

Presentations

Academic audiences

2024

Social integration of older men and women across European welfare States: Establishing a new comparative index, with Ella Cohn Schwarz, Michal Levinsky, Melanie Wagner and Alina Schmitz, in the session "Contextual influences on the maintenance of social integration in late life", Gerontological Society of America Annual Scientific Meeting, Seattle, USA

Neue Herausforderungen der alternden Gesellschaft, Keynote at the scientific conference "Altersforschung in herausfordernden Zeiten: Impulse für Gesellschaft und Politik", Deutsches Zentrum für Altersfragen, Berlin, DE

Pflege in Europa - Ungleichheiten im Kontext, in the interdisciplinary symposium "Grenzen überwinden. Gesundheitliche, pflegerische und soziale Versorgung älterer Menschen", Jahreskongress der Deutschen Gesellschaft für Gerontologie und Geriatrie, Kassel, DE

Engagementpotenziale älterer Frauen und Männer: Gibt es eine „stille Reserve“?, with Alina Schmitz and Frank Micheel, in the symposium "Ehrenamtliches Engagement im Alter: Inklusions- und Exklusionsdynamiken", Jahreskongress der Deutschen Gesellschaft für Gerontologie und Geriatrie, Kassel, DE

Care and wellbeing: inequalities in context, in the mini-symposium "Inequalities in caregiving and well-being from a policy context and life-course perspective", Sociology department, Radboud University Nijmegen, NL

Intergenerational coresidence and informal care to older parents across Europe – Putting together pieces of a puzzle, with Melanie Wagner and Robert Heidemann, Spotlight session "New directions in intergenerational research on support and care in ageing families", Ageing in a transforming world, 27th Nordic Congress of Gerontology, Stockholm, SE

Digitalization as risk or chance for employee's working conditions and well-being, with Carolin Kunz, Birgit Zeyer-Gliozzo and Jakob Schwerter, Keynote at the International Conference on Work and Health, FHNW School of Social Work, Olten, CH

2023

Support of older people in times of COVID-19: Old or new inequalities?, with Monika Reichert, Ageing & Social Change, Marche Polytechnic University, Ancona, IT

Social inequalities in care, health and wellbeing in different contexts, Keynote at Minerva School "Social networks and health inequalities in ageing societies", TU Dortmund University, DE

Die alternde Gesellschaft – Auswirkungen auf die Teilhabechancen in Deutschland in the symposium "Chronische Erkrankungen", Bielefelder Teilhabekongress, Bielefeld, DE

Socio-economic inequality in caregiving and wellbeing in a cross-national perspective in the symposium "Socio-economic inequality in long term care and wellbeing: findings from the IN-CARE project", Transforming Care Conference, Sheffield, UK

2022

Care and wellbeing – Inequalities in context, Soziologische Vorträge, University of Vienna, AT (online)

Pflege und Wohlbefinden in Europa: Ungleichheiten im Wandel, Research Colloquium, University of Bamberg, DE (online)

Pflege und Wohlbefinden im Kontext, DIFIS-Workshop, University of Duisburg-Essen, DE (online)

Subjective well-being and the role of public pensions supporting low-income households in Europe, with Claudius Garten, “Ageing in Europe: Towards more Inclusive Societies, Research and Policy”, European Sociological Association Midterm Conference, Vienna, AT

2021

Intergenerational support in Germany at beginning of the COVID-19 pandemic, with Robert Heidemann and Alina Schmitz, Workshop “Introducing a linking ages perspective to better understand intersectionality and pandemic precarity in childhood and ageing research”, Goethe University Frankfurt, DE (online)

Pflege und Wohlbefinden in Europa: Ungleichheiten im Wandel, Digital Talk, FHNW School of Social Work, CH (online)

The new sandwich generation? Gendered support for parents and grandchildren across different care regimes, with Katharina Herlofson, in the symposium “Formal and Informal Childcare Arrangements and Eldercare Arrangements: Dynamics of Insourcing and Outsourcing” (organized with Natascha Nisic and team), European Society for Family Relations Conference, Oxford Brookes University, UK (online)

Unterstützung und Wohlbefinden in Zeiten von COVID-19, with Miriam Grates and Judith Kaschowitz, “Alter(n) in Zeiten von Katastrophen und Krisen”, Herbsttagung der Deutschen Gesellschaft für Soziologie, Sektion Alter(n) und Gesellschaft, Munich, DE

Partner care arrangements and older European’s well-being: Variations by gender and welfare context, with Ginevra Floridi, Nekehia Quashie and Karen Glaser, European Sociological Association Conference, Barcelona, ES (online)

Data science meets sociology. Analytical challenges from research on ageing, Colloquium of the Dortmund Data Science Center, TU Dortmund University, DE (online)

Ungleichheit, Pflege und Wohlbefinden im Kontext, Digital kick-off event of the research network „Sorgetransformationen“, Hamburg, DE (online)

Soziale Ungleichheit, Pflege und Wohlbefinden im Alter: Ein Blick in aktuelle Projekte, Psychological Colloquium (Department 12) & Social Science Colloquium (Department 17), TU Dortmund University, DE (online)

2020

Material conditions and well-being in old age: the role of contextual factors at regional level, with Michal Myck, Claudius Garten, Monika Oczkowska and Alina Schmitz, Session: „Social Exclusion and Material Disadvantage: Housing, Poverty, and Living Standards Impacts“, Gerontological Society of America Annual Scientific Meeting, USA (online)

Socioeconomic inequalities in informal care provision and its consequences for well-being across Europe, with Nekehia Quashie, Judith Kaschowitz and Christian Deindl, Session: „The IN-CARE Project: Socioeconomic Inequalities in Care Use and Provision Across Countries and Over Time“, Gerontological Society of America Annual Scientific Meeting , USA (online)

Ungleichheiten im Wohlbefinden in Europas älterer Bevölkerung. Materielle Ressourcen und soziale Sicherungsmechanismen, with Alina Schmitz and Claudius Garten, Session: „Aktuelle soziologische Beiträge an der Schnittstelle von Gesundheits- und Sozialpolitikforschung“, Kongress der Deutschen Gesellschaft für Soziologie, DE (online)

Pilot Studie: Gesundheit und Unterstützung in Zeiten von Corona, with Miriam Grates, „Mitgliederversammlung der Sektion III“, Kongress der Deutschen Gesellschaft für Gerontologie und Geriatrie, DE (online)

Gesundheit, soziale Netzwerke und Unterstützung Älterer in Europa, Sociological Colloquium, University Duisburg-Essen, DE

2018

Combining help to parents and grandchildren in Northern and Southern Europe, with Katharina Herlofson in the symposium “Intergenerational transfers and solidarity in Northern and Southern Europe”, Congress of the European Society on Family Relations, University of Porto, PT

Soziale Unterstützung Älterer in Europa, Social Science Research Colloquium, TU Kaiserslautern, DE

Long-term care provision and the well-being of spousal caregivers: an analysis of 138 European regions, with Melanie Wagner in the symposium “Informal care and wellbeing in changing societies” and Caring for parents and grandchildren in Europe with Katharina Herlofson and Chair in the symposium “Grandparenthood in Europe and beyond”, Nordic Congress for Gerontology, Oslo, NO

Inequality and intergenerational support in Europe in the symposium “Intergenerational Family Solidarity, Well-Being & Health”, Intergenerational Family Solidarity across Europe Final Conference, University of Luxembourg, LU

Gesundheit und soziale Unterstützung Älterer in Europa, Keynote at Dreiländerkongress „Soziologische Analysen von Arbeit, Alter und Gesundheit“, University of Graz, AT

Gesundheit in alternden Gesellschaften, Migration und Pflege, with Judith Kaschowitz, Workshop „Alter(n): Sprache – Mehrsprachigkeit – Kognition“, Ruhr-University Bochum, DE

