LIVES Doctoral Program,

*Integration, Life course and Intergenerational processes*

Amphimax, Lausanne, Switzerland, May 19-20, 2014
General information

Dates: May, 19-20, 2014

Location: Amphimax, Salle 414
Univ. de Lausanne
CH-1015 Lausanne

Costs: Participation, lodging and meals are free of charge for speakers and registered participants.

Participants will be reimbursed for transportation costs at the rate of the ½ CFF/SBB fare in 2nd class.

The aim of this module is to explore integration in relation with life course perspective and intergenerational processes. Integration concern first generation migrants and their descendants but also non-immigrant populations and it is important to clarify the uses of this concept in different contexts by different disciplines. It is also necessary to discuss through concrete examples which are the methodological possible bias and their implications for the perception of integration processes.

The main questions that will be addressed are the following: what is the meaning of integration from a life course perspective? Which are the main dimensions of integration and how can they be measured? Which processes are related to the integration of migrants and their descendants in a specific society? Which are the relations between integration and transnationalism?

The module will also take into account theoretical and methodological questions brought by the doctoral students.

Schedule, May 19, 2014

9h-10h00 Introduction by the organizers and presentation of their projects and their research questions by the doctoral students

10h00-10h30 Coffee break

10h30-12h00 Presentation by Pau Balzan: Labor market integration of Senegalese migrants in Europe

12h00-13h00 Discussion with Pau Balzan

13h00-14h15 Lunch

14h15-15h45 Presentation by Rafael Alarcon: The integration of Mexican Immigrants in the USA: a transgenerational perspective.

15h45-16h15 Coffee Break
16h15-17h30 Discussion with Rafael Alarcon

17h30 End of the Seminar

Schedule, May 20, 2014

9h-10h30 Presentation by Ewa Kasprzycki: Mesurer l'intégration de la population issue de la migration en Suisse. La contribution de l'OFS

10h30-11h Coffee break

11h-12h30 Discussion with Ewa Kasprzycki

12h30-14h Lunch

14h-15h30 Presentation by Rafael Alarcon: Integration and transnationalism of Mexican immigrants in Los Angeles, California

15h30-16h Coffee Break

16h-17h Discussion with Rafael Alarcon and Conclusion of the Seminar

17h End of the Seminar

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