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"Digital Transformation in Upper Secondary Schools: Identifying directions and key factors for technology-related school development, teaching and learning"

The project investigates digital transformation processes in baccalaureate schools and vocational schools. The project is carried out in cooperation with the University of Zurich, Institute of Education, Chair of Teaching and Educational Technology (Prof. Dr. Dominik Petko) and the Chair of Vocational Education (Prof. Dr. Philipp Gonon).

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