

Determinants of the postponement in childbearing across European countries

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The purpose of the project is to present and analyze postponement processes in childbearing across European countries based on micro-data from the Labour Force Survey (LFS). We use the individual-level data to calculate measures of postponement. The measures are compared across European countries and we show their temporal developments. By distinguishing between groups with different socio-demographic characteristics, we explore the drivers behind postponement dynamics.