

**EHPS-Net International Summer School in Historical Demography - Introductory course  
Second Edition  
Cluj-Napoca, Romania, 29 June – 7 July 2014  
"Babes-Bolyai" University, Cluj-Napoca, Romania**

Centre for Population Studies and EHPS-net announce the second edition of the Summer School in Historical Demography, in Cluj-Napoca, on June 29 – July 7, 2014. The course is organized under the auspices of the European Historical Population Sample (EHPS-net). The course is addressed to MA students, those enrolled in PhD programs or those who recently received their PhD. A maximum of 25 students will be admitted.

No tuition fee is requested! "Babes-Bolyai" University will cover the lodging costs.

**Prerequisites: A good knowledge of English**

**A research subject in historical demography**

Experience with Excel or other programs for quantitative analysis How to apply: send your application by email to: kma@iisg.nl and luminita\_dumanescu@yahoo.com. Your application must contain a one page statement of research interest and its connection with the course, and a two page curriculum vitae, including publications. All the applicants will be interviewed through Skype.

Deadline for application: 1 May 2014. The interviews will be scheduled between 7 and 13 May. All the students will be informed about their admittance on 15 May.

**Schedule**

29 June	
09:00-	Arrival and accommodation of the trainees and trainers
19:00	Welcome and introductory briefing
30 June	Introduction Historical Demography and Access
09:00-11:45	Family and Household Systems, Regional Patterns and Transition, 18 <sup>th</sup> to 20 <sup>th</sup> century ( <b>Peter Teibenbacher</b> ) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Hajