

# Nordic Journal of Transitions, Careers and Guidance

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# Disposition

1. Right here, right now
2. Here comes the future

# (NJ)TCG

- The first issue is in progress, the first articles will be released during the winter of 2020/21 (halted by the Covid 19 outbreak)
- A Nordic joint venture. Editorial team: Fredrik Hertzberg, Stockholm university (editor-in-chief); Jaana Kettunen, University of Jyväskylä (co-editor); Sif Einarsdottir, University of Iceland; Erik Hagaseth Haug, Inland Norway University of Applied Sciences; and Rie Thomsen, Danish School of Education/Aarhus University
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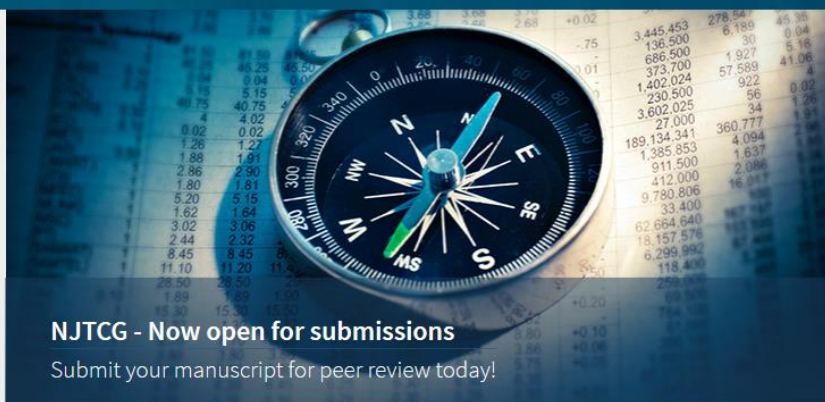
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## **(NJ)TCG (3)**

- The journal includes topics such as: career development, choice, transitions, adjustment, family-work, life role management, role of guidance in society; social justice, sustainability, access and use of ICT; policies, organization and approaches in career guidance practice.

## **(NJ)TCG (4)**

- The objective is to provide a forum for theoretically informed debates based on empirical work and critical analysis on careers concerning also the application ethics, and policies in career guidance.
- A second objective is to provide a forum for theoretically informed debates concerning the ethics, methods and policies (national as well as international) in career guidance. Interdisciplinary in nature, NJTCG aims to be widely read by scholars, students, decision makers and professionals in the field of career guidance counselling.

# **(NJ)TCG (5)**

- NJTCG is the first Nordic journal covering the scope of research falling within the field of career development underpinning career guidance and counselling practices.
- The emphasis on social context and CGC within the Nordic welfare society has not had a strong voice in the international publications and is not always welcomed in more individualistically inclined Anglo–American journals. Thus, a Nordic journal is needed to give voice to specific Nordic views in the field of career development and guidance practices internationally.



# The first issue



- Ingela Bergmo Prvulovic: Playing the Career Game in a Changing World of Work. (Res)
- Sif Einarsdóttir & James Rounds: Gender Differences in Interests in Iceland: Pervasive, Persistent and Powerful. (Res.)
- Lisbet Höjdal: Contemporary Approaches to Career Counseling. Critical Perspectives on the Life-Design Paradigm. (PP)
- Lisbeth Lundahl, Jonna Linde, Joakim Lindgren, Per-Åke Rosvall & Åsa Sundelin: Locality and the Prevention of Early School leaving. Supporting young people 's transitions to upper secondary school in a highly decentralised education system. (Res.)
- Peter Plant: Paradigms under Pressure: Green Guidance. (PP)

# Economy

- First year – financed by contributions from Danish School of Education/Aarhus University (20k SEK), Inland Norway University of Applied Sciences (10k SEK), Stockholm university (10k SEK), Umeå University (10k SEK), University of Jyväskylä (10k SEK).
- Second and forthcoming years – means applied for from NOP-HS 2020 Scientific Journal call (administred by Academy of Finland).
- In case of rejection – a need for financial contributions. Annual cost 2021 and 2022, budgeted: € 6173 (incl. editing costs). Please: look up and out for potential contributors!!

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