



BOYHOOD STUDIES

An Interdisciplinary Journal

Call for Papers

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Boyhood Studies: An Interdisciplinary Journal is a peer-reviewed journal providing a forum for the discussion of boyhood, young masculinities, and boys' lives by exploring the full scale of intricacies, challenges, and legacies that inform male and masculine developments. *Boyhood Studies* is committed to a critical and international scope and solicits both articles and special issue

proposals from a variety of research fields including, but not limited to, the social and psychological sciences, historical and cultural studies, philosophy, and social, legal, and health studies.

Some interesting discussions could be:

- What are the changing dynamics of young masculinities within a globalised world?
- How are boys and young men coping with a post-industrial society?
- What are the expanding roles of education in boys and young men's lives?
- How do interactions and relationships with girls, young women, sisters, mothers, grandmothers shape boyhood and boys' lives?
- How do older men reflect back on boyhood?
- How do the intersections of class, gender, 'race' and ethnicity combine with other factors in boys and young men's lives such as sexuality, disability, place?
- Does the term 'toxic masculinity' impact on boys and young men? Is it a helpful term, or a phrase to cause confusion and anger?

Other questions and topics of interest might include: young fathers; nationalism; bodies; technologies; belonging; methods or methodologies for conducting research with boys and young men; strategies for engaging boys and young men in gender equality; feminist boys; trans-identities; boys and (post)feminisms; folklore; mythology; poetics of "male development"; son-parent and male student-teacher relations; young sexualities; as well as representations of boyhoods within film, music, the arts and across temporalities, geographies, and cultures.

Recent contributors to *Boyhood Studies* include:

Raewyn Connell, James W. Messerschmidt, Robert Morrell, CJ Pascoe, Marcus Weaver-Hightower, Joseph D. Nelson, Tristan Bridges, Kristen Barber, Jeff Hearn

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