

Scientific Recognition: World Population

Awards

Stephanie Bengtsson and Bilal Barakat

- Best Paper Award at the International Conference on Sustainable Development at Columbia University. Paper title: *Aiming higher: Why the SDG target for increased higher education scholarships by 2020 misses the mark in sustainable educational development planning*

Alexia Fürnkranz-Prskawetz

- Elected Full Member to the German National Academy of Sciences Leopoldina

Wolfgang Lutz

- Elected as one of the Senators representing Austrian members in the German National Academy of Sciences Leopoldina
- Elected to US National Academy of Sciences in recognition of his distinguished and continuing achievements in original research
- Mindel Sheps Award at the Population Association of America meeting 2016 for his significant contribution to demographic methodology, developing the theoretical, methodological, and empirical basis for adding educational attainment to age and sex as a third demographic dimension in population dynamics
- European Association for Population Studies Award for Population Studies for his exceptional life time achievements in the study of population
- Prize for Humanities, Cultural Studies, Social Sciences and Law of the City of Vienna, Vienna, Austria
- Award for contribution to research and capacity building at the College of Population Studies, Chulalongkorn University, on occasion of the 50th anniversary of the College of Population Studies at Chulalongkorn University

Sergei Scherbov

- Award for contribution to research and capacity building at the College of Population Studies, Chulalongkorn University, on occasion of the 50th anniversary of the College of Population Studies at Chulalongkorn University.

Marcin Stonawski and Michaela Potancokova

- American Sociological Association 2016 Sociology of Religion Section Distinguished Article Award. Paper title: *The Future Size of Religiously Affiliated and Unaffiliated Populations* (coauthors C Hackett, BJ Grim, and V Skirbekk)

Daniela Weber

- Lower Austria Chamber of Labour Science Prize honoring her dissertation entitled *An International Perspective on Aging and Cognitive Decline*
- Stephan-Koren Prize from the Vienna University of Economics and Business honoring her dissertation entitled *An International Perspective on Aging and Cognitive Decline*

Invited Lectures

Zakarya Al Zalak

- European Population Conference 2016, Mainz, Germany, presentation: Refugees Arriving in Fall 2015 in Austria: Insights on their Human Capital, August-September 2016
- International Young Researchers' Conference: The impacts and challenges of demographic change, Paris, France, presentation: Underlying Causes of the Fertility Increase in Egypt, September 2016

Valeria Bordone

- 28th REVES Meeting, Vienna, Austria, presentation: Subjective Life Expectancy: Differences by Smoking, Education and Gender, June 2016

Jesus Crespo Cuaresma

- Wittgenstein Centre (IIASA, VID/ÖAW, WU) conference: Variations of the themes of Wolfgang Lutz, Vienna, Austria, presentation: Human Capital, Economic Growth and Wolfgang Lutz, December 2016

Alexia Fürnkranz-Prskawetz

- Workshop of Ausschuss für Bevölkerungswirtschaft (Commission on Population Economics), Universität Freiburg, Freiburg, Germany, presentation: Families and Social Security, February 2016
- 2nd BRIDGE Health System Indicator Task Force Meeting, Department of Health Economics, Centre of Public Health, Medical University Vienna, Vienna, Austria, presentation: Introducing the AGENTA Project (Ageing Europe – An Application of National Transfer Accounts for Explaining and Projecting Trends in Public Finances), February 2016
- Tagung der Leopoldina Sektion „Ökonomik und Empirische Sozialforschung“, Zurich, Switzerland, presentation: Nationale Transferkonten (NTA) zur Analyse der Umverteilung der Ressourcen über das Alter. Eine komparativ europäische Analyse, April 2016
- Wittgenstein Centre (IIASA, VID/ÖAW, WU) conference: Variations of the themes of Wolfgang Lutz, Vienna, Austria, presentation: National Transfer Accounts by Education, December 2016

Simone Ghislandi

- Luxembourg-Singapore Well-Being Workshop, Singapore Management University, School of Economics/School of Social Sciences, Singapore, presentation: Health and Economic Shocks: New Evidence from Hospitalizations Data, March 2016

Anne Goujon

- Launch of the EU Joint Research Council (JRC)-IIASA Centre of Expertise on Population and Migration as part of the European Commission's Knowledge Centre on Migration and Demography, Brussels, Belgium, presentation: JRC-IIASA Centre of Expertise on Population and Migration: Overview, June 2016
- 3rd ISA Forum of Sociology: The Futures We Want: Global Sociology and the Struggles for a Better World, Vienna, Austria, presentation: Modeling Past and Future Global Population By Levels of Education, July 2016
- INQUIMUS 2016, Salzburg, Austria, presentation: Trends in the Development of Global Population Projections: Integrating Socio-economic Heterogeneity, September 2016
- Wittgenstein Centre (IIASA, VID/ÖAW, WU) conference: Variations of the themes of Wolfgang Lutz, Vienna, Austria, presentation: What Haven't We Projected?, December 2016

