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Espace Louis-Agassiz 1

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Faubourg de l'Hôpital 27

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**International Exploratory Workshop
IMISCOE Standing Committee «Ageing Migrants»**

Ageing migrants
**Developing Methodological Tools
for Comparative Research**

Institute of Sociology
10-12 March 2016

Thursday, 10 March 2016

8:30 Arrival and registration

9:00 – 9:15

Welcome and Introduction

Mihaela Nedelcu, Institute of Sociology, University of Neuchâtel & Eva Soom-Ammann, Health Division, Bern University of Applied Sciences

9:15 – 10:45 Session 1

The ageing-migration nexus

Eralba Cela, Department of Economics and Social Sciences, Università Politecnica delle Marche, Ancona/Italy

Types of family solidarity in migrant families in Europe

Tineke Fokkema, Netherlands Interdisciplinary Demographic Institute (NIDI-KNAW), The Hague; Erasmus University Rotterdam/the Netherlands

Helen Baykara-Krumme, Sociology, Chemnitz University of Technology, Chemnitz/Germany

Life-course transitions in later life?

Nadja Milewski, Demography, University of Rostock, Rostock/Germany

10:45 – 11:00 Coffee break

11:00 – 12:30 Session 2

Which place for ageing migrants in local institutions? A comparison of three cantons in Switzerland

Oana Ciobanu, CIGEV, University of Geneva, Geneva/Switzerland

Unexpected Neighbours: A typology of African and Latin-American Ageing Migrants in Switzerland

Claudio Bolzman, Théogène Gakuba & Siboney Minko, NCCR LIVES, University of Applied Sciences of Western Switzerland, Geneva/Switzerland

Transnational belonging as a protective mechanism against loneliness among older migrants

Jolien Klok, Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam (VU Amsterdam), Amsterdam/ the Netherlands

12:30 – 14:00 Lunch

14:00 – 15:30 Session 3

Working to the end: Contrasting visions of old age, pensions and utility among Peruvians in Peru and Spain

Laura Romeu Gordo, German Centre of Gerontology, Berlin/Germany

Health and well-being among Indian migrants to the UK

Christina Victor, Gerontology and Public Health, Brunel University, London/United Kingdom

Migrant specific elder care: 'Doing Italianness' in Swiss long-term nursing homes

Eva Soom Ammann, Health Division, Bern University of Applied Sciences, Bern/Switzerland

15:30– 15:45 Coffee break

15:45 – 17:15 Session 4

Aging across borders: older Peruvian migrants' transnational involvement

Vincent Horn, Education, University of Mainz, Mainz/Germany

Grandparents to the test of migration: transnational care and grandparenting

Mihaela Nedelcu and Malika Wyss, Institute of Sociology, University of Neuchâtel, Neuchâtel/Switzerland

Transnational strategies in long-term care

Karin Van Holten; Careum Research, Kalaidos University of Applied Sciences, Zürich/Switzerland

17:15 – 17:45 Closing discussion

18:00 – 19:00 Standing Committee Closed Preparatory Meeting

Friday, 11 March 2016

8:30 – 10:00 Session 1

Workshop "Students meet experts"

10:00 – 10:15 Coffee break

10:15 – 11:15 Session 2

Workshop "Students meet experts"

11:30 – 12:30 Keynote

Social networks methodologies

Prof. Eric Widmer, Department of Sociology, University of Geneva

12:30 – 14:00 Lunch

14:00 – 18:00

Standing Committee closed meeting

Saturday, 12 March 2016

9:00 – 18:00

Standing Committee closed meeting

The IMISCOE Standing Committee "Ageing Migrants" organizes its second SNF-funded international exploratory workshop, bringing together an interdisciplinary group of leading scholars in the field. Day 1 is open to an academic public interested in research on ageing and/or migration. This public may consist of Master and PhD students who may profit from insights in research methodology and design, but also of researchers interested in exchange with the invited workshop participants

The first half of Day 2 will be dedicated to Master and PhD students working on ageing and/o migration and will offer them an opportunity to briefly present their work and to profit from the invited workshop participants' expertise.

N.B. All the students interested in participating to this session are invited to express their interest no later than **25th of February 2016** (email: mihaela.nedelcu@unine.ch)

The workshop will take place at the Institute of Sociology, University of Neuchâtel, Faubourg de l'Hôpital 27, 2000 Neuchâtel.

Contact and registration

Participation to the opening sessions (Day 1) is free of charge, but **we kindly request you to register** by email until 5th March 2016.

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