

From Intentions to Behaviour: Reproductive Decision-Making in a Macro-Micro Perspective

Vienna, 2-3 December 2010

Agenda

Thursday, 2 December 2010

- 09:00-09:30 Registration
- 09:30-09:45 Opening
- 09:45-10:00 Dimiter Philipov: Presentation of the REPRO Project
- 10:00-10:30 *Keynote Speech:* Icek Aizen: **Fertility Intentions and the Theory of Planned Behavior**
- 10:30-10:45 Discussion
- 10:45-11:00 *Break*
- 11:00-12:30 **Session 1: Fertility Intentions: Ambivalence and Trends**
Chair: Alexia Prskawetz
- Invited paper:* Jennifer S. Barber, Warren B. Miller & Heather H. Gatny: *The Desire to Become Pregnant and the Desire to Avoid Pregnancy: Ambivalence, Indifference, Pronatalism and Antinatalism*
- Máire Ní Bhrolcháin & Eva Beaujouan: *Certainty and Uncertainty in Reproductive Intentions in Britain, 1979-2007*
- Turid Noack, Torkild H. Lyngstad & Kenneth A. Wiik: *Have Fertility Intentions Become Harder to Realise Over the Last Thirty Years? A Prospective Study of Norwegian Women*
- Daniel Devolder: *The Role of Involuntary Factors in Explaining the Gap between Desired and Realised Fertility in Developed Countries. An Analysis Using a Microsimulation Model*

12:30-14:00 **Poster Session 1 and Lunch**

Gerrit Bauer & Thorsten Kneip: Proceptive Behaviour from a Couple Perspective. A Test of Competing Decision Rules

Katrin Fliegenschnee: Intention or No Intention: That is the Question! Considerations about the Term "Intention" based on Qualitative Data about Fertility Behaviour

Isabel Häberling: The Road to Children is Paved with Good Intentions. On the Determinants of the Desire for Children, Fertility Intentions and Their Realisation

Katharina Maul, Mandy Boehnke, Johannes Huinink & Petra Buhr: Tensions of Female Employment, Reconciliation Policies and Childbearing Intentions in East and West Germany

Anneli Miettinen, Anna Rotkirch & Stuart Basten: Uncertain about Childbearing. Sociodemographic Background, Attitudes and Values of Finns who are Unable to Decide Whether They Would Want to Have A(nother) Child

Kerstin Ruckdeschel: The Influence of Structural Factors and Individual Value Orientations on Fertility Intentions: a Comparison of Germany and France

Lipa Saidova & Elena Zemlyanova: Reproductive Intentions of Population in the Chechen Republic: Pilot Sociological Survey Results

14:00-15:30 **Session 2: REPRO**
Chair: Olivier Thévenon

Maria Iacovou & Lara Tavares: Yearning, Learning and Conceding: (Some of) the Reasons People Change their Childbearing Intentions

Laura Bernardi, Laura Cavalli & Monika Mynarska: A Child? ... Maybe: Uncertain Fertility Intentions and Subsequent Behaviour

Zsolt Spéder & Balázs Kapitány: Realisation, Postponement and Abandonment; Factors of Realising Childbearing Intentions in Four European Countries

Lars Dommermuth, Jane Klobas & Trude Lappegård: They All Wanted One, but Who Did Get One? The Theory of Planned Behavior and the Realisation of Fertility Intentions

Aart Liefbroer & Eva-Maria Merz: Cross-national Differences in the Effect of Educational Attainment on Fertility Quantum: A Study Based on ESS Data

15:30-16:00 *Break*

16:00-17:00 **Session 3: Theoretical Issues**

Chair: Aart Liefbroer

Invited paper: Warren B. Miller: Fertility Desires and Intentions: Construct Differences and the Modeling of Fertility Outcomes

Invited paper: S. Philip Morgan: Assessing the Theory of Planned Behavior: Its Fit with Facts from Demography, Neuroscience and Beyond