Samir KC

- IIASA delegation visit to China National Member Organization and Peking University Workshop, Beijing, China, presentation: Human Capital Formation and Economic Development in Asia, March 2016
- Annual meeting of Population Association of America, Washington DC, USA, presentation: Measuring Education from Present to Past - the Construction of a Global Dataset on the Educational Attainment in the 20th Century; Projecting the Regional Explicit Socioeconomic Heterogeneity in India, March-April 2016
- Conference of European Statisticians, Joint Eurostat/UN Economic Commission for Europe (UNECE) Work Session on Demographic Projections, UNECE Statistical Division, Geneva, Switzerland, presentation: Projecting the Regional Explicit Socioeconomic Heterogeneity in India, April 2016
- World Demographic and Aging Forum, panel on The Dimensions of Geopolitics in Asia: Different Qualities - Different Quantities, St. Gallen, Switzerland, August 2016
- European Population Conference 2016, Mainz, Germany, presentations: Projecting the Regional Explicit Socioeconomic Heterogeneity in India by Residence; Educational Attainment in the 20th Century: Using Data from Historical Censuses and Statistical Yearbooks to Reconstruct and Validate a New Global Dataset on Education (poster); Small-area Population Projections by Socioeconomic Heterogeneity and Residence for the State of Gujarat (poster).
- Wittgenstein Centre (IIASA, VID/ÖAW, WU) conference: Variations of the themes of Wolfgang Lutz, Vienna, Austria, presentation: Population Dynamics in Light of Education, December 2016

Wolfgang Lutz

- Academies workshop: Transition toward Sustainability after 15 Years: Where Do We Stand in Advancing the Scientific Foundation, Irvine, USA, presentation: Informing Sustainability Science through Advances in Environmental Decision Making and Other Areas of Science, January 2016
- Centro Centroamericano de Población, Universidad de Costa Rica, San Jose, Costa Rica, presentation: New IIASA Human Capital Projections, January 2016
- Conference on Demography, organized in the framework of the European University Institute's Forum on Migration, Citizenship and Demography (EUI's Forum), Florence, Italy, keynote: Europe's Demographic Future: 4-Dimensional Scenarios for Assessing the Impacts of Migration, February 2016
- American Association for the Advancement of Science 2016 Annual Meeting, Washington DC, USA, presentation: Population, Education, and the Sustainable Development Goals, February 2016
- 2016 Demography Symposium: Challenges for Europe - Demography and Immigration, organized by Finnish Society of Sciences and Letters, Helsinki, Finland, presentation: Potential Impact of Migration on Human Capital in Europe, April 2016

- International Sociological Association's Research Committee on Social Stratification and Mobility on Intergenerational Transfer, Human Capital, and Inequality and advisory board meeting of Asia Research Institute, Singapore, keynote: Global Human Capital, May 2016
- Invited Nathan and Beatrice Keyfitz Lecture in Mathematics and the Social Sciences at the Fields Institute for Research in Mathematical Sciences, Toronto, Canada, lecture: Modelling Human Capital Formation as the Basis for Assessing the Benefits of Education: A Global Perspective, June 2016
- Launch of the JRC-IIASA Centre of Expertise on Population and Migration as part of the European Commission's Knowledge Centre on Migration and Demography, Brussels, Belgium, presentation: JRC-IIASA Centre of Expertise on Population and Migration, June 2016
- Sofia Earth Forum 1st Symposium on Grand Challenges, Solutions and Legitimacy, Helsinki, Finland, presentation: Nordic Challenges in the Global Context, June 2016
- 3rd ISA Forum of Sociology: The Futures We Want: Global Sociology and the Struggles for a Better World, Vienna, Austria, presentation: Interactions of Population Trends with the Social, Economic and Natural Environment, July 2016
- Regional Science Academy conference, Vienna, Austria, presentation: Migration and Demography in a Semi-Open World, August 2016
- World Demographic and Aging Forum, St. Gallen, Switzerland, keynote: Global Demography in the 21st Century, August 2016
- European Population Conference 2016: Demographic Change and Policy Implications, Mainz, Germany, presentations: Demographic Metabolism at Work; Too educated to be happy? An Investigation into the Relationship between Education and Subjective Well-being, August-September 2016
- Leopoldina symposium: Nachhaltige Zeitenwende? Die Agenda 2030 als Herausforderung für Wissenschaft und Politik, Berlin, Germany, presentation: World Population, Education and Health, October 2016
- 50th anniversary conference of the College of Population Studies at Chulalongkorn University, Bangkok, Thailand, public keynote: Human Capital in Asia, November 2016
- IIASA-UK Event: Systems Analysis Applied to Environment and Health, London, UK, speaker presentation in the Population panel session, December 2016
- Institute of Science and Technology Austria Science and Society Lecture, Klosterneuburg, Austria, title: Human Capital as the Root Cause of Development and Policy Priority for the 21st Century, December 2016

