

Special Issue

Coping and Acculturation in Refugee Children and Youth

Message from the Guest Editor

For a long time, research on coping and acculturation has either examined these processes in isolation or has considered them primarily in non-refugee contexts. This is striking, given that established acculturation models have long postulated a complex and intertwined relationship between coping processes and acculturation dynamics. Among young refugees, this interrelation is particularly salient. Their everyday lives are often shaped by multiple pre-migration adversities as well as ongoing post-migration stressors, which may constrain daily functioning and well-being. Against this background, this Special Issue invites contributions that address the interplay between coping and acculturation among young refugees worldwide. We particularly welcome studies that focus on young refugees' everyday experiences and affective states within their specific contextual conditions, as well as research that examines the resources available in their life contexts and how these resources are accessed, mobilized, and utilized in coping with daily stressors and acculturative challenges.

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Youth is an international and peer-reviewed journal covering a broad range of topics that all influence persons lumped into the category of youth. The numerous issues of interest to the research community involving youth include mental health, education, sociology, economics, employment, cultural studies, civic engagement, and other social perspectives of youth and young adulthood.

Our goal is to work together with the global research community whose interest and scholarship speak to providing evidence that will support and enhance the lives of youth and the systems that affect their lives. We are interested in working with graduate students, scholars, scientists, and research centers who share this interest.

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