



Yield Newsletter – January 2016

Dear Yield members,

In this Newsletter, we would like to update you on Yield news and activities.

News

Yield-day 2016

Yield's mission is to conduct multidisciplinary research on the bioecology of human development, with research results that have impact in science and in society. We encourage interdisciplinary/ interdepartmental collaborations by arranging brainstorm sessions, meetings and annual Yield-days. This year's Yield-day was again a success with interesting brainstorm sessions, presentations of Yield research and time for informal meetings. Central to the brainstorm sessions were two Horizon calls with deadlines in 2017. Some of these research ideas will be further discussed; if you would like to take part in these discussions, send an email to Helle Larsen (H.Larsen@uva.nl).

Prizes and honored research grants

- Marija Maric received the '*Wim Trijsburgprijs*' for her research on the effective mechanisms in psychotherapy where she is bridging science, theory and practice.

Three Yield postdocs received research grants:

- Eddie Brummelman received a NWO Rubicon grant for his research on *unconditional parental regard: Its nature and its consequences*. Eddie will conduct this research at Stanford University.
- Bram Van Bockstaele received a KNAW Sara van Dam project grant. In collaboration with Prof. Yair Bar-Haim (University of Tel-Aviv), he will start a research line on *maladaptive emotion regulation strategies in childhood and adolescent trauma*.
- Helle Larsen received an ERAB grant for her research on *peer influence and alcohol cognitions: understanding the interaction between implicit processes and peer context*.

Yield Graduate Programme

All Yield Graduate Programme (YGP) students have met with Yield principal investigators and are familiar with their research topics. Under guidance of a principal investigator they will write a comprehensive research proposal to apply for an YGP PhD position on a topic of their choice. The YGP PhD positions will also be open to excellent candidates from other institutes from the Netherlands and abroad. The deadline for the YGP PhD application is on April 15th 2016.

Yield Institutions [academische werkplaatsen]

The Research Institute of Child Development and Education has employed Theun Creton (Werkplaats 4) to set up and develop Academic Workplaces in education. Such Academic Workplaces serve multiple goals, one of which is to establish an infrastructure for fundamental research of which Yield researchers could benefit in the near future. Theun had multiple meetings with stakeholders from the UvA, the HvA, a number of school boards, and the Kohnstamm Institute. This collaboration will compete for an NRO grant for Academic Workplaces in Primary Education. The call is due early February 2016.

Sarphati Amsterdam

End of November 2015, Sarphati Amsterdam conducted an inventory to get an overview of dedicated researchers who are active within Sarphati Amsterdam. This group of dedicated researchers will meet periodically to discuss the research plans.

Symposium Rudolf Berlin Center

"Successful and failing reading development: Progress in (neuro)science and practice"

Thursday 4 February 2016, 13.00 - 17.30 hrs.

Location: Oudemanhuispoort 4-6, 1012CN Amsterdam

The symposium provides an overview of recent insights in normal and abnormal reading development and on the translation of these insights into practice. Renowned (inter)national speakers present the latest scientific knowledge, and practical insights related to reading difficulties and dyslexia. Read more and sign up here: <http://rudolfberlin.org/symposium/>

Kind regards, on behalf of the Yield team
Frans Oort, Mariëlle de Reuver and Helle Larsen

Overview of Yield meetings

Childhood education and family support

Biweekly colloquia are held. Ongoing research is presented and discussed. Contact: Alithe van den Akker (A.L.vandenAkker@uva.nl)

Brain & Cognition

Biweekly colloquia are held (see <http://www.dutcharc.nl/links/labmeetings/>). Contact: Marie Deserno (m.k.deserno@uva.nl)

Education and Instruction, learning processes and child development

Education organises 'Educational Science Colloquia' approximately bimonthly. These meetings consist of presentations of research and occasionally external speakers are invited. Contact: Madelon van den Boer (M.vandenBoer@uva.nl) and Marloes Muijselaar (M.M.L.Muijselaar@uva.nl)

Education and Instruction, learning processes and child development also have combined colloquia which are held monthly. In these meetings, ongoing research is presented and research proposals are discussed. Contact: Madelon van den Boer (M.vandenBoer@uva.nl)

Developmental psychology and Developmental and parenting problems

Combined OOP (Susan Bögels' lab)/ADAPT (Reinout Wiers' lab) colloquia are held once a month. Here ongoing research is presented and discussed. Contact: Bram van Bockstaele (B.D.vanBockstaele@uva.nl)

Code – P colloquia are held biweekly (Hilde Huizenga's lab and Maartje Raijmakers' lab). In these meetings, research is presented and discussed. Contact: Laura Dekkers (L.M.S.Dekkers@uva.nl)

AMC Pediatrische Psychologie Kennisoverdracht Bijeenkomst

These are monthly research meetings, often with (external) presentations. The meetings are held on the third Tuesday of the month from 12:00-13:00. Contact: Marieke de Vries (marieke.devries@amc.uva.nl)

Tinbergen Institute

The Tinbergen Institute is the research institute and graduate school of the economist from the UvA, VU and EUR. These are open seminars where Yield researchers are welcome. The topics are rather broad. Contact: Nienke Ruis (N.M.Ruijs@uva.nl)

Psychometrics: Methods & Statistics (POWL) and Psychological Methods (Psychology)

Combined M&S (POWL) and PM (Psychology) biweekly meetings on Psychometrics. Wednesdays 12:00-13:00. Contact: Andries van der Ark (L.A.vanderArk@uva.nl)