Einladung zum

Mongolei-Colloquium

Donnerstag, 10. Dezember 2015
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Lifestyles of Young Adults in Contemporary Urban Mongolia

Understanding youth lifestyles has been an important part of sociological research, being an indicator of social change in society. Youths influence many different levels of the society – even the process of policy-making. Social revolutions, scientific discoveries and political change in history have often been driven by young people, many of them highly educated ones.

Dr. Tserenbazar will present selected results of a survey from 2012 on lifestyles of young adults living in Ulaanbaatar. The participants of this survey were highly educated adults born between 1980 and 1990. While Mongolian society underwent a period of transformation simultaneously the survey respondents were entering school and were getting socialized. The survey focuses on following questions: how did the new social, political and economical conditions influence the process of the children’s socialization, their attitudes and behavior?

According to the questions above the survey addressed especially four fields of interest: values and personal goals, family life, social activities, and attitudes towards social status and ways of living. Comparing similar surveys conducted in the mid-1980s to the study of 2012, the findings reveal significant differences to the values of former generations. Considering these recent changes, we will discuss the role today’s young adults might play in future processes of Mongolia’s society.

Der Vortrag wird auf Mongolisch mit englischer Präsentation gehalten.

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