Faculti Summary

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This video discusses the intersection of children's rights and child development, emphasizing the need for an integrated approach. It asserts that all children, regardless of age, have rights under international law, such as the right to be heard. However, existing literature often overlooks the application of these rights to younger children, focusing more on adolescents.

The project aims to bridge the gap between the fields of children's rights and child development, advocating for a deeper understanding that considers the developmental nature of childhood when addressing rights. The book will be organized into three sections representing various stages of childhood—early, middle, and adolescence—each featuring contributions from both child development experts and children's rights specialists.

The authors aim to foster collaboration, ensuring that insights from both fields inform law and policy. They recognize challenges, such as differences in language and approach between legal frameworks and developmental science. Ultimately, the book invites readers to engage in dialogue that enhances children's rights and well-being, recognizing the importance of children's voices in the process. By promoting interdisciplinary solutions, the project seeks to improve outcomes for all children by emphasizing the varied needs and experiences across different stages of development.