Call for Papers

SOEP 2010

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9th International German Socio-Economic Panel User Conference

Berlin, June 30 to July 2nd, 2010

SOEP 2010 at

Social Science Research Center

Berlin (WZB)

The 9th International German Socio-Economic Panel User Conference (SOEP2010) will be held in Berlin, June 30 through July 2nd, 2010, at the Social Science Research Center Berlin (WZB). The conference provides researchers who use the SOEP with the opportunity to present and discuss their work with other researchers familiar with SOEP data. Researchers of **all disciplines** (e.g. economics, demography, geography, political sciences, public health, psychology and sociology) who use the SOEP or the GSOEP part of the Cross-National Equivalent Files (CNEF) are invited to submit an abstract. We encourage in particular submission of papers using the **longitudinal features** of SOEP as well as papers on **survey methodology** and **cross national comparative analysis**.

Keynote Speakers

We are happy to announce as keynote speakers:

Nicola Fuchs-Schündeln,

Faculty of Economics, Johann Wolfgang Goethe University Frankfurt (Main)

Markus Gangl,

Department of Sociology, University of Wisconsin-Madison

Scientific Committee

Annette Jäckle (University of Essex),

Kathrin Leuze (WZB), Michaela Riediger (MPIB)

Thomas Siedler (DIW Berlin), Ingrid Tucci (DIW Berlin) and Arne Uhlendorff (University

of Mannheim)

Deadline for Submission of Abstracts:

February 28, 2010

Please submit electronic versions of abstracts (up to 300 words) no later than Feb 28,

2010 to: soep2010@diw.de

Submitters will be notified on acceptance of their paper by April 6, 2010.

Proceedings

Shorter versions of selected conference papers will be published in a volume of conference proceedings (Journal of Applied Social Science Studies [Schmollers Jahrbuch], 2/2011) with the understanding that a full version of the paper may be submitted to ano-

ther professional journal.

Prize for Best Paper

The Society of Friends of the DIW Berlin will honor the best three papers and the best poster presented at the conference. The SOEP2010 program committee will act as a jury and will present the award at the end of the conference.

Financial Support

We ask scholars to pay their own travel costs. If this is not possible partial reimbursement of expenses may be provided to presenters (one grant per paper) at the following rates, depending on which country presenters are travelling from: up to \leqslant 125 (Germany), up to \leqslant 500 (Europe), up to \leqslant 750 (overseas).

Local Organizers:

Ingrid Tucci and Thomas Siedler (program) Christine Kurka (conference management)

If you have any further questions concerning the submissions of abstracts, please contact the local organizers at: **soep2010@diw.de**