# LONE PARENTHOOD IN A LIFE COURSE PERSPECTIVE

6th – 7th June 2014 – University of Lausanne (Géopolis, Room 2144)

**Friday, 6th June 2014**

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| 11:00 – 12:00 | **DETERMINANTS of LP**  
Nadja Milewski (University of Rostock): *Lone motherhood among immigrants in Germany: Characteristics, entry, and exit*  
Judit Monostori (Hungarian Demographic Research Institute): *The social determinants of becoming a lone parent*  
Chair: Cornelia Hummel General Discussion |
| 12:00 – 13:00 | **CARE ARRANGEMENTS AND SUPPORT NETWORKS**  
Michelle Brady (University of Queensland): *Understanding the dynamics of childcare and employment for lone mothers: insights from a longitudinal qualitative study*  
Sylvia Keim (University of Rostock): *Lone parents’ social networks and the role of social support*  
Chair: Ornella Larenza |
General Discussion

13:00 – 14:30 Lunch break (standing lunch)
14:30 – 15:30 POSTER SESSION (see list of posters below)
15:30 – 17:00 WELLBEING / HEALTH

Monika Mynarska (Cardinal Stefan Wyszyński University in Warsaw): *Does Lone Motherhood Decrease Women’s Happiness? Evidence from Qualitative and Quantitative Research*

Diana Dinescu (University of Virginia): *Associations between lone parenthood and depression: A genetically informed study*

Mine Hancioglu (Ruhr University Bochum): *Single Motherhood as a Health Risk Factor. A Longitudinal Analysis of Health among Single Mothers in Germany*

Chair: Dimitri Mortelmans

General Discussion

19:00 DINNER IN TOWN:

Restaurant "Le Raisin" - Place de la Palud 19, 1003 Lausanne

Saturday, 7th June 2014

08:30 – 09:30 KEYNOTE SPEECH: Anne-Laure Garcia (University of Potsdam – Marc Bloch Centre)

Discussant: Ekaterina Hertog (University of Oxford)

Chair: Cornelia Hummel

General Discussion
09:30 – 11.00  **SOCIO-ECONOMIC CONSEQUENCES OF LP 1**
Susan Harkness (University of Bath): *Routes into lone motherhood and its socio-economic consequences*
Dimitri Mortelmans (University of Antwerp): *Labor and income trajectories of lone parents after divorce. A view with Belgian register data*
Torsten Lietzmann (Institute for Employment Research – Germany): *Reconciliation of work and family life among welfare recipients in Germany. Determinants of lone mothers’ ability to leave the benefit system via employment*
Chair: Emma Salter
General Discussion

11:00 – 11:30 Poster Prize and Coffee break
Chair: Marie-Thérèse Letablier-Zelter

11:30 – 13.00  **SOCIO-ECONOMIC CONSEQUENCES OF LP 2**
Carmel Hannan (University of Limerick): *The Influence of Family Structure on Wellbeing: Evidence from Ireland*
Sabine Hübgen (WZB - Berlin Social Science Center): *Woman + child(ren) - partner = poor? Lone mothers’ poverty risk in European comparison*
Emma Salter (University of Sussex): *The social outcomes of the children of lone parents in the UK: refuting the stereotype?*
Chair: Anne-Laure Garcia
General Discussion

13:00 – 14:00 Conclusions and Farewell
Lunch together

14:00 – 17:00 "Lavaux" tour (back at IBIS Hotel - 20, Rue du Maupas - by 17:00)
LIST OF POSTERS

Eevi Lappalainen (University of Turku): *Single parenthood and economic inequality in life course perspective*

Emanuela Struffolino (Université de Lausanne): *Reconstructing lone parents’ employment trajectories: how to treat missing values*

Fabienne Portier-Le Cocq (Université Paris 13 - Sorbonne Paris Cité): *Being a single young parent in Great Britain by choice? Life stories from qualitative studies*

Mariona Visa Barbosa (University of Lleida): *Explaining and sharing chosen lone parenthood in social networks. A case study of five Spanish blogs*

**Invited guests:**

Anna Hausherr  (Suisse Federation of Lone Parent Families - FSFM)
Carmen Religieux (Suisse Federation of Lone Parent Families - FSFM)
Sophie Magnin (Association of Lone Parents and Recomposed Families - AFMR)

**Organizers:**

Laura Bernardi and Ornella Larenza (University of Lausanne)
Pasqualina Perrig-Chiello (University of Bern)
Cornelia Hummel (University of Geneva)