
LIVES INTERNATIONAL RESEARCH DAYS 2026

WEDNESDAY 4 NOVEMBER (11:15-17:30)

Panel 2: Spatial Inequalities across the Life Course and Generations

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University of Lausanne, Géopolis, room 2224

Programme

11:15 – 13:00 | Session 1 – Mobility and Opportunity

- **Maarten van Ham** (Delft University of Technology) — Negative effects of living in poor neighbourhoods: Causal neighbourhood effects or selective residential mobility effects?
- **Luca Perbellini** (Eurac Research / University of Lausanne) - Who Gains from Moving? Social Origin and Occupational Returns to Interregional Migration in Europe
- **Hanne Gaukel** (University of Bologna) - Geographical Origin, Class Attainment, and the Rural-Urban Divide

13:00 – 14:00 | Lunch

14:00 – 15:30 | Session 2 – Housing and Community

- **Keynote: Bettina Hünteler** (DIW Berlin) - Intergenerational Home-to-Rental Mobility across Europe
- **Marie-Pier Paré-Ruel** (Concordia University) - Predictors and Criminal Outcomes of Neighborhood Residential Instability Sequences: A 30-year Canadian Longitudinal Study
- **Olena Holubowska** (University of Neuchatel) - New Immigrant Destinations in Switzerland: Stable Settlement Spaces or Transient Waypoints?

15:30 – 16:00 | Coffee Break



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16:00 – 17:30 | Session 3 – Education

- **Dingeman Wiertz** (University College London) - Moving for Schools: Residential Mobility and Social Inequalities in School Access in England
- **Linda Hoffmann** (Federal Institute for Vocational Education and Training, BIBB) - Spatial Mobility and the Risk of Dropping Out of VET: Costs, Returns, and Self-selection
- **Yaşar Ersan** (Ankara University) - Disease, Gender, and Education in a Rural Economy: Evidence from the Malaria Eradication Campaign in Türkiye

