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Qualifications

Doctor of Philosophy, University of Helsinki
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Employment

Learning, Culture &Interventions (LECI)
University of Helsinki
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1 Sept 2017 → present

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University of Helsinki
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1 Jun 2017 → present

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1 Aug 2023 → present

Research outputs

Re-Thinking Joy and Young Children's Literacy Practices Through a Relational Lens
Nordström, A., Dec 2024, In: International critical childhood policy studies journal. 11, 1

Slow and affective becoming-with in early childhood education as the initiation of cultivation
Nordström, A. & Sintonen, S., Dec 2024, In: Reconceptualizing Educational Research Methodology. 15, 2

Tekstproduksjon og skriving i barnehagen (Editorial)
Østbø Munch, C., Semundseth, M., Hofslundsengen, H. & Nordström, A., Dec 2024, In: Nordic Journal of Literacy Research. 10, 4, p. 1-10

Kroppslighet och materialitet i små barns tidiga litteracitet
Nordström, A., Tjäru, S. & Jusslin, S., 29 Aug 2024, In: Läraren. 12/2024

Digital kompetens inom småbarnspedagogiken och förskoleundervisningen i Svenskfinland
Nordström, A. & Mannila, L., 24 Apr 2024, Helsingfors: Svenska kulturfonden. 94 p.

Ilon ilmeneminen varhaiskasvatuksessa
Nordström, A., 16 Feb 2024, In: Tutkittua varhaiskasvatuksesta.

Language as a medium for inclusion and exclusion: Supporting multilingualism in a Swedish minority language ECEC setting in Finland
Mansikka, J.-E., Londen, M., Holm, G., Saloranta, M. & Nordström, A., 8 Feb 2024, In: Journal of Early Childhood Education Research. 13, 1, p. 319–342 24 p.

Sagan en väg till mångsidigt berättande
Nordström, A., May 2023, In: Förskoletidningen. 2023, 3

Joy in young children's literacy practices in early childhood education
Nordström, A., Jan 2023, University of Helsinki.

Posthuman Babies: Reconceptualizing a Baby's First Year

Sintonen, S. & Nordström, A., 2023, *Postdevelopmental Approaches to Pedagogical Observation in Childhood*. Sakr, M., Rowsell, J. & Sherbine, K. (eds.). 1 ed. Bloomsbury Academic, p. 157-173 17 p. (Postdevelopmental Approaches to Childhood).

Young children initiating and negotiating their digital literacy practices in their homes

Sairanen, H., Kumpulainen, K., Nordström, A. & Kajamaa, A., 5 Jul 2022, *Nordic Childhoods in the Digital Age: Insights into contemporary research on communication, learning and education*. Kumpulainen, K., Kajamaa, A., Erstad, O., Mäkitalo, Å., Drotner, K. & Jakobsdóttir, S. (eds.). 1 ed. Routledge, p. 53-65 13 p.

Widening text worlds in Finnish early childhood education

Nordström, A., Sairanen, H., Byman, J., Renlund, J. & Sintonen, S., 3 Jun 2022, *Finnish Early Childhood Education and Care : A Multi-theoretical perspective on research and practice*. Harju-Luukkainen, H., Kangas, J. & Garvis, S. (eds.). Cham: Springer, p. 41-53 13 p. (Early Childhood Research and Education: An Inter-theoretical Focus; vol. 1).

Reimagining joy as a performative force in early childhood education

Nordström, A., 23 Mar 2022, In: Contemporary Issues in Early Childhood. 25, 1, p. 80-92 13 p.

Pienten lasten digitaalinen lukutaito -tutkimuskatsaus
Nordström, A., 2022, Opetushallitus.

Unfolding joy in young children's literacy practices in a Finnish early years classroom

Nordström, A., Kumpulainen, K. & Rajala, A., 14 Aug 2021, (E-pub ahead of print) In: Journal of Early Childhood Literacy. 17 p.

Young Children's Digital Literacy Practices in the Sociocultural Contexts of their Homes

Kumpulainen, K., Sairanen, H. & Nordström, A., Sept 2020, In: Journal of Early Childhood Literacy. 20, 3, p. 472-499 28 p., 1468798420925116.

Pedagogisen Haltijan kuiskaus -materiaalin soveltaminen varhaiskasvatuksessa J. A. Hollon kasvatusajattelun luentana
Sintonen, S., Nordström, A., Sairanen, H. & Kumpulainen, K., Jun 2020, In: Ainedidaktiikka. 4, 2, p. 44-62 19 p.

Bubblan: multilitteracitet med glädje för små barn

Byman, J. S., Renlund, J. A., Kumpulainen, K., Keso, M., Sintonen, S., Vartiainen, J., Sairanen, H. & Nordström, A., 2020, 32 p.

Storyhacking: Young children's boundary crossing across material and digital worlds
Vartiainen, J., Sairanen, H. & Nordström, A., 4 Nov 2019.

Making the Moomins: A Finnish/English Adventure

Marsh, J., Nordström, A., Sairanen, H. & Shkul, M., 12 Sept 2019, *Multiliteracies and Early Years Innovation: Perspectives from Finland and Beyond*. Kumpulainen, K. & Sefton-Green, J. (eds.). London: Routledge, p. 131-147 17 p.

Positive affect in young children's multiliteracies learning endeavors

Nordström, A., Kumpulainen, K. & Potter, J., 12 Sept 2019, *Multiliteracies and Early Years Innovation: Perspectives from Finland and Beyond*. Kumpulainen, K. & Sefton-Green, J. (eds.). London: Routledge, p. 166-182 17 p. (Routledge Research in Early Childhood Education).

Young children's agency in their digital media use in the sociocultural contexts of their homes: A case study from Finland

Kumpulainen, K., Sairanen, H. & Nordström, A., 1 Jun 2019, *Crianças, famílias e tecnologias. Que desa os? Que caminhos?: Children, families and technology in today's society. What challenges? Which paths?*. Brito, R. & Dias, P. (eds.). Lisboa: Escola Superior de Educação do Instituto Politécnico de Lisboa, Portugal, p. 150-170 21 p.

Bångstyriga bitar: Inlärning av multilitteracitet med glädje

Kumpulainen, K., Sintonen, S., Vartiainen, J., Sairanen, H., Nordström, A., Byman, J. S. & Renlund, J. A., 20 Nov 2018, Helsingfors: Helsingfors universitet. 60 p.

Kurittomat Palaset: Monilukutaitoa Opitaan Ilolla

Kumpulainen, K., Sintonen, S., Vartiainen, J., Sairanen, H., Nordström, A., Byman, J. S. & Renlund, J. A., 20 Nov 2018, Helsinki: Helsingin yliopisto, kasvatustieteellinen tiedekunta. 60 p.

Min hemstad Helsingfors - digital kompetens i närmiljön

Nordström, A., 2017, *Näin toteutan oppimiskokonaisuuksia - Lärområden i praktiken*. Holappa, A.-S., Engelholm, M.-L. & Packalen, P. (eds.). Helsingfors: Utbildningsstyrelsen, Vol. 2017:8. p. 30-36 6 p.

Delaktighet i skolvardagen - En skoletnografisk studie

Nordström, A., May 2015, 73 p.

Barnen är framtiden - Framtidsscenarier och kompetensbehov inom dagvård och annan barn- och familjeverksamhet:
Resultaten av en pilotgrupp inom VOSE-projektet

Backman, H., Englund, K. & Nordström, A., 2011, Utbildningsstyrelsen. 49 p.

En framtidsbild av kompetensbehoven inom familjecentren

Nordström, A. & Backman, H., 2011, *Familjecenter i Norden - en resurs för barn och familjer*. Nordiska ministerrådet, Vol. 2011:716. p. 109 3 p.

Institutionalisering och individualisering av den socialt konstruerade barndomen

Nordström, A., 2011

Lapsissa on tulevaisuus - Päivähöitoloon sekä lapsi- ja perhetyöhön liittyviä tulevaisuuden skenaarioita ja osaamistarpeita:
VOSE-projektin pilottiryhmän tulokset

Backman, H., Englund, K. & Nordström, A., 2011, Opetushallitus.

Activities

Encountering literacy as affective and relational in early childhood education – Thinking with a storybook project

Nordström, A. (Speaker)

7 Mar 2024

NERA 2024. Language as a medium for inclusion and exclusion in ECEC

Londen, M. (Speaker), Mansikka, J.-E. (Speaker), Holm, G. (Speaker), Nordström, A. (Speaker) & Saloranta, M. A. J. (Speaker)

6 Mar 2024 → 8 Mar 2024

What if education is the initiation of cultivation? Affective and slow pedagogies in a process of becoming-with in early childhood education

Nordström, A. (Speaker) & Sintonen, S. (Speaker)

12 Jan 2024

Organic life as a settlement for posthuman arts education

Sintonen, S. (Speaker), Snellman, M. (Speaker) & Nordström, A. (Speaker)

23 Nov 2023

Joy in young children's literacy practices in early childhood education

Nordström, A. (Speaker)

1 Sept 2023

Joy in young children's literacy practices in early childhood education

Nordström, A. (Speaker)

29 May 2023

Reading reflections diffractively

Nordström, A. (Speaker), Jusslin, S. (Speaker), Hilli, C. (Speaker), Byman, J. (Speaker), Höglund, H. (Speaker), Svenlin, M. (Speaker), Åkerholm, K. (Speaker) & Renlund, J. (Speaker)

9 May 2023

Joy in young children's literacy practices in early childhood education

Nordström, A. (Speaker)

3 May 2023

Workshop I: Exploring Imagination and Creativitythrough Play in Nordic Early Literacy Education

Nordström, A. (Attendee)

3 May 2023 → 5 May 2023

Ilo ja lukeminen

Nordström, A. (Speaker)

26 Apr 2023

Nordic Educational Research Association (NERA) Congress 2023

Nordström, A. (Attendee)

15 Mar 2023 → 17 Mar 2023

Reading reflections diffractively - becoming teachers

Nordström, A. (Speaker)

15 Mar 2023

Journal for Research in Arts and Sports Education (Journal)

Nordström, A. (Reviewer)

2023 → ...

Journal of Early Childhood Education Research (Journal)

Nordström, A. (Reviewer)

2023 → ...

Mikä ihmeen monilukutaito?

Nordström, A. (Speaker)
2023

NERA 2022

Nordström, A. (Attendee)
1 Jun 2022 → 3 Jun 2022

Reimagining joy as a performative force in early childhood education

Nordström, A. (Speaker)
1 Jun 2022

Doing joy - Affective intensities and literacy practices in early childhood education

Nordström, A. (Speaker)
31 May 2022

NERA Network 22 Post-approaches to Education: Pre-conference

Nordström, A. (Attendee)
31 May 2022 → 1 Jun 2022

Kasvatustieteen päivät 2021

Nordström, A. (Attendee)
26 Nov 2021

Reimagining joy as a performative force in early childhood education

Nordström, A. (Speaker)
26 Nov 2021

Monilukutaitoa opitaan ilolla

Nordström, A. (Speaker), Vartiainen, J. (Speaker) & Sairanen, H. (Speaker)
20 Nov 2021

Emerging joy in Finnish ECE - a case study of young children's affective and embodied literacy practices

Nordström, A. (Speaker)
3 Nov 2021

Nordic Educational Research Association (NERA), conference 2021

Nordström, A. (Attendee)
2 Nov 2021 → 5 Nov 2021

Glädje och multilitteracitet

Nordström, A. (Speaker)
26 Oct 2021

Multilitteracitet och digital kompetens: Aktuell forskning samt kunskapsbeskrivningarna inom Nylitteracitet

Nordström, A. (Speaker)
5 Oct 2021

Nätkursen Multilitteracitet

Nordström, A. (Chair)
23 Sept 2021 → 25 Nov 2021

19th Biennial conference of the European Association for Research on Learning and Instruction

Nordström, A. (Attendee)

23 Aug 2021 → 27 Aug 2021

Unfolding joy in Finnish ECE: A new materialist investigation into affect during a Storybook project

Nordström, A. (Speaker)

20 Aug 2021

EARLI JURE 2021 Conference

Nordström, A. (Attendee)

18 Aug 2021 → 20 Aug 2021

Journal of Early Childhood Research (Journal)

Nordström, A. (Reviewer)

2021 → ...

Understanding young children's relational joy in their literacy practices - methodological considerations

Nordström, A. (Speaker)

2021

EARLI SIG 10-21-25 Online Conference "Process-oriented Research on Learning in Contemporary Society"

Nordström, A. (Scientific Committee Member)

1 Jul 2020 → 3 Jul 2020

AERA 2020

Nordström, A. (Speaker: Presenter)

17 Apr 2020

Young Children's Joyful Interaction During a Multimodal Storybook Project: A Case Study from Finland

Nordström, A. (Speaker)

17 Apr 2020

Journal of Early Childhood Literacy (Journal)

Nordström, A. (Reviewer)

2020 → ...

Digichild Network Meeting in Helsinki

Nordström, A. (Member of organizing committee)

4 Nov 2019 → 5 Nov 2019

Multilitteracitet och multimodala resurser

Nordström, A. (Speaker)

28 Oct 2019

MOI! Monilukutaitoa opitaan ilolla myös kirjastoissa

Nordström, A. (Speaker) & Sairanen, H. (Speaker)

25 Oct 2019

Nätkurs: Multilitteracitet i barns och ungas liv

Nordström, A. (Chair)

1 Sept 2019 → 31 Dec 2019

Emotional Affordances of Multiliteracies Pedagogy: A Case Study of Young Children's Joyful Interaction in Literacy

Learning Endeavours

Nordström, A. (Speaker)

22 Aug 2019

EERCERA 2019

Nordström, A. (Attendee)
20 Aug 2019 → 23 Aug 2019

MOI: Inlärning av multilitteracitet med glädje

Nordström, A. (Speaker)
13 May 2019

Joyful Interaction in Early Childhood Multiliteracies Learning Endeavours

Nordström, A. (Speaker)
6 May 2019

Makerspaces for Young Learners

Nordström, A. (Attendee)
6 May 2019

Playful Learning Center och Inlärning av multilitteracitet med glädje

Nordström, A. (Speaker)
4 May 2019

Monilukutaito

Sairanen, H. (Speaker) & Nordström, A. (Speaker)
22 Mar 2019

Reconceptualising Early Childhood Literacies: An International Conference

Nordström, A. (Speaker: Presenter)
7 Mar 2019 → 8 Mar 2019

Routledge - Taylor & Francis Group (Publisher)

Nordström, A. (Reviewer)
2019 → ...

Monilukutaitoa Opitaan Ilolla-seminaari

Nordström, A. (Member of organizing committee)
20 Nov 2018

MOI, monilukutaito ja kirjastot

Nordström, A. (Invited speaker)
2 Oct 2018

MOI - Inlärning av multilitteracitet med glädje

Nordström, A. (Invited speaker)
25 Sept 2018

Contemporary Childhood Conference: Children in Space, Place and Time

Nordström, A. (Speaker: Presenter)
7 Sept 2018

University of Sheffield

Nordström, A. (Visiting researcher)
Jul 2018

Monilukutaitoa opitaan ilolla-perhetapahtuma
Nordström, A. (Member of organizing committee)
12 May 2018

Monilukutaitoa opitaan ilolla - Inlärning av multilitteracitet med glädje
Nordström, A. (Invited speaker) & Sairanen, H. (Invited speaker)
19 Apr 2018

DigiLitEY Training School
Nordström, A. (Attendee)
7 Mar 2018 → 8 Mar 2018

Satuja, mediaa ja monilukutaitoa
Sairanen, H. (Speaker) & Nordström, A. (Speaker)
23 Jan 2018

Projects

ALLBINK: All Children Included!

Holm, G. (Project manager), Landén, C. E. (Participant), Londen, M. (Participant), Mansikka, J.-E. (Participant), Nordström, A. (Participant), Saloranta, M. A. J. (Participant) & Thostrup, M. (Participant)
Stiftelsen Brita Maria Renlunds Minne
01/03/2021 → 31/12/2025

Exploring Imagination and Creativity through Play in Nordic Early Literacy Education

Jusslin, S. (Principal Investigator), Hofslundsgen, H. (Co-Principal Investigator), Magnusson, M. (Co-Principal Investigator), Alatalo, T. (Co-Principal Investigator), Norling, M. (Co-Principal Investigator), Næss Hjetland, H. (Co-Principal Investigator), Nordström, A. (Co-Principal Investigator), Tjäru, S. (Co-Principal Investigator), Wijnbladh, C. (Co-Principal Investigator) & Høyland, R. (Co-Principal Investigator)
02/01/2023 → 31/12/2024

MOI: Monilukutaitoa Opitaan Ilolla (MOI) -kehittämis- ja tutkimusohjelma, rahoitus OKM, wbs: 3999923

Kumpulainen, K. (Project manager), Sintonen, S. (Participant), Vartiainen, J. (Participant), Valkonen, S. (Participant), Sairanen, H. (Participant), Nordström, A. (Participant), Mikkola, A. (Participant) & Kajamaa, A. (Participant)
12/12/2016 → 31/12/2018

MOI: Monilukutaitoa Opitaan Ilolla tutkimus- ja kehittämishanke, rahoitus OKM

Kumpulainen, K. (Project manager), Sintonen, S. (Principal Investigator), Vartiainen, J. (Principal Investigator), Nordström, A. (Principal Investigator), Sairanen, H. (Principal Investigator) & Wong, C. C. (Other)
01/01/2019 → 31/12/2020

PLC - Playful Learning Center

Kumpulainen, K. (Project manager), Lipponen, L. (Participant), Sintonen, S. (Participant), Mertanen, O. (Participant), Sairanen, H. (Participant), Kajamaa, A. (Participant), Leskinen, J. (Participant), Nordström, A. (Participant), Hilppö, J. (Participant), Rajala, A. (Participant), Kangas, J. (Participant), Vartiainen, J. (Participant), Sormunen, K. (Participant), Sundstedt, M. C. B. (Participant), Byman, J. S. (Participant), Renlund, J. A. (Participant) & Wong, C. C. (Participant)
01/04/2014 → 31/12/2026

Prizes

JECL award (Journal of Early Childhood Literacy: award for best paper given by an early career researcher)
Nordström, A. (Recipient), 8 Mar 2019