Raya Muttarak

- Annual meeting of Population Association of America, Washington DC, USA, presentations: When the Well Runs Dry, Where Do We Go Now? Exploring Internal Migration Due to Climate Stress in Asia and Central and South America; Learn from the Past, Prepare for the Future: Impacts of Education and Experience on Disaster Preparedness in the Philippines and Thailand, March-April 2016
- European Population Conference 2016, Mainz, Germany, presentations: Examining the link between Climate, Conflict and Cross-border Migration; When the Well Runs Dry, Where Do We Go Now? Exploring Internal Migration Due to Climate Stress in Asia and Central and South America; Women, Weather, and Woes: The Triangular Dynamics of Female-Headed Households, Economic Vulnerability, and Climate Variability in South Africa; Bowling Together: Scientific Collaboration Networks of European Demographers (poster), August-September 2016
- British Society for Population Studies 2016 Conference, Winchester, Hampshire, UK, presentation: Examining the Link between Climate, Conflict and Cross-border Migration Using Gravity Model, September 2016
- Geozentrum, Bonn University Conference: Connecting the Dots: Migration. Environment. Resilience, Bonn, Germany, presentation: Examining the Link between Climate, Conflict and Cross-border Migration Using Gravity Model, September 2016
- Shanghai Population Forum on Future Directions in Asian Population Research, Asian Demographic Research Institute, Shanghai University, Shanghai, China, presentation: Contribution of Demography to the Study of Population and Global Environmental Change: What More Can be Done in Asia, October 2016
- Chinese Academy of Sciences, Institute of Geographic Science and Natural Resources, Beijing, China, presentation: Is There a Link between Climate Variability and Migration? November 2016
- Lecture series East Asian Integration, National Chung Cheng University, Taiwan, lecture: Implications of China's One-belt One-road Strategy on Population Dynamics and Socio-ecological Consequences along the Belt and Road Countries, November 2016

Orawan Prasitsiriphon

- Thai Population Association 2016 Annual Population Conference, Bangkok, Thailand, presentation: The Factors Associated with Handgrip Strength among Elderly in Thailand, November 2016

Dimitar Philipov

- European Population Conference 2016, Mainz, Germany, presentation: The Dynamics of Human Capital-specific Old-age Dependency Ratio in Europe, August-September 2016

Michaela Potancokova

- Annual meeting of Population Association of America PEW Research Center side meeting, Washington DC, USA, presentation: Projections on the Future of Religion, March 2016

- Annual meeting of Population Association of America, Washington DC, USA, poster: Age Differences in Religious Belief Worldwide, March-April 2016

Warren Sanderson

- Annual meeting of Population Association of America, Washington DC, USA, presentation: Are We Overly Dependent on Conventional Dependency Ratios? March-April 2016
- Expert group meeting: Changing population age structure and sustainable development organized by Population Division of the Department of Economic and Social Affairs of the United Nations, New York, USA, presentation: Age structure, Mortality and Prospective Ageing, October 2016
- Wittgenstein Centre (IIASA, VID/ÖAW, WU) conference: Variations of the themes of Wolfgang Lutz, Vienna, Austria, presentation: What is Your Age at Age 60, December 2016

Sergei Scherbov

- Center of Population Research, Moscow State University, Moscow, Russia, guest lecture: The Characteristic Approach of Measuring Ageing, March 2016
- Annual meeting of Population Association of America, Washington DC, USA, presentation: Are We Overly Dependent on Conventional Dependency Ratios? March-April 2016
- 28th REVES Meeting, Vienna, Austria, presentation: Subjective Life Expectancy: Differences by Smoking, Education and Gender, June 2016
- Society for All Ages IV National Conference: Culture of Ageing, plenary session, Moscow, Russia, General theme: the Culture of Ageing - the Culture of Life October 2016
- 50th anniversary of the College of Population Studies at Chulalongkorn University, Bangkok, Thailand, presentation: World Population Aging: Opportunities and Challenges, November 2016
- Wittgenstein Centre (IIASA, VID/ÖAW, WU) conference: Variations of the themes of Wolfgang Lutz, Vienna, Austria, presentation: What is Your Age at Age 60, December 2016