2017

Explaining self-rated health: Do age-groups and people from European countries differ in how they rate their health?, with Patrick Lazarevic, Interdisciplinary Conference, Aging and Society Research Network, Berkeley, USA

Heterogenität des Alter(n)s – Soziale Unterstützung und Ungleichheit in Europa, Keynote at Gemeinsame Jahrestagung der Sektion III: Sozial- und verhaltenswissenschaftliche Gerontologie und der Sektion IV: Soziale Gerontologie und Altenarbeit der Deutschen Gesellschaft für Gerontologie und Geriatrie „Heterogenität des Alter(n)s“, Fulda, DE

Deprivation and support between three generations, with Christian Deindl, and Diverging ideas of health? Explanatory factors for self-rated health across gender & age-groups in Europe, with Patrick Lazarevic, Conference of the European Sociological Association: (Un)making Europe: Capitalism, Solidarities, Subjectivities, Athens, GR

Causal links between social networks and health, with Christian Deindl in the symposium “Network changes and health: What drives what?”, World Congress the International Association of Gerontology and Geriatrics, San Francisco, USA

Social inequalities and intergenerational transfers, Munich Center for the Economics of Aging Alumni Meeting Ringberg Castle, DE

Verlust des Partners, intergenerationale Unterstützung und Gesundheit im höheren Alter, with Christian Deindl, Gemeinsame Frühjahrstagung der Deutschen Gesellschaft für Soziologie, Sektionen Familiensoziologie und Medizin- und Gesundheitssoziologie, Halle, DE

2016

The role of early and midlife living conditions for later life health in Europe, with Christian Deindl in the symposium "Childhood Experiences and Healthy Aging: Evidence from ELSA, SHARE, and HRS", widowhood, intergenerational relations and long-term consequences for later life health, with Christian Deindl in the symposium "Multidimensionality of Identity Shift in the Elderly during Life Transitions", Gerontological Society of America Annual Scientific Meeting, New Orleans, USA

Social inequality and support between generations, Keynote, SHARE workshop, Munich Center for the Economics of Aging, Max Planck Institute for Social Law and Social Policy, Munich, DE

Support for older people in turbulent times – Ageing and family solidarity in Europe, invited seminar by the Norwegian Gerontological Association, Oslo, NOR

Social exclusion between generations across 116 European regions, invited talk with Christian Deindl, Norwegian Social Research, Oslo, NOR

How do regional disparities shape the burden of spousal caregivers in Europe?, with Melanie Wagner, Migration, social networks and social support across the life course, with Jennifer Fietz and Judith Kaschowitz, and Social exclusion and support between generations, with Christian Deindl, European Society on Family Relations Conference, Dortmund, DE

How do regional disparities shape the burden of spousal caregivers in Europe?, with Melanie Wagner, RC28 Meeting, Bern, CH

Socio-economic conditions in childhood and physical and mental health in later life: A multilevel mediation analysis, with Christian Deindl, and Support for older people in turbulent times – Ageing and family solidarity in Europe, International Society for the Study of Behavioural Development, Vilnius, LI

Altern in Europa: Soziale Unterstützung älterer Menschen im Ländervergleich, invited talk at Deutsches Zentrum für Altersfragen, Berlin, DE

2015

Intergenerational transfers and social deprivation, with Christian Deindl, Gerontological Society of America Annual Scientific Meeting, Orlando, USA

Do regional contexts shape the burden of caregivers aged 50+ across Europe?, Country context matters: Informal care and health in Europe, Intergenerational transfers in turbulent times, presentations and poster with Melanie Wagner, Judith Kaschowitz and Christian Deindl, SHARE User Conference, Luxembourg, LU

Social exclusion and intergenerational transfers, with Christian Deindl, European Sociological Association Meeting, Prague, CZ

Formal and informal support in an ageing Europe, invited talk, MaxNetAging Research School, Max Planck Institute for Demographic Research, Rostock, DE

