

INTRODUCTION

The current issue begins with the section "Contemporary Youth Conditions," comprising three contributions related to the notions of youth trajectories and transitions. The first article, "Juvenile migration from Paraguay to Argentina: Living conditions and duration of networks" by ANA MIRANDA, MARÍA CRISTINA CRAVINO, and SANTIAGO MARTÍ, presents the results of a binational research project on youth migration. Also focusing on the Argentinean reality, ANALÍA ELIZABETH OTERO, in her paper titled "Debates and Paradoxes in Educational and Occupational Trajectories: An Analysis of Perspectives, Actions, and Limitations Among Argentinean Youth," identifies recurring elements and differentiating factors in the life paths of young individuals in educational, work, and family contexts. ÓSCAR DÁVILA and FELIPE GHIARDO, from the Chilean context, contribute with "Transitions into adulthood: Generations and social changes in Chile" making an effort to explore the processes of becoming adult subjects, highlighting the ages, steps, and milestones that shape this journey.

The second section, "Youth Participation and Action," begins with a contribution from Brazil titled "Youth Participation and School" by CARMEM ZELI DE VARGAS GIL, who aims to link perspectives on youth with participation and relate these discussions to the school context. The other article in this section, "«Subject positions» and political university action: Discourse analysis of students of universities in Valparaíso region" by FUAD HATIBOVIC, JUAN SANDOVAL, and MANUEL CÁRDENAS, examines how young individuals construct the phenomenon of university political action.

The third section of the journal, "Youth Identities," features the article "From generation X to generation @. Transitional youth and identities in Latin America" by MARICELA PORTILLO, MARITZA URTEAGA, YANKO GONZÁLEZ, ÓSCAR AGUILERA, and CARLES FEIXA, which discusses the existence of a new generation of young people in the Latin American region through the study of specific cases. The journal concludes with "The ugly ones go to heaven and hell beautiful. Debates on the corporeality of young women in the evangelical pentecostal church of Chile (1927-1950)" by MIGUEL ÁNGEL MANSILLA, which delves into a particular type of youth religious identity.

Finally, we include a general index of articles by authors in commemoration of the 20 years of publication of *Revista Última Década* (1993-2012).

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