



Young People, Risk and Opportunity Across the Globe

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Message from the Guest Editor

Dear Colleagues,

Youth studies, youth policy and youth work are on the move. Youth studies are being reformulated to strengthen perspectives from the 'global south'. Youth policy is on the map, with proponents arguing for more transversal policy responses to the diverse issues affecting young people, from technological change to violent extremism. Youth work is now recognized as complementary to formal education.

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