

Genes, Social Mobility, and Inequalities across the Life-Course

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Conference Program

THURSDAY, 01 JULY 2021

10:45-11:00 **Kick-Off and Opening Remarks**

Prof. Andreas Peichl, LMU Munich

11.00-13.00 **Parallel Sessions A**

Break

13.15-14:00 **Panel Discussion**

Social Mobility and Equality of Opportunity: An International Comparison

Dr. Monika Queisser, Head of Social Policy Division OECD

Prof. Alain Trannoy, Aix-Marseille School of Economics

Chair: Prof. Andreas Peichl, LMU Munich

14.00-15.00 **Keynote Lecture**

Equality of What? Genetic Research and Egalitarian Policy Goals

Prof. Kathryn Paige Harden, University of Texas at Austin

Chair: Prof. Pietro Biroli, University of Zurich

Break

15.15-16:30 **Panel Discussion**

Equality of Opportunity: A conversation on the role of socioeconomic and genetic factors

Manuel Buitenhuis MSc, Ministry of Social Affairs, NL

Dr. Antonie Knigge, Utrecht University

Dr. Marc van der Steeg, Ministry of Education, Culture and Science, NL

Prof. Peter Schaber, University of Zurich

Kim Stienstra MSc, Utrecht University

Dr. Maria Zumbuehl, Netherlands Bureau for Economic Policy Analysis

Chair: Prof. Hans van Kippersluis, Erasmus University

Break

16.45-18:45 **Parallel Sessions B**

End of Day 1

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11.00-13.00 **Parallel Sessions C**

Networking Break

14.00-16:00 **Parallel Sessions D**

Break

16.15-17.15 **Keynote Lecture**

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Prof. Pia Pinger, University of Cologne

Chair: Prof. Andreas Peichl, LMU Munich

17.15-20.00 **Networking Space**

PARALLEL SESSIONS

Parallel Session A

A1	A2	A3
Social Mobility and the Labor Market	Fairness	Gender and Health
Chair: Philippe van Kerm	Chair: Marc Stöckli	Chair: Stephanie von Hinke
<p>Unequal learning and labour market losses in the crisis: consequences for social mobility</p> <p>Andrew Eyles, LSE</p> <p>Discussant: Paul Schüle, LMU Munich</p>	<p>The effects of circumstances on long-term income opportunities: Re-examining evidence from the baby-boomers generation in Sweden</p> <p>Hélène Le Forner, Aix-Marseille School of Economics</p> <p>Discussant: Marc Stöckli, ifo Munich</p>	<p>Different Questions, Different Gender Gap: Can the Format of Questions Explain the Gender Gap in Mathematics?</p> <p>Silvia Griselda, Bocconi</p> <p>Discussant: Teresa Bago D'Uva, Erasmus University</p>
<p>Switzer-Land of Opportunity: Intergenerational Income Mobility in the Land of Vocational Education</p> <p>Patrick Chuard-Keller, University of St. Gallen</p> <p>Discussant: Samuel Baker, University of Bristol</p>	<p>Meritocratic Inequality in Happiness: Evidence from Linked Survey and Administrative Data</p> <p>Isabel S. Olufsen, University of Copenhagen</p> <p>Discussant: Louis Chauvel, University of Luxembourg</p>	<p>Eating Habits: The Role of Early Life Experiences and Intergenerational Transmission</p> <p>Effrosyni Adamopoulou, University of Mannheim</p> <p>Discussant: Stephanie von Hinke, University of Bristol</p>
<p>Inter-generational Mobility and Job Polarization</p> <p>Fabien Petit, Aix-Marseille School of Economics</p> <p>Discussant: Philippe van Kerm, University of Luxembourg</p>	<p>Genes, Ability, and Equality of Opportunity in Education</p> <p>Rita D. Pereira, Erasmus University</p> <p>Discussant: Hélène Le Forner, Aix-Marseille School of Economics</p>	<p>Prenatal sugar consumption and late-life health: Analyses based on post-war-time rationing and polygenic scores</p> <p>Gerard van den Berg, University of Groningen</p> <p>Discussant: Andreas Peichl, LMU Munich</p>

