International Summer School in Bielefeld
May 25 – 29, 2020

Research in Religious Development

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Theory, Methodology and Praxis
General Information

Participation Fees
200 €

Travel costs and accommodation can very likely be covered completely due to a major grant from the John Templeton Foundation!

Participation requirements
• Bachelor’s degree or higher
• Participants should (plan to) be involved in research on religious development or religious biographies

Deadline for submitting a full application
November 30, 2019

Your application should include:
• your CV
• a Letter of Intent, with information about yourself and your research

On this website, you can submit your application and stay informed about news concerning the summer school:

www.uni-bielefeld.de/summerschool2020-psychologyofreligion

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Are you interested in including a perspective on religious development in your research? Would you like to get to know the theory of Religious Styles? Do you want to learn how to conduct a Faith Development Interview? Or are you even already using this approach in your own research?

This summer school aims at introducing students and researchers to the latest developments in theory, research and methodical application of research on religious development in the psychology of religion. It has a special focus on assisting researchers who are already engaged in research with a developmental approach, or intend to include a developmental perspective in their study.

Discussions will focus on the concepts and (multiple) methods for research about religious and spiritual experience, religious styles, and the study of religious and biographical trajectories. We offer experiences from our Bielefeld-Chattanooga studies, which have a focus on biographical-reconstructive research, combined with psychometric and experimental approaches.

If you want to get in touch, you can contact us via biographische-religionsforschung@uni-bielefeld.de