

Call for participation in the development of a child IQ test using touchscreen technology

On behalf of one of the main Dutch test publishers, Academic Consultancy Services (ACS) is currently investigating the possibilities of touchscreen technology for the development of an intelligence test for children in the age of 4 to 12 years.

With the project still in the start-up phase, we are currently looking for international scientific partners who would be interested in joining this project. The ultimate goal of the project is to develop a touch-based child IQ test covering a broad range of abilities from CHC theory (McGrew 1997).

For an overview of the possibilities of touchscreen technology for the development of a child IQ test see this video: http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=FNimlOG9U_M

Project phases

The project consists of 4 main phases:

1. Development of the theoretical framework and test design
2. Programming of the test-environment and tests
3. Norming and validating the test
4. Manual writing and publication of the test

For the technical development of the test, funding will be available from the publisher. Funding will also be available for norming and validating the test for the Dutch language area. Scientific partners will be offered the opportunity to use the test for research purposes and are invited to devise projects for norming and validating the test in their respective countries.

A parallel effort will be made, through the publisher's international network, to find publishing partners for marketing and sales of the test in the partner countries. Scientific partners who contributed to the manual, will be offered co-authorship of the test in their country or language area.

If you are interested in joining this project, please send an e-mail to the project manager, dr. E. E. (Erwin) Metselaar via ee.metselaar@acs-nederland.nl