A GGP delegation comprised of **Anne Gauthier**, **Olga Grünwald** and **Vytenis Juozas Deimantas** contributed to the regional ICPD30 conference titled 'Population and Development: Ensuring Rights and Choices'. This conference took place in Geneva, Switzerland on October 19-20 and was organised by the United Nations Economic Commission for Europe (UNECE) and the United Nations Population Fund (UNFPA) Regional Office for Eastern Europe and Central Asia.
The GGP had been invited to organise a side event as part of the official conference program. During this well-attended event the GGP delegation showcased how the Generations and Gender Programme contributes to the goals of the ICPD30. Through its main data product, the Generations and Gender Survey (GGS), the GGP makes a considerable contribution to addressing demographic challenges in the UNECE region, for instance by informing policy making on the most pressing thematic issues that need targeting.

More than 200 delegates from 56 member states in the UNECE region participated in the plenary sessions of the ICPD30. During the plenary sessions, the GGP was mentioned several times as an example of a reliable data source to identify emerging demographic trends and priorities for the ICPD.

The full conference program can be found here.
Job opportunities

The GGP community is hiring! Are you a fan of working with GGS data? Check out these opportunities for a next step in your academic career.

- **Research Fellow in Social Statistics and Demography (Intergenerational Co-residence)** at the University of Southampton. **Prof. Ann Berrington** welcome applications for a two-year research position investigating the changing dynamics of young adult’s living arrangements, including leaving and returning the parental home, house sharing and first partnership formation, within the ESRC funded ‘Connecting Generations’ programme.

- **GGP Postdoctoral Data & Policy Researcher** at the Netherlands Interdisciplinary Demographic Institute (NIDI-KNAW). Do you have an interest in the future of young people in Europe? Do you have experience using data from the Generations and Gender Survey (GGS)? **Prof. Anne H. Gauthier** is looking for a research fellow to work in a newly EU-funded project involving 30 other partners. This position is particularly well suited for people who have an excellent knowledge of European data (including GSS, ESS, EVS) and who are interested in linking data and policies.
Experts on child wellbeing policies meet in Florence

The GGP was well represented at the Growing Up In Digital Europe (GUIDE) conference 'Evidence for child wellbeing policy making' on October 23rd and the COORDINATE project meeting on October 24th-25th. Both events took place in Florence, Italy.

The first GUIDE conference had invited speakers from from the European Social Survey ERIC, SHARE ERIC and the GGP for a panel discussion on European survey research infrastructures and their potential for science and policy making. Letizia Mencarini, from the Italian national team represented the GGP. During the discussion, Mencarini highlighted the importance of the comparability of data across countries for the uptake among scientific and policy-oriented users.

At the COORDINATE project meeting Vytenis Juozas Deimantas from the GGP's Central Hub presented the final results of the non-scientific longitudinal data user workshops. Throughout 2023, 247 individuals employed at NGOs, in the media and in public service have attended 17 national workshops organised in Belgium, Bulgaria, Croatia, Finland, Moldova and Lithuania. In the workshops they learned how they can use longitudinal and cohort studies in their every-day work.
Upcoming Events

Meeting GGP board of governmental representatives | NIDI, the Hague | 16 November 2023 (by invitation only)

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