Italian SHARE Users’ Conference

Thursday, June 28, 2012

8:30-9:00 REGISTRATION – room 10C

9:00-9:45 WELCOME SPEECH AND CONFERENCE OPENING – room 10A

Guido Cazzavillan, Chairman, Department of Economics University Ca’ Foscari of Venice
Guglielmo Weber, SHARE Italy Country Team Leader (University of Padua)

9:45-11:15 PARALLEL SESSIONS

SESSION I: Retirement, Intergenerational Relationships and Wealth. Chair: Alessie – room 9B

- Reinkowski, “Should we care that they care? Grandchild care and its impact on grandparents’ health”, discussant: Alessie
- Chudnovskaya, “Managing Multiple Inter-Generational Relationships: Grandparenting Styles Across Europe”, discussant: Reinkowski

SESSION II: Determinants of Health. Chair: Croda – room 10B

- Rezayatmand, Pavlova, Groot, “Individual’s decision to change health-related lifestyle: a case study from the Netherlands”, discussant: Croda.
- Croda, Skinner: “Disability Insurance and Health in Europe and the US”, discussant: Fort

11:15-11:45 COFFEE BREAK
11:45-13:15 PARALLEL SESSIONS

SESSION III: Methodological Issues. Chair: Robone – room 10A
- Bingley, Martinello, “SHARE Denmark: Linkage and Validation Study”, discussant: Robone;
- Mazzonna, “Does Schooling affect old age health? Evidence from compulsory schooling and birth order as instruments”, discussant: Martinello;

SESSION IV: Happiness and Wellbeing. Chair: Cavapozzi – room 10B
- Romaniuk, Borucka “Are Healthy People Happier?”, discussant: Cavapozzi.
- Vanhoutte, Nazroo, Chandola, “Measuring well-being in later life” discussant: Romaniuk;
- Cavapozzi, Han, Miniaci “Alternative weighting structures for multidimensional well-being assessment”, discussant: Vanhoutte;

SESSION V: Health, Aging and Retirement. Chair: Nicińska – room 9B
- Kolodziej, Garcia-Gómez “Investigating the Causal Effects of Retirement on Mental Health in Eleven European Countries, discussant: Nicińska;
- Bonsang, Bordone “Intergenerational relationships and cognitive functioning of elderly parent”, discussant: Kolodziej
- Nicińska, Kalbarczyk-Stęclik, “End of life in Europe: an empirical analysis” discussant: Bonsang

13:15-14:30 LUNCH (BUFFET)

14:30-15:30 PLENARY SESSION

Keynote speech: Axel H. Börsch-Supan (Munich Center for the Economics of Aging, Max Planck Institute for Social Law and Social Policy) "Lessons from cross-national comparisons: successes, limits, and challenges"

15:30-16:00 COFFEE BREAK
16:00-18:00 PARALLEL SESSIONS

SESSION VI: Health, Aging and Social Security Institutions. Chair: Kanabar – room 9B

- Gousia “Partial retirement and health outcomes in Europe”, discussant: Kanabar
- Flores, Kalwij “What do wages add to the health-employment nexus? Evidence from European elderly”, discussant: Gousia;

SESSION VII: Intergenerational Transfers and Long-term Care. Chair: , Savegnago – room 10B

- Emery “Intergenerational transfers in European families”, discussant: , Savenago;
- Brugiavini, Buia, Pasini, Zantomio “Long-term care and reciprocity: Does helping with grandchildren result in the receipt of more help at older ages?” discussant: Emery.
- Mudrazija “Late-Life transfers between parents and grown children across Welfare State Regimes”, discussant: , Buia
- Havari, Savegnago Intergenerational mobility of education and the Markov property. Evidence from a three generation study, discussant: Mudrazija;

19:00 Meeting in front of room 10A to walk to the Social Dinner
19:30 SOCIAL DINNER at “Paradiso Perduto”
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9:30-11:30 PARALLEL SESSIONS

SESSION VIII: Social Security Systems and Cross-country Comparisons. Chair: Stolz – room 10A

- **Greenberg** “An Examination of the Earnings-Potential Gradient and Country-Specific Contexts Over Time: Western European Trends in the Likelihood of Ever Marrying for Men and Women.” discussant: **Recuenco**;
- **Woittiez**, Oudijk, Sadiraj “The use of formal and informal care in different health care systems: A micro-analysis of differences between European regions”, discussant: **Greenberg**;
- **Stolz**, “Elderly care arrangements and social inequality in welfare states: A comparative analysis of 18 European countries”, discussant: **Woittiez**

SESSION IX: Macroeconomic Shocks, Socioeconomic Disparities and Health. Chair: Melnychuk – room 10B

- **Antonova**, Bucher-Koenen, Mazzonna “Macroeconomic crunches during working years and health outcomes later in life”, discussant: **Melnychuk**;
- **Osman**, Walsemann, “Ethnic Disparities in Disability among Israeli Older Adults: the Role of Socioeconomic Disadvantage and Lifetime Adversity”, discussant: **Antonova**.
- **Savic**, Drakulic “Integration of Older Immigrants into Labor Market”, discussant: **Osman**;
- **Melnychuk** “Depression and Holding of Risky Financial Assets”, discussant: **Savic**;

SESSION X: The GOAL project – room 9B

- **Massink**, Roel A. (TNO, NL GOAL Consortium) “Developing profiles of older people from the SHARE database”
- **Mandl**, Bettina (AIT, Austria GOAL Consortium) “Transition points in the mobility behavior of older people”
- **Millonig**, Alexandra (AIT, Austria GOAL Consortium) “The role and potential of typologies in research about the elderly and mobility”
- Panel discussion (Ann Dellinger: Carlos Juan Chiatti; Johan Janse; Stefan Blüher; Jens Dangschat; Rosa Diketmüller)

11:30-12:00 COFFEE BREAK

12:00-13:00 PLENARY SESSION – room 10A

Keynote speech: **Alberto Holly** (Université de Lausanne) “Informal Care and Formal Home Care Use in Europe and the United States”.

13:00-14:00 LUNCH (BUFFET)
14:00-15:30 PARALLEL SESSIONS

SESSION XI: Health Inequality. Chair: Baldini – room 10A
- Schülz, Educational Inequalities and Health Care Access Barriers in Elderly Health Care Utilization in a Cross-Country Perspective, discussant: Baldini;
- Theou, Rockwood MR., Brothers, Mitnitski, Rockwood “The Prevalence of Frailty in Europe and its Relationship with National Economic Indicator.”, discussant: Schülz;

SESSION XII: Childhood Health. Chair: Angelini – room 10B
- Angelini, Mierau, “Childhood health and the business cycle: evidence from Western Europe”, discussant: Havari.

SESSION XIII: GOAL PROJECT, Heterogeneity in Older People – room 9B
- Dangschat, Jens (Vienna Technical University, Department of Sociology): “Reflections about diversities and inequalities among older people”
- Dellinger, Ann (US Centers for Disease Control & Prevention, USA): “The Interplay between Mobility, Aging and Health”
- Blüher, Stefan (Charité – Universitätsmedizin Berlin, Institute of Medical Sociology): “Risks and Resources between Autonomy and Need for Care” - A Cohort-Study at Charité University Berlin

15:30-15:45: COFFEE BREAK

15:45-17:15 SESSION XIV GOAL PROJECT, Activate Mobile Aging – room 9B
- Janse, Johan (JJAdvies): “Seniors are driven by fun”
- Diketmüller, Rosa (University Vienna, Institute of Sport Science): “Age and activity-friendly open spaces”

15:45-17:15 SPECIAL SESSION – room 10A
Invited speech: Michael Hurd (Rand Corporation) “Consumption Dynamics Following Unemployment and Re-Employment”

Conference conclusions: Agar Brugiavini (University Ca’ Foscari of Venice)
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