Intergenerational solidarity and social exclusion, with Christian Deindl in the symposium "Social Inclusion of Older Europeans: Latest Findings from the Survey of Health, Ageing and Retirement in Europe (SHARE)", International Association of Gerontology and Geriatrics European Region Congress, Dublin, IR

2014

Altern in Europa – Unterstützung im Kontext, Sociological Research Colloquium, TU Dortmund University, DE

SHARE: an overview, gesis Nutzerschulung SHARE: Meet the Data, Cologne, DE

2013

Intergenerational transfers and social policies, Seminar Consumption and Savings, University of Hohenheim, DE

Intergenerational transfers & support to childless older people: Do social policies matter, with Christian Deindl, MacArthur Foundation Network on an aging society, Workshop "Intergenerational Exchange in Aging Societies", Munich, DE

Intergenerational transfers and support to childless older people in Europe – do social policies matter? with Christian Deindl, Workshop "The Extended Family and the Welfare State", Barcelona, ES

SHARE – Potentials for demographic research, Support networks of childless older people, The role of early- and midlife conditions for healthy aging in Europe, with Christian Deindl, International Union for the Scientific Study of Population Conference, Busan, KO

Support networks of childless older people – Formal and informal support, with Christian Deindl, Sunbelt Conference, Hamburg, DE

Sozialer Zusammenhalt, soziale Netzwerke und Gesundheit im Alter, with Karsten Hank and Christian Deindl, Frühjahrstagung der Deutschen Gesellschaft für Soziologie, Sektion Alter(n) und Gesellschaft, Cologne, DE

2012

Ageing and the life course, Ad Hoc Gruppe "Altern und Lebenslauf", with Christian Deindl, Kongress der Deutschen Gesellschaft für Soziologie "Vielfalt und Zusammenhalt", Bochum, DE

Intergenerational transfers and social policies, with Christian Deindl, Scars that will not disappear – Unemployment across the life course in Europe, with Karsten Hank, American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Denver, USA

Support networks of childless older people in Europe, with Christian Deindl, Oberseminar Institute for Sociology, University of Cologne, DE

Scars that will not disappear – Unemployment across the life course in Europe, with Karsten Hank, RC28 Spring Meeting, Hong Kong, HK

Social networks and health, with Christian Deindl and Karsten Hank, SHARE wave 5th meeting, Brixen, IT

2011

Tracing the origins of successful aging: the role of childhood conditions and societal context, with Christian Deindl and Karsten Hank, Gerontological Society of America Annual Meeting, Boston, US

2010

Tracing the origins of successful aging: the role of childhood conditions and societal context, with Christian Deindl and Karsten Hank, SHARE user conference, Tallinn, EE

Intergenerational transfers to older parents and social policy in Europe, with Christian Deindl, American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Las Vegas, US

Socio-economic conditions in childhood, social status and mental and physical health in later life. Evidence from SHARE and SHARELIFE, with Christian Deindl, International Conference of Panel Data Users in Switzerland, Lausanne, CH

SHARELIFE – Life histories in Europe, Pavia Misc Kolloquium "Life Course and Inequality", Lausanne, CH

Social inequality and wellbeing in old age. Results from the Survey of Health, Ageing and Retirement in Europe (SHARE), with Christian Deindl, Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, Washington DC, USA

Neue Perspektiven der empirischen Altersforschung: Lebensgeschichten, Biomarker und Prozessdaten – Erfahrungen aus Sicht des Survey of Health, Ageing and Retirement in Europe (SHARE), with Julie Korbmacher, Kongress der Deutschen Gesellschaft für Soziologie, Frankfurt, DE

SHARE – A longitudinal data infrastructure for cross-national comparative research on ageing, Joint ECSR / QMSS2 / Trans Europe conference „Analysing education, family, work and welfare in modern societies – methodological approaches and empirical evidence“, Bamberg, DE

Unterstützungnetzwerke Kinderloser im Alter, with Christian Deindl, Gemeinsamer Kongress der Deutschen Gesellschaft für Gerontologie und Geriatrie and Schweizerischen Gesellschaft für Gerontologie, Berlin, DE

