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Ausschreibung zur Vergabe einer Abschlussarbeit

Am Arbeitsbereich Erziehungswissenschaftliche Bildungsforschung der Humanwissenschaftlichen Fakultät wird das folgende Masterarbeitsthema vergeben. Bei Interesse kontaktieren Sie bitte Dr. Yizhen Huang per E-Mail unter yihuang@uni-potsdam.de oder telefonisch unter 0331/977-203192.

Thema:

Through teacher's eyes: Eye movement during different instructional activities

Abstract:

Eye movement is a unique gateway to teacher's hidden mental process (Jarodzka, Holmqvist, & Gruber, 2017). The incessant movement of our eyes not only gathers information from the external surroundings, but it can also reveal something about our own knowledge and internal states (Liversedge, Gilchrist, & Everling, 2011). Eye movements are known to be linked with cognitive processes such as scene perception, pattern recognition and memory (Chua, Boland, & Nisbett, 2005; Chuk, Chan, & Hsiao, 2017). Teaching is inherently a cognitive demanding task that requires skillful attention allocation in complex situations (Cortina, Miller, McKenzie, & Epstein, 2015). What does the eye movement pattern look like as the teacher carries out different instructional activities, such as lecture, whole class discussion, small group discussion and seat-work? This project intends to examine teacher's eye movement during different instructional activities in real-life teaching.

Erforderliche Kenntnisse und Vorerfahrungen:

- Interested in eye movement data coding and analysis.
- Experience in scientific writing.
- Ideally with experience in quantitative research.

Studiengänge:

- Lehramtsstudiengänge (Sek I/II)
- Psychologie
- Erziehungswissenschaft

Organisatorisches:

Interessenten können sich ab sofort bei Frau Dr. Yizhen Huang. Regelungen zur Anfertigung von Masterarbeiten finden Sie unter <https://www.uni-potsdam.de/de/erziehungswissenschaftliche-bildungsforschung/abschlussarbeiten.html>.

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