



Research Focus Group Talk:
**Childhood and the Role of Adults in the
Identity Formation of Children in Ghanaian
Children's Literature**

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In this talk, Asare-Nyarko will explore childhood and the roles adults play in the identity formation of children in Ghanaian children's literature. Using four books for young readers by Ghanaian authors and social identity theory, this study explores childhood and the roles adults play in the identity formation of children.



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