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Hope and optimism in a time of crisis; Hope and optimism in Career Counseling; Hope and optimism and multiculturalism; Positive psychology in Career Counseling and coaching; Hope and optimism in education; Resilience and time perspective in counseling; Increasing hope and optimism in counseling; Vocational guidance, career education, career counseling: researches and instruments; Counseling and disability; Vocational Designing and Career Counseling: experiences and interventions; Career Counseling and Life Designing for temporary, unemployed and underemployed workers; Career Counseling and Life Designing for immigrants and minority; Future scenarios of Vocational Design and Career Counseling; New competencies of Vocational Design and Career Counseling professionals; Family, hope, optimism and resilience.

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