

Zelb Meeting University of Potsdam

Presentation of the chair of school development

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Teaching

Teacher training (secondary level I and II):

Bachelor:

- Lecture: Principles of inclusive education
- Seminar: Internship in pedagogic-psychological fields (no internship in teaching)
- → for all teacher trainees (secondary level I & II), approx. 200-300 persons per semester
- → internship also abroad

Master:

- Lecture & Seminar: Dealing with individual learning conditions in schools
- → only teacher trainees for secondary level I, approx. 40-50 persons per semester

Further classes in Master of Education



Current Research





Multidimensional Heterogeneity in the Classroom: Measurement, Effects, Mechanisms (MuHiK project)

Main research questions:

Measurement: Are approaches to measure multidimensional heterogeneity transferable to the classroom context and do they contribute to explaining differences in student achievement and psychosocial outcomes?

Effects:

How is multidimensional heterogeneity related to student achievement as well as psychosocial outcomes?

Mechanisms: Which process characteristics at the level of teachers and peers can explain effects of multidimensional heterogeneity?



Future Research

School development projects – dealing with multidimensional heterogeneity

- Network of schools
- Perception of and dealing with heterogeneity
- Their needs for development
- Long-run:
 - Network of researchers and stakeholders in educational practice: develop and evaluate approaches of school development



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Thank you!

Further information:

https://www.unipotsdam.de/en/schooldevelopm ent/index

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