Markus Speringer

- European Population Conference 2016, Mainz, Germany, presentations: Projecting the Regional Explicit Socioeconomic Heterogeneity in India by Residence; Educational Attainment in the 20th Century: Using Data from Historical Censuses and Statistical Yearbooks to Reconstruct and Validate a New Global Dataset on Education (poster); Small-area Population Projections by Socioeconomic Heterogeneity and Residence for the State of Gujarat (poster), August-September 2016
- Deutsche Gesellschaft für Demographie-BBSR Dezembertagung 2016, Berlin, Germany, presentation: Multipler Benachteiligungsindex: Fallbeispiel Pinzgau (Salzburg/Österreich), December 2016

Marcin Stonawski

- Annual meeting of Population Association of America PEW Research Center side meeting, Washington DC, USA, presentation: How May the Recent Influx of Refugees Change the Religious Landscape of Europe? March 2016
- Annual meeting of Population Association of America, Washington DC, USA, presentations: Age Differences in Religious Belief Worldwide (poster); Mapping Expected Change in Muslim and Christian Populations, 2010-2050 (poster); Religious Contention Today and Scenarios for the Future (poster), March-April 2016

Erich Striessnig

- Annual meeting of Population Association of America, Washington DC, USA, presentations: Optimal Fertility and Migration: A Simulation Exercise for Austria; Attitudes Toward Homosexuality Change through the Demographic Metabolisms: An International Comparison (poster), March-April 2016
- European Population Conference 2016, Mainz, Germany, presentations: Demographic Metabolism at Work; Too educated to be happy? An Investigation into the Relationship between Education and subjective Well-being, August-September 2016
- British Society for Population Studies 2016 Conference, Winchester, Hampshire, UK, presentation: Intergenerational Transmission of Attitudes toward Migration as a Potential Antagonist of the Demographic Metabolism, September 2016

Daniela Weber

- Wittgenstein Centre (IIASA, VID/ÖAW, WU) Summer School on: The Demography of Health and Education, Vienna, Austria, presentation: Aging, June 2016
- 28th REVES Meeting, Vienna, Austria, presentation: Working Life Expectancy and Health in Europe: Trends and Determinants, June 2016
- European Population Conference 2016, Mainz, Germany, presentation: Does Working Life Expectancy Reflect Health Status? August-September 2016

Sam Hyun Hoo

- Annual meeting of Population Association of America, Washington DC, USA, presentation: The Role of Tempo Effect in the Ultra-Low Fertility in South Korea; How Much of Fertility Intentions Are Realized in Two Years? Predictive Power of Short-Term Fertility Intentions and Variation over the Life Course, March-April 2016

Organized Events

Alexia Fürnkranz-Prskawetz, Warren Sanderson, Sergei Scherbov

- Wittgenstein Centre (IIASA, VID/ÖAW, WU) conference: Variations of the themes of Wolfgang Lutz, Vienna, Austria, December 2016

Wolfgang Lutz

- Wittgenstein Centre (IIASA, VID/ÖAW, WU) Summer School on: The Demography of Health and Education, Vienna, Austria, June 2016

Sergei Scherbov

- Training course on: Demographic Analysis with Application to Aging Society, College of Population Studies, Chulalongkorn University, Bangkok, Thailand, November 2016

Advisory Boards

Wolfgang Lutz

- Member, Board of Directors (Stiftungsrat), Berlin Institute for Population and Development
- Advising Board Member for the journal: *Population and Development Review*

Alexia Fürnkranz-Prskawetz

- Member of the FWF Kuratorium
- Member of Steering Committee: Rostocker Ring, Max Planck Institute for Demographic Research, Rostock, Germany
- Member of the Board of Governors of the Population Europe Information Centre, Berlin, Germany
- Member of the Wissenschaftliche Kommission: Demografischer Wandel, German National Academy of Sciences Leopoldina
- Member of the Scientific Advisory Board of the Population and Policy Database
- Member of the Scientific Advisory Board (Beirat) of ECO Austria
- Member of the Scientific Advisory Board (Beirat) of Gesellschaft für Zukunftssicherung und Altersvorsorge – Denkwerstatt St. Lambrecht
- Member of Scientific Advisory Board (Forschungsbeirat) RWI Essen

Editorships

Jesus Crespo Cuaresma

- Editor, *German Economic Review*
- Member of the editorial board of *Economic Systems, Empirica, and Panoeconomicus*

Anne Goujon

- Member of Editorial committee of *Population and Societies*, The French Institute for Demographic Studies

Wolfgang Lutz

- Editorial Committee Member, *Asian Population Studies*, Routledge
- Editorial Committee Member, *Journal of Population Ageing*, Springer
- Editorial Board Member, *Demographic Research*
- Editorial Board Member, *European Population Studies*
- Editorial Board Member, *Canadian Studies in Population*