Early and later life experiences of unemployment under different welfare regimes. Evidence from SHARELIFE, with Karsten Hank, XVII International Sociological Association World Congress of Sociology, Gothenburg, SE

Support between parents and children and the welfare state, with Christian Deindl, XVII International Sociological Association World Congress of Sociology, Gothenburg, SE

Inequality in old age and wellbeing in Europe: The individual and the welfare state, with Christian Deindl, RC28 Spring Meeting Social Consequences of Economic Uncertainty – Local and Global Perspectives, Haifa, IL

Early and later life experiences of unemployment under different welfare regimes. Evidence from SHARELIFE, with Karsten Hank, SHARE Consortium Meeting in Paris, FR

The family and the state – Intergenerational transfers in Europe, with Christian Deindl, International Commission on Couple and Family Relations Annual International Conference: Empowering Families as Sustainable Partners in Social Policy, Malta

2009

Financial support and practical help between parents and their adult children in Europe, with Christian Deindl, Session „Intergenerational Relations“, SHARE user conference, Mainz, DE

Transfers between generations in Western and Eastern Europe, with Christian Deindl, Session „Intergenerational Relationships: Transfers“, RN01 Ageing in Europe, European Sociological Association Conference, Lisbon, PT

Intergenerational support and the welfare state in Western and Eastern Europe, with Christian Deindl, 5ème Conférence Internationale des Utilisateurs de Données Panel en Suisse, Lausanne, CH

Social Networks with SHARE – What has been done, Workshop on Family and Social Network Content in SHARE WAVE 4, Jerusalem, IL

Intergenerational support and the welfare state in Western and Eastern Europe, with Christian Deindl, EAPs / MAP 2030 workshop on the Future of Family Support for Older People, London, UK

Staat, Markt und Hilfe zwischen Generationen in Europa – Ein Fall von Spezialisierung?, Mannheim
Research Institute for the Economics of Aging, University of Mannheim, DE

2008

Risikobewältigung im Alter: Wohlfahrtsmix zwischen Familie und Staat, with Klaus Haberkern and Marc Szydlik, Kongress der Deutschen Gesellschaft für Soziologie, Sektion Sozialpolitik, Session „Neue Risiken – Alte Sicherheiten“, Jena, DE

Alternde Gesellschaft – Unsichere Zeiten? Die gesellschaftliche Organisation der Unterstützung älterer Menschen, with Klaus Haberkern, Kongress der Deutschen Gesellschaft für Soziologie, Sektionen Altern und Gesellschaft, Medizin und Gesundheitssoziologie and Soziale Indikatoren: Gesundheit und Lebensqualität im Lebenslauf – Stabilität und Wandel in sicheren und unsicheren Zeiten, Jena, DE

Family interactions in cultural settings: A comparison between 11 European countries, with Christian Deindl, Klaus Haberkern and Marc Szydlik, Congress of the European Society on Family Relations, Session „Solidarity between Generations: Exchanges, Gift, Ambivalence“, Jyväskylä, FI

Intergenerational help in Europe. The role of the family and the state, with Corinne Igel and Klaus Haberkern, Conference of the Committee on Family Research (RC06) of the International Sociological Association: Families and Households in Global Perspective, Boston, USA

Familiale Generationenbeziehungen in der zweiten Lebenshälfte: Verhältnis zwischen erwachsenen Kindern und Eltern im intereuropäischen Vergleich, Workshop with Corinne Igel, Bettina Isengard, Christian Deindl and Klaus Haberkern, Trinationale Forschungs-Studienwoche Gerontologie Generationenwandel des Alterns – Generationenbeziehungen im Alter, INAG Institut Kurt Boesch, Sion / Sitten, CH

2007

Intergenerational help and care in Europe, with Klaus Haberkern, ESPAnet / RECWOWE Second Joint Doctoral Workshop on Development of Work & Welfare Reform in European Societies, Hamburg, DE

