



## There is a Crack in Everything—Education and Religion in a Secular Age

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### Message from the Guest Editor

Dear colleagues,

The seemingly paradoxical situation of an expected decline of religion in the public domain and the increase of religiousness and spirituality in people's lives, urges scholars to revisit the prophecy regarding secularization. It turned out that secularity and the proximity of religious and secular alternatives, resulted in severe doubt concerning one's own positionality regarding religions. People use different strategies to create an alternative for the 'sacred canopy', the 'paradise lost'. Pop festivals, football matches and sports activities seem to be a satisfactory substitute for what religion was in earlier days.

With this Special Issue we wish to contribute to the ongoing debate on secularization and pluralization in the 21st century, focusing on the meaning thereof for the education of today's youngsters—being the constructors of tomorrow's world. Please feel invited to send your abstract to [education@mdpi.com](mailto:education@mdpi.com). The deadline for the abstracts is 15 December 2017.

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