

Network 5: Children and Youth at Risk and Urban Education

Note of network meeting, ECER 2021, Geneva (online)

Attendees: 4

After an initial introductory discussion in which everyone attending introduced themselves and outlined their research interests and connection with the network, the meeting focused on the following issues:

1. We discussed the conference so far, with the consensus being that the quality of papers presented remained high and audience numbers were satisfactory, if a little lower online than would usually be expected.
2. There was also discussion of potential areas of focus for ECER 2022. Ideas included a symposium focusing on the methodological challenges of researching with children and youth at risk and greater focus on incorporating theory into research. It was also suggested that the work of the network would be ideal for a book in the EERA transdisciplinary series and that MJ would contact network members after the conference to gauge potential interest.
3. It was suggested that network members might like to contribute to the EERA blog.
4. Finally, planning for ECER 2022 was discussed in more detail. It was agreed that MJ would contact network members after the conference to invite them to propose symposia and/or ideas, so that members could collaborate on areas of interest and work together on future publications and the book proposal, if enough interest is uncovered.

Michael Jopling
15 November 2021