

8th GGP User Conference Program

Wednesday, 15 October 2025

15.00 - 15.50 Registration / Coffee

15.50 – 16.00 Welcome

16.00 - 16.30 Keynote speech by Prof. Gerda Neyer (Stockholm University)

“25 Years of GGP”

16.30 - 18.00 Flash session on Survey Methods and Data Collection

Chair: Nico van Nimwegen (tbc)

1. Long online-only questionnaire and respondents' perceived survey burden: Evidence from the first wave of the UK Generations and Gender
Presenter: Olga Maslovskaya, University of Southampton
2. Incentives in social research – examples from the second round of the Gender and Generation Survey in Poland
Presenter: Anna Maliszewska, SGH Warsaw School of Economics
3. Assessing the measurement of fertility in the Generations and Gender Survey of Uruguay and Buenos Aires
Presenter: Ignacio Pardo, Programa de Población (Udelar, Uruguay)
4. Harmonized Histories: Exploring relationship and family trajectories with international comparative data
Presenter: Claudius Garten, Federal Institute for Population Research (BIB)
5. Same-sex couples in the French GGS
Presenter: Laurent Toulemon, French Institute for Demographic Studies (INED)
6. Generations and Gender Survey Round II (GGS-II) in Italy
Presenter: Elena Marseglia, Bocconi University
7. Documenting the GGP using automation and open standards: the creation of a question database
Presenter: Thibaud Ritzenthaler, French Institute for Demographic Studies (INED)
8. Smartphone vs. computer: How does the type of device affect survey response quality?
Presenter: Daniel Dvořák, Masaryk University
9. The results of cognitive testing in the second round of the Polish Generation and Gender Survey
Presenter: Katarzyna Kocot-Górecka, SGH Warsaw School of Economics

18.00 - Reception

Thursday, 16 October 2025

09.00 - 10.30 Session 1. Fertility Intentions in a Changing World

Chair: Anna Maliszewska

1. Intended, ideal, and actual fertility in 11 European countries: Evidence on fertility gaps at different age groups from the GGS-II
Presenter: Martin Bujard, Federal Institute for Population Research (BIB)
2. The burden of crises and changes in fertility intentions
Presenter: Isabella Buber-Ennser, Vienna Institute of Demography, Austrian Academy of Sciences
3. Social media time and fertility intentions: evidence from the Estonian GGS-II
Presenter: Allan Puur, Tallinn University
4. Simulating how intentions, education, partnering, and physiology interact to produce coresidential fertility outcomes across several GGS countries
Presenter: Rolf Granholm, University of Groningen

10.30 - 11.00 Coffee break

11.00 - 12.30 Session 2. Partnership and Family Dynamics

Chair: Yuri Pettinicchi

1. LAT: Living Apart Together - A preliminary stage to cohabitation or a long-term form of partnership?
Presenter: Norbert Neuwirth, Austrian Institute for Family Studies - University Vienna
2. From offline to online: Trends, correlates, and cross-national variation in meeting romantic partners via the Internet
Presenter: Petra Međimurec, University of Zagreb, Faculty of Economics & Business
3. Conjugal dynamics and the onset of reproductive life in Buenos Aires and Montevideo
Presenter: Wanda Cabella, Programa de Población, Universidad de la República
4. Tracing the footprints of selection and adaptation in opinions on partnership forms
Presenter: Zsolt Spéder, Hungarian Demographic Research Institute

12.30 - 13.30 Lunch

12.30 - 13.30 Harmonized Histories Booth: Tips, New ideas, Collaborations

Join the booth to:

- Get a brief introduction to Harmonized Histories and learn about ongoing developments
- Learn how to analyse Harmonized Histories, including approaches to handling missing data
- Explore how Harmonized Histories can be linked with other GGS data or contextual indicators
- Share and discuss research topics and ideas for extending Harmonized Histories
- Connect with other researchers and explore collaboration opportunities

If you are curious about using life history data in a cross-national context – this is your starting point!

13.30 - 14.00 Keynote speech by Prof. Ignacio Pardo (Universidad de la República, Uruguay)

14.00 - 15.30 Session 3. Gender, Work, and Family Balance

Chair: Isabella Buber-Ennser

1. Why same-sex couples have a more egalitarian division of domestic tasks? Evidence from French GGS data
Presenter: Anne Solaz, French Institute for Demographic Studies (INED)
2. Washing alone. Gender roles and task specialization in heterosexual and same-sex partnerships
Presenter: Christine Geserick, Austrian Institute for Family Studies, University of Vienna
3. Happy fathers? Work, family, and well-being across Europe
Presenter: Stefanie Hoherz, Federal Institute for Population Research (BiB)
4. The use of home office arrangements by parents in the context of reconciling work and family life and promoting equitable partnership roles
Presenter: Sonja Dörfler-Bolt, University of Vienna