17:00-18:00 **Panel Discussion: Theories, Measurement, Models**

Moderator: Jennifer S. Barber

Panellists: Icek Aizen, Anne Gauthier & Ron Lesthaeghe

Friday, 3 December 2010

09:00-10:30 **Session 4: Macro- and Micro Issues**

Chair: Maria Rita Testa

Invited paper: Ron Lesthaeghe: The Micro and Macro Dynamics of the Second Demographic Transition

Alicia Adsera & Ana Ferrer: Age at Migration, Language and Fertility Transitions among Migrants to Canada

Mikko Myrskylä, Hans-Peter Kohler & Francesco C. Billari: Do Advances in Development Reverse Fertility Declines? Updated Analyses of the Fertility Reversal by Age, Gender Equality and Components of Development

Gerda Neyer, Daniele Vignoli, Trude Lappegård & Dorothea Rieck: Gender, Economic Conditions and Social Norms: Does Context Matter for Fertility Intentions?

10:30-11:00 *Break*

11:00-12:30 **Session 5: Fertility Intentions of Men, Women and Couples**

Chair: Gerda Neyer

Invited paper: Joshua R. Goldstein, Anne H. Gauthier, Saskia C. Hin & Christoph Bühler: When Desiring Two Children Means Something Else... the Fertility Preferences of Dutch Men and Women

Maria Rita Testa, Laura Cavalli & Alessandro Rosina: Birth Intentions and Subsequent Realisations: The Italian Couples' Fertility Decision-Making Process

Nicoletta Balbo & Melinda C. Mills: The Influence of Partner, Family and Friends on the Realisation of Fertility Intentions

Anna Rotkirch & Stuart Basten: Men Longing for Children: Social and Situational Characteristics

12:30-14:00 **Poster Session 2 and Lunch**

Alexis Belianin & Mikhail Dmitriev: Determinants of Fertility in Russia: a Structural Dynamic Approach

Cristina Boboc, Simona Ghita & Emilia Titan: The Impact of Family Policies on Socio-Demographic Indicators: the Romanian Case

Isabella Buber-Ennser, Caroline Berghammer & Alexia Prskawetz: Doing Science, Forgoing Childrearing? Evidence from a Sample of Female Scientists in Austria

Beatrice Chromkova Manea & Petr Fucik: Conflicting or Unified? Couples' Response to Policy Measures Related to Fertility and Family in the Czech Republic

Elitsa Dimitrova: Changing Risk of First and Second Birth in Bulgaria after 1990. An Event History Approach

Hana Haskova: Different Patterns of Postponement of Childbearing

Volker Ludwig & Markus Kotte: Transmission and Contagion – Siblings' Effects on Fertility Intentions and Behaviour

Lisa McAllister & Michael Gurven: The Determinants and Consequences of Women's Fertility Preferences and Fertility Outcomes in a Rapidly Acculturating Amerindian Population

Constanta Mihaescu, Ileana Niculescu-Aron, Raluca Caplescu & Mihai Radu: Mentalities and Options Regarding the Procreative Behaviour of Romanians

14:00-15:30 **Session 6: Fertility**

Chair: Tomáš Sobotka

Anna Baranowska & Anna Matysiak: Does Parenthood Increase Happiness? Evidence from Panel Data

David De Wachter & Karel Neels: Family Formation and Retreat from the Labour Market: An Exploration of Educational Differentials in Belgium

Cornelia Muresan: Completing Education and Becoming a Mother in Romania

Clémentine Rossier, Sara Brachet & Anne Salles: *Visions of Gender Roles in France and Germany: Their Impact on Fertility*

Yong Cai, Feng Wang, Zhenzhen Zheng & Baochang Gu: *Fertility Intention and Fertility Behaviour: Why Stop at One?*

15:30-16:00 *Break*

16:00-17:00 **Closing Discussion:** Reproductive Decision-Making: Unsolved Issues and Future Avenues of Research
Chair: S. Philip Morgan