Parallel Session B

B1 Measuring Social Mobility	B2 Education Reforms	B3 Nature and Nurture
Chair: Daniel Waldenström	Chair: Francesco Andreoli	Chair: Pietro Biroli
Intergenerational Mobility Along Multiple Dimensions Isabel Z. Martinez, KOF Discussant: Daniel Waldenström, IFN Stockholm	Does comprehensive compulsory schooling equalize opportunities? Evidence from the Swedish compulsory schooling reform Francesco Andreoli, University of Verona Discussant: Dilnoza Muslimova, Erasmus University	Nature and nurture: Evidence from molecular genetics data in Korean American adoptees Jonathan Beauchamp, George Mason University Discussant: Frank Windmeijer, Oxford University
Shirtsleeves to Shirtsleeves? Income Persistence, Family Firms, and Aristocratic Dynasties Lorenz Pessina, Columbia University Discussant: Alain Trannoy, Aix-Marseille School of Economics	Women's missing mobility and higher education: Evidence from Germany's university expansion Barbara Boelmann, University of Cologne Discussant: Daniel Weishaar, LMU Munich	On the family origins of human capital formation: Evidence from donor children. Erik Plug, University of Amsterdam Discussant: Pietro Biroli, University of Zurich
Trends in Absolute Income Mobility in North America and Europe Adrian Adermon, Uppsala University Discussant: Marc Stöckli, ifo Munich	Education and its Moderating Effect on the Influence of Family Background Martin Fischer, Karolinska Institutet Discussant: Francesco Andreoli, University of Verona	Understanding Sibling Correlations in Education: Molecular Genetics and Family Background Jason Fletcher, University of Wisconsin-Madison Discussant: Arnaud Lefranc, Université Cergy-Pontoise

Parallel Session C

C1 Family Decisions	C2 Gene-Environment I	C3 Mentoring and Information Provision
Chair: Alexandros Theloudis	Chair: Paul Hufe	Chair: Olle Hammar
Trading social status for genetics in marriage markets: evidence from UK Biobank	Genes, Maternal Education, and Inequalities in Human Capital: Evidence from a British Cohort	Can Mentoring Alleviate Family Disadvantage in Adolescence? A Field Experiment to Improve Labor-Market Prospects
David Hugh-Jones, University of East-Anglia	Gabriella Conti, UCL	Sven Resnjanskij, ifo Munich
Discussant: Alexandros Theloudis, LISER	Discussant: Hans van Kippersluis, Erasmus University	Discussant: Olle Hammar, Uppsala University
Basic Instinct? Female Fertility and Genes	Dynamic complementarity in skill production: Evidence from genetic endowments and birth order	The origins of gender differences in competitiveness: Causal evidence from a mentoring intervention
Elisabetta De Cao, LSE	Stephanie von Hinke, University of Bristol	Thomas Buser, University of Amsterdam
Discussant: Andries Marees, VU Amsterdam	Discussant: Paul Hufe, LMU Munich	Discussant: Nicolai Vitt, University of Bristol
Behavioral Barriers and the Socioeconomic Gap in Child Care Enrollment	Gene-environment interactions for childhood educational achievement: do within-family polygenic score effects vary across schools and neighbourhoods?	Should you Meet The Parents? The value of parental and children experience for school choice
Philipp Lergetporer, ifo Munich	Rosa Cheesman, University of Oslo	Lorenzo Neri, University of St. Andrews
Discussant: Luisa Wallosek, LMU Munich	Discussant: Eric Slob, Cambridge University	Discussant: Benjamin Arold, ifo Munich

Parallel Session D

D1 Preferences and Values	D2 Gene-Environment II	D3 Lifecycle Effects
Chair: Paul Hufe	Chair: Fleur Meddens	Chair: Niels Rietveld
Prosociality and competition: Evidence from a long-run field experiment Fabian Kosse, LMU Munich	Genes and Academic Achievement in Primary School Victor Ronda, Aarhus University	Complementarities in High School and College Investments Gregory F. Veramendi, LMU Munich
Discussant: Diarmaid O'Ceallaigh, Erasmus University	Discussant: Fleur Meddens, Erasmus University	Discussant: Emil Sørensen, University of Bristol
Unpacking Intergenerational (Im-)Mobility: Child vs. Parent Career Preferences Maximilian Müller, UC Berkeley	Genetic Endowments, Educational Outcomes and the Mediating Influence of School Investments Benjamin Arold, ifo Munich	Adult life-course trajectories in earnings and health and the role of early environments Stephanie De Mel, IFS
Discussant: Paul Hufe, LMU Munich	Discussant: Ruijun Hou, University of Bristol	Discussant: Elisa de Weerd, Erasmus University
Individualism, Human Capital Formation, and Labor-Market Outcomes Katharina Hartinger, KU Ingolstadt-Eichstätt	Genetic and Environmental Influences on Schooling and Lifetime Earnings: Evidence from the U.S. High School Movement Lauren Schmitz, University of Wisconsin-Madison	Genetic Endowments, Income Dynamics, and Wealth Accumulation Over the Lifecycle Kevin Thom, University of Wisconsin - Milwaukee
Discussant: Olle Hammar, Uppsala University	Discussant: Sjoerd van Alten, Erasmus University	Discussant: Niels Rietveld, Erasmus University