List of available SPReW publications (October 2008)

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D1 Generational approach to the social patterns of relation to work
Conceptual framework and state of the art

Edited by Patricia Vendramin (FTU)

This report consists of a state of the art of current research on the project issues. It gathers the literature overviews done by each team in each country. In chapters 2 to 7, each team points out the hypotheses, analyses, conclusions that are relevant regarding four key areas of the project: the relation of generations to diverse work components (precariousness, mobility…); the connection with lifestyles and family construction; the intergenerational dimensions; the social cohesion perspective, including gender and ethnicity issues. The first chapter proposes a cross overview of all contributions.

Contributions from Bureau Marie-Christine, Castro Paula, Cultiaux John, Davoine Lucie, Delay Béatrice, Füleki Katalin, Grützmacher Nicole, Knop Alexander, Méda Dominique, Nogal Ângela, Passos Ana, Polyacskó Orsolya, Ponzellini Anna Maria, Richter Götz, Vajda Júlia, Vendramin Patricia, Wong Michal, Zoll Rainer, Zoll-Grubert Elisabeth

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Additional downloadable report: general consolidated bibliography
D2  Research hypotheses

Edited by Götz Richter, Rainer Zoll, Elisabeth Zoll-Grubert (IAW), Patricia Vendramin (FTU)

This report gathers and organises all the hypotheses that the researchers have pointed out through the survey of literature. The first chapter proposes a first synthesis of these hypotheses, elaborated by the German partner. This chapter describes the changes in the cultural model that shape the changes in work orientations. The second chapter consists of additional inputs from the other partners that have been prepared for a consortium workshop dedicated to the design of the qualitative empirical work. Finally, on the basis of chapters 1 and 2 and the discussions during the consortium workshop, chapter 3 proposes a structured synthesis that organises a selection of key hypotheses and questions and supports the elaboration of master guidelines for the narrative interviews.

D3  Changing social patterns of relation to work – Qualitative approach through biographies and group interviews

Edited by Patricia Vendramin (FTU)

This report gathers the analyses that have been conducted in each country in a common qualitative approach, consisting in a total of 163 narrative interviews and 18 group interviews. A common methodological design supports this in-depth empirical study. The first chapter proposes a synthesis overview of all contributions. The report provides a renewed perspective on the meaning of work for different generations.

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D4 Changing social patterns of relation to work –
Overview and appraisal of existing quantitative surveys

Edited by Patricia Vendramin (FTU)

This report consists of an overview of relevant quantitative surveys conducted at the national or regional level in all the countries included in the partnership. It also gives an overview of quantitative survey schemes conducted at the European and international levels. It provides a transversal overview of all the surveys inventoried and points out interesting conclusions regarding the SPReW issues. In addition, this report gathers some quantitative data about each country that support a good understanding of the results of the quantitative and qualitative workpackages.

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D5 Changing social patterns of relation to work –
Selection of good policy practices

Edited by Marina Monaco (SDA)

This report proposes a collection of policy practices in the field of youth, employment and ageing policies that have an intergenerational perspective and that can be learning experiences. The purpose of this report is to support the transition between research results and policymaking. This overview of policy practices and orientations has been made at the national and the European levels. The first part of the report deals with experiences at the national level, the second part analyses policies at the European level.

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D6  Changing social patterns of relation to work –
Cross-national comparative analysis

Edited by Anna Ponzellini and Adele Lebano (FRPS)

This report establishes links between the interpretation of the qualitative and quantitative empirical results and the diversity of institutional frameworks in the different countries.

This report is structured in four parts. The first part identifies the theoretical approach we choose to explain the differences in intergenerational changes in relation to work and the related consequences. The second part analyses distinctiveness and similarities among institutional and cultural frameworks in the six countries along the lines of the seven elements we identified as the main objects of the comparison. The third part provides an overview of the different institutional and cultural contexts and the fourth and final part draws some general conclusions.

Authors:
Anna Ponzellini and Adele Lebano (FRPS), on the basis of national contributions prepared by six research teams.

D7  Changing social patterns of relation to work –
Conclusions and recommendations

Edited by Anna Ponzellini (FRPS)

On the basis of the results of the empirical phase and the cross-national comparative analysis, pathways and recommendations are elaborated for a better management of age and intergenerational relations in the area of work and correlated fields. These recommendations and pathways have been discussed in dialogue workshops with policy makers and social actors at national level in each country and at the European level.

Authors:
Anna Ponzellini and Adele Lebano (FRPS)
Changing social patterns of relation to work –
Final report

Edited by Patricia Vendramin (FTU)

This report gives an overview of all key research activities, findings and conclusions of the project. The first chapter summarises the main topics of the state of the art of current research. The second chapter describes the methodological design of the project. The third chapter proposes a synthesis of the qualitative approach, as well as the fourth a synthesis of the quantitative approach. The fifth chapter summarises the results of the cross-national comparative analysis, stressing both European convergence and national diversity. Chapter 6 gives an overview and appraisal of relevant policy practices. The report ends up with conclusions and recommendations, presented as concrete perspectives for a good management of generations at work and pathways for more social cohesion.

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