbert Elias, since the 1990s, have been increasing space in academic and social debate. The books of Norbert Elias are translated into Portuguese, *The Civilizing Process* has wide circulation in the Brazilian reality. It is under our coordination (Ademir Gebara and Tony Honorato) the *Civilizing Process Research Group* (GPPC), linked to the National Council for Scientific and Technological Development (CNPq - Brazil). The Group's proposal is to bring together researchers, Brazilian and foreign, who take as references, in their studies and researches, the theory of civilizing processes and figurational sociology and their interfaces with other areas of knowledge. Since 1996, the GPPC has been organizing the *International Symposium on Civilizing Processes*, the event has already taken place in Brazil, Argentina, Colombia and Mexico. The Group counts with the participation of Brazilian and Latin American researchers and developing different themes in four lines of research: a) History and Sociology; b) Power and Social Groups; c) Education, Science and Art; d) Health, Sports and Leisure. The GPPC organized some publications, among them: *Conversas sobre Norbert Elias* (GEBARA, 2005); *Introdução à sociologia da cultura – Max Weber e Norbert Elias* (BRANDÃO; CARVALHO, 2005); *Norbert Elias & Educação* (LEÃO, 2007); *La civilización en cuestión: escritos inspirados en la obra de Norbert Elias* (KAPLAN et al, 2008); *O controle das emoções* (GEBARA; WOUTERS et al, 2009); *Norbert Elias y el problema del desarrollo humano* (WEILER et al, 2011); *Escritos a partir de Norbert Elias* (SOUZA; SIMÕES et al, 2011); *Leituras de Norbert Elias: Processo Civilizador, Educação e Fronteiras* (GEBARA; COSTA; SARAT et al, 2014); Dossier on Education and Norbert Elias (in Portuguese and English. Cf.

http://www.scielo.br/scielo.php?script=sci_issuetoc&pid=2175-623620170004&lng=pt&nrm=iso). A part of the GPPC activities can be viewed on the homepage: <http://www.uel.br/grupo-estudo/processoscivilizadores/>
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