

Research seminar 'Child, families and communities'

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Hosted by

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DPU, Aarhus University, Tuborgvej 164, 2400 Copenhagen

Building D165, 9 am – 16 pm

This research seminar is organized in relation to a special section of a forthcoming 'International Handbook on Early Childhood Education' (Eds. M. Flear & B. van Oers). The authors share an ambition of engaging in theoretical and methodological developments that contribute to critically (re)thinking early childhood education. Focusing on the concepts 'child, families, and communities' provide the opportunity to bring together researchers that in different ways aim to pave new directions and provide new insights into methodological problems and challenges for research and practice in relation to children's life and development.

Program:

9.15- 9.25 Opening of the seminar by Dorte Kousholt

9.25- 9.45 Framing 'Child, families and communities' by Charlotte Højholt

9.45-10.25 'Sharing early care: Learning from practitioners' by Agnes Andenæs and Hanne Haavind (including questions and comments)

Coffee break

10.40-11.20 'Children's cultural learning in everyday family life exemplified at the dinner setting' by Mariane Hedegaard (including questions and comments)

11.20-12.00 'Children and community' by Bronwyn Davies (including questions and comments)

12.00-12.30 Open discussion

Lunch

13.45-14.25 'Children participating and developing agency in and across various social practices' by Charlotte Højholt and Dorte Kousholt (including questions and comments)

Coffee break

14.45-15.25 'Towards a posthuman developmental psychology of child, families and communities' by Erica Burman (including questions and comments)

15.25-16.00 Open discussion