15.30 - 16.00 Coffee break

16.00 - 17.30 Session 4. Cohabitation, Marriage, and Separation

Chair: Laurent Toulemon

1. Cohabitation, marriage, or motherhood? The role of education and social heritage for the development of first family-forming transitions in Europe
Presenter: Bernhard Riederer, Vienna Institute of Demography, Austrian Academy of Sciences
2. Unmarried cohabitation and union stability: the cohabitation-diffusion-hypothesis revisited
Presenter: Maike van Damme, Centre d'Estudis Demogràfics (CED-CERCA)
3. Defining marital dissolution: The impact of using De Facto or De Jure separation on covariate estimates in event history analysis
Presenter: Marta Styrz, SGH Warsaw School of Economics
4. The Educational Gradient of Marriage in a Comparative Perspective
Presenter: Thomas Philip Heyes, Masaryk University, Department of Sociology

17.30 - 18.30 Coffee break & Poster session (see page 5 for list of posters)

19.00 - Dinner

Friday, 17 October 2025

09.30 - 11.00 Session 5. Health and Well-being

Chair: Allan Puur

1. Partnership types and subjective well-being in unstable times
Presenter: Leen Rahnü, University of Tallinn
2. Depression and Childbearing Plans: A Cross-National Study in Europe
Presenter: Katrin Schwanitz, University of Turku
3. Healthy Life Expectancy in Moldova: a study based on Generations and Gender Survey
Presenter: Vitalie Stirba, Center for Demographic Research, INCE, ASEM
4. A multiple linear regression analysis of the aspects and types of impairment as risk factors for depression in the Republic of Moldova and Uruguay
Presenter: Chelsea Bunke, University College London

11.00 - 11.30 Coffee break

11:30 - 13.00 Session 6. Parenthood: Choices, Trends, and Transitions

Chair: Ecaterina Grigoras

1. The French want fewer children
Presenter: Milan Bouchet-Valat, French Institute for Demographic Studies (INED)
2. Partnership dynamics and the transition to parenthood: a comparative cohort study in Moldova and Estonia
Presenter: Ecaterina Grigoras, Center for Demographic Research, NIER, AESM, Moldova
3. The emergence of hobby-parenthood
Presenter: Mark Gortfelder, Tallinn University
4. Late motherhood and childlessness: Demographic profiles of older mothers and childless women in France
Presenter: Sandra Florian, French National Institute for Demographic Studies (INED)

13.00 - 13:15 Best poster and master thesis awards and closing

13.15 - Lunch

List of posters

1. Who do minors live with? Cohabitation with minor children and their fathers' partnership context.
Isabella Buber-Ennser, Vienna Institute of Demography, Austrian Academy of Sciences
2. Uncovering the Gap: Understanding educational bias in large scale cross-national population surveys – the case of the Generations and Gender Survey
Julia Rokos, NIDI
3. Short-Term Fertility Intentions and Their Realization in Central Europe: A Comparative Analysis
Eva Waldaufová, Charles University in Prague, Department of Demography and Geodemography
4. The Gendered Division of Labour in Childcare: Exploring the Myth of Paternal Involvement
Wiktoria Bąchorek, SGH Warsaw School of Economics
5. Should I Stay or Should I Go? What Data Reveals About Migration Intentions in Moldova and Estonia
Tatiana Tabac, Center for Demographic Research, NIER, AESM, Moldova
6. Sex and Gender Measurement in the Generations and Gender Survey: Methodological Challenges and Considerations
Matilde Perotti, Bocconi University
7. The Effect of Anonymisation Procedures on Event History Regression Estimates
Marta Styrac, SGH Warsaw School of Economics
8. (No) Future for Children? The Influence of Global Uncertainties on Fertility Intentions.
Claudia Herbst, Paris-Lodron University of Salzburg
9. Housing and Economic Conditions as Predictors of Short-term and Overall Fertility Intentions
Darina Kmentová, Masaryk University
10. Lower desire for children and fertility gap over generations in France and in Europe
Alberto Taviani, Université de Strasbourg
11. How we met: the demography of online and offline partnerships
Brienna Perelli-Harris, University of Southampton
12. Fertility Transition from Traditional to Modern Reproductive Patterns: the case of Moldova
Gagauz Olga, National Institute for Economic Research of the Academy of Economic Studies of Moldova
13. Unmet Family Planning Needs in the Generations and Gender Survey Round 2.
Ilaria Francesca Lunardelli, NIDI
14. Intra-European Migration and Fertility: A Comparative Analysis of Post-Migration Reproductive Patterns
Nasim Ahamed Mondal, University of Warsaw
15. Recent data, new insights: Life satisfaction and emigration intentions in European GGS-II countries
Ivan Čipin, University of Zagreb, Faculty of Economics & Business
16. Flexible Working Arrangements and Division of Domestic Work across Europe
Olga Leshchenko, Vienna Institute of Demography
17. Love at First Swipe: Assortative Mating and Marriage Outcomes for Partnerships Found through Online Dating in Europe
Zerui Tian, University of Oxford
18. Using GGS para-data to improve questionnaire design: an example from the GGSII., wave 2 Czech pilot
Martin Kreidl, Masaryk University
19. Mode effects in questions on gender equality
Linh Nguyen, French Institute for Demographic Studies (INED)

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