The cross-cultural conceptualization of human flourishing among emerging adults in selected countries: A qualitative study

The concept human flourishing has different meaning to different individuals globally and it has received little consideration especially among emerging adults. The nine month project proposes to explore what human flourishing means to emerging adults from different countries across the world? Can an emerging adult flourish? Does human flourishing differ among emerging adults? What are the pathways and impediments and prospects to human flourishing among emerging adults from different countries? The possibilities of exploring multi-cultural knowledge on what human flourishing is among emerging adults from different countries of the world informed the need for a qualitative research study. The cross-cultural perspective of this research will draw experiences from different countries around the world and bring to a common platform of reflection practical commonalities and differences in the conceptualization of what human flourishing is. Also, the impediments, prospects and pathways to flourishing among emerging adults will be explored. This research is therefore driven by a concern to prompt provision of a wider picture of what human flourishing is among emerging adults in the developed and developing countries around the world.