

Research Network on Learning Difficulties at Jyväskylä

ForLearning

Multidisciplinary International Symposium:

***Towards Knowledge on Efficient Learning, Teaching and Support.
What Are the Next Steps in Learning Difficulties Research?***

Ruusupuisto building, November 23rd, 8.30 am to 2 pm

Research on learning difficulties has long roots at Jyväskylä. What will be the next steps to be taken and what can be learned from different perspectives and disciplines in order to achieve these goals? The discussion is promoted through Keynotes and local presentations of ForLearning network.

8:15	Coffee
8:30	Welcome and Introduction
8:45	Keynote: Prof. Pekka Niemi <i>Ups and downs and open questions in international reading research</i>
9:25	Keynote: Assistant Prof. Elsje van Bergen <i>How well and how much do children read? Causality and heritability</i>
10:05	Keynote: Eva Marinus <i>Challenges in spelling acquisition: the case of consonant doubling</i>
10:45	General discussion
11:00	Lunch
12:00	Local presentations
13:45–14.00	Closing of symposium