Reziprozität zwischen erwachsenen Generationen, with Christian Deindl and Klaus Haberkern, Session „Generationenbeziehungen“, Sektion Familiensoziologie, Beziehungs- und Familienentwicklung, Heidelberg, DE

Transfers of money and time between adult generations in Europe – A matter of reciprocity?, with Christian Deindl, Klaus Haberkern and Marc Szydlik, Session „Interculturality, Cross-cultural Comparisons and Ageing“, Research Network on Ageing in Europe, European Sociological Association Conference, Glasgow, UK

Intergenerational support in Europe: Who helps and who cares?, with Klaus Haberkern, Session „Intergenerational Transfers“, Interim Meeting of the European Sociological Association Research Network: Families and Intimate Lives, Lausanne, CH

2006

Hilfe und Pflege zwischen Generationen in Europa, with Klaus Haberkern, Ad-Hoc-Gruppe 44 Generationen im internationalen Vergleich, Kongress der Deutschen Gesellschaft für Soziologie, Kassel, DE

Media and general public

„Alt und Jung: Zusammenleben im Wandel“, talk with Aladin El-Mafaalani at the „Dortmunder Demografieforum 2024: Die Zukunft der Vielen“, Stadt Dortmund, DE

„Neue Herausforderungen für alternde Gesellschaften“, Keynote at the award ceremony „Zukunftssichere Lösungen für die Generation der Babyboomer“ – Deutscher Pflegeinnovationspreis der Sparkassen-Finanzgruppe 2024, München, DE

„Teilhabe sichern, Demokratie stärken: Möglichkeitsräume für Begegnung, Unterstützung & Engagement“, Konferenz Gut älter werden in Gelsenkirchen, Generationennetz Gelsenkirchen e.V., Gelsenkirchen, DE

„Teilhabe im Alter: Vielfalt und Ungleichheit“, Podium Altenhilfe „Mittendrin statt nur dabei: Möglichkeitsräume für die Teilhabe älterer Menschen schaffen“, Deutscher Verein für öffentliche und private Fürsorge e.V., Hannover, DE

„Deutschland, deine Zukunft“, Süddeutsche Zeitung (SZ), Interview mit David Wünschel

„Zu jung! Zu alt! Was Generationen trennt“, Podcast-Episode, hr-INFO

„Gesundheit & Pflege“, Panel discussion, Stiftung für die Rechte zukünftiger Generationen

„Generationen im Gespräch: Herausforderungen für den Generationendialog der Zukunft“, Podiumsdiskussion, Generationen im Gespräch: Qualifiziert – engagiert – vernetzt.

„Älter als Andere: So wird das Revier zur Modellregion“, Westdeutsche Allgemeine Zeitung (WAZ), Interview with Ute Schwarzwald

„Menschen werden jetzt nicht per se älter, sondern mehr werden älter“, Von der Wissenschaft des Alterns – Fragen an Forschung und Lehre eines neuen Fachs, CATO Sozietät für Kommunikationsberatung, Interview with Klaus Kocks

Frauen in die Forschung – Wissenschaftlerinnen vernetzen, TU Dortmund, DE

Interview: Die Alters-WG taugt nicht für alle – die NRZ Serie zum Thema Wohnen und Alter, Neue Ruhr Zeitung, Article by Stephan Hermsen

Gespräch: Alternsforschung in Deutschland aus Sicht zentraler Disziplinen – Zukünftige Anforderungen, 10 Jahre NAR, Heidelberg, DE

Wie können wir am Arbeitsplatz und im Alter gesund bleiben? Perspektiven aus Theorie und Praxis, Podiumsdiskussion, Dreiländerkongress 2018 „Soziologische Analysen von Arbeit, Alter und Gesundheit“, University of Graz, AT

Alt sind immer nur die anderen? Wann ist man jung, wann alt, Westdeutsche Allgemeine Zeitung (WAZ), Article by Maren Schürmann

