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Message from the Guest Editors

This Special Issue has several aims. The first goal is to link these new developments, concepts, and measures by examining their association and interplay with general mental ability or intelligence and its facets. We want to better understand the cognitive bases that socio-emotional abilities and measures draw on. A second goal is to examine how socio-emotional abilities are interrelated in order to advance theoretical development in the field. Finally, a third goal is to assess the incremental predictive validity of socio-emotional abilities beyond individual differences in intelligence in order to estimate their unique contribution to life outcomes.

Under this broad theme, we invite empirical submissions that address one or more of the following topics:

- Socio-emotional abilities and their relation to intelligence and/or individual differences in basic cognitive processes;
- Interrelations among socio-emotional abilities;
- New methodologies to measure socio-emotional abilities, including new performance-based tasks or scoring approaches;
- Identification of new socio-emotional abilities;
- Predictive validity of socio-emotional abilities.



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Message from the Editor-in-Chief

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