



## School-to-Work Transitions: Developmental and Mental Health Outcomes

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### Message from the Guest Editor

The school-to-work transition (SWT) is a crucial developmental task for young people. However, external shocks could create diverging destinies during the SWT transition period. As reported by International Labor Organization (2020), the COVID-19 economic crisis resulted in the major dislocation of young workers from the labor market. Unemployment is considered a health risk factor for young people. We urgently need to study how the difficulties in SWT create psychological vulnerabilities, mainly after the economic consequences of COVID-19. This Special Issue aims to publish: 1. incremental contributions to the STWT field in several highly original and innovative ways; 2. longitudinal studies focused on the health consequences of youth unemployment condition; 3. applied studies that provide greater insight into the development of effective interventions.





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