



The Jacobs Center  
Research Seminar Series

**PROF. DR.  
ALEXANDER GROB**

Faculty for Psychology,  
University of Basel, Switzerland

## Intelligence and Development Scales: Understanding and Assessing Children in a Comprehensive Way

---

The Intelligence and Development Scales (IDS) assess children's competencies in a comprehensive manner. They include measures of general intelligence and provide a developmental profile for the functional areas of Cognition, Executive Functions, Psycho-Motor Skills, Social-Emotional Competences, Mathematics, Language, and Achievement Motivation for pre-school children, school-aged children, and across adolescence. The IDS can be used for respondents across the complete range of developmental and achievement assessments, for school enrollment, as well as for the clinical domain. Highlights of the IDS-2 are: more than 20.000 subjects across Europe, specific cultural adaptations, and different language versions.

The aim of the presentation is to show why it is important to assess developmental functions early in life, the general structure of the IDS, and its newest innovations.

**Friday, May 12, 2017 - 11:00 h**

At the Jacobs Center for Productive Youth Development  
Andreasstrasse 15, 4<sup>th</sup> floor, AND 4.19, 8050 Zürich

*Individual meetings with Prof. Dr. Alexander Grob are available,  
if interested please contact Maria Schönholzer [maria.schoenholzer@jacobscenter.uzh.ch](mailto:maria.schoenholzer@jacobscenter.uzh.ch)*