Gegen Einsamkeit im Alter kann man etwas tun, Westdeutscher Rundfunk WDR 5 Leonardo, Interview with Lena Mörsch

Unterstützung Älterer in Europa – Das Zusammenspiel von Familie und Staat, FNA-Jahrestagung in Berlin, DE

Altern in Europa, Interview „displayed“ (via phone), Moving Exhibition „Zukunft leben: Die demografische Chance“ of the Leibniz-Gemeinschaft“ under the auspices of the German Wissenschaftsjahr

Transfers zwischen Generationen, Enquete: Dialog der Generationen, Austrian Red Cross, Vienna, AT

Gibt es einen Königsweg zur Promotion?, Introductory note, seminar „Wie willkommen ist der wissenschaftliche Nachwuchs?“ by the Körber Stiftung in Hamburg, DE

Hilfe zwischen Generationen in Europa – Der Einfluss von Staat, Markt und Kultur, Sektion Sozialwissenschaften, Deutscher Studienpreis 2009, Körber-Stiftung at WZB Berlin, DE

SHARE – Tackling the demographic challenge, Press Briefing und Interviews, Research Connection 2009 in Prague, CZ

Kontakte entscheiden auch über die berufliche Zukunft, Bayern2radio, Interview with Matthias Knappe, ‚Notizbuch‘

Wer Freunde hat, findet leichter Arbeit, radioeins Radio Berlin Brandenburg, Interview with Jörg Thadeusz, ‚Die Profis‘

Policy and funders

Der Neunte Altersbericht im Dialog – Teilhabe, Vielfalt, Ungleichheit, joint expert meeting of the commission on the 9th Government Report on Older People and BAGSO in Berlin, DE

Alt werden in Deutschland – Potenziale und Teilhabechancen, for the preparation of the 9th Government Report on Older People in exchange with the board of BAGSO in Bonn, DE

Inequalities in care and well-being across Europe, CENEA-Conference on demographic changes in Europe in a regional perspective: challenges and opportunities for social policy, Szczecin, PL

Presentation of the IN-CARE Project, Stakeholder Meeting in Dortmund, DE

Introduction to SHARE Wave 4, DG Employment SHARE seminar in Brussels, BE

SHARE scientific progress, SHARE ERIC Council in Munich, DE

SHARE open access publications, Fachbeirat der Max Planck Digital Library in Munich, DE

SHARE dissemination, SHARE M4 review meeting in Berg, DE

SHARE – research potentials, with Markus Berger, Research and Policy Workshop, American Sociological Association Annual Meeting in Denver, USA

SHARE – research potentials for an ageing Europe and Intergenerational support and social policy in Europe, Keynote, panel discussion and presentation, net4society "Active ageing – A potential for society" conference in Dublin, IR

Support networks of childless older people in Europe, with Christian Deindl, MPISOC Advisory Board Meeting, Munich, DE

SHARE – potentials for family research, with Christian Deindl, invited symposium "Data on Families", 6th ESFR Conference "Families in a Changing World" in Lillehammer, NO

SHARE ERIC state of affairs, NORFACE Workshop in Berlin, DE

SHARE research potentials, ERIC committee evaluation, Brussels, BE

The SHARE – ELSA Liaison, Comparability between the Survey of Health, Ageing and Retirement in Europe and the English Longitudinal Study of Ageing, ELSA userday London, UK

Introduction to SHARELIFE, SHARELIFE launch in Brussels, BE

SHARE – Potentiale für die Familienforschung, with Christian Deindl in the Panel Dateninfrastrukturen zur Familienpolitik, Jahrestagung des Vereins für Sozialpolitik in Kiel, DE

Ausstieg aus Erwerbslosigkeit mit Hilfe sozialer Beziehungen, Workshop Hans-Boeckler-Stiftung, Projekt Ausstiege aus dem unteren Einkommensbereich – Individuelle Aktivitäten, soziale Netzwerke und institutionelle Hilfeangebote in Düsseldorf, DE