





INVITATION

Jacobs Center Workshop on Longitudinal Studies

November 30, 2017 | University of Zurich, Room SOF-G21 | 10:30 a.m. to 6:30 p.m.

Longitudinal studies are often the only way to analyze long-term development. By its nature, such studies require repeated observation of study subjects over a long period of time. This poses several challenges, for example related to sampling, tracking strategies, and ethical concerns.

This interdisciplinary workshop, organized by the Jacobs Center for Productive Youth Development, focuses on best practices, challenges, and opportunities in the context of longitudinal studies.

The workshop brings together international experts working on the design and maintenance of longitudinal panels. The aim of the workshop is to help researchers who are in the process of starting a longitudinal study to recognize caveats and to improve their study designs.

We would be delighted to welcome you to this workshop and to hear your thoughts and opinions during the presentations and discussions.

Yours sincerely,

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PROGRAM

Thursday, November 30th 2017

Jacobs Center Workshop on Longitudinal Studies	
10:00 – 10:30	Welcome Coffee
10:30 – 10:45	Opening Remarks
10:45 – 12:15	 Session 1: Household Panels David Richter (DIW Berlin: SOEP Survey) Oliver Lipps (FORS: Swiss Household Panel) Panel Discussion
12:15 – 13:45	Lunch Break
13:45 – 15:45	 Session 2: Nutrition Michael Zimmermann (ETH Zurich: Iodine supplementation in pregnancy) Jere Behrman (University of Pennsylvania: Guatemalan INCAP) Panel Discussion
15:45 – 16:15	Coffee Break
16:15 – 18:15	 Session 3: Child Development Fabian Kosse (University of Bonn: Bonn Intervention Panel) Denis Ribeaud (Jacobs Center: Z-proso study) Marlis Buchmann (Jacobs Center: Cocoon study) Panel Discussion
18:15 – 18:30	Closing remarks

Venue: University of Zurich

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