

Review of: "Shaping an Ethical Future: A Comprehensive Review of Child Ethics in a Global Context"

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Thank you for the opportunity to review this paper.

My Comments:

1. The paper is more on the morals of children and the influence of external factors on their cultural moral values than ethics. For this reason, I am of the opinion that the title is not adequate. However, if the author prefers to retain the title as it is, there is a need to briefly explain the following terms and phrases: child ethics, moral, the difference between moral, norms, and ethics, and a brief explanation of what the author means by the era of globalization.
2. In the Introduction section, line 9, the referencing is not the same as in others.
3. In the Research Method section, the author claims to have done a comprehensive search. This does not look like it because the research method does not appear to be adequate for a literature review. The author needs to explain thoroughly in the methodology the following: a) what search engines were used, how and how many; b) How many articles were reviewed; c) what the inclusion and exclusion criteria were.
4. In the Research Method section, lines 3 and 4, the author needs to explain how a comprehensive search and critical analysis were done.
5. There are no clear headings. For example, where the author has the list of factors that affect child ethics/morals, there should be 'Factors that Affect Child Ethics.'
6. Firstly, secondly, etc., are overly used.
7. All sections seem to be saying the same thing.
8. The paper went from introduction, research method to results and discussions with no analysis of the literatures reviewed. This is awkward.
9. The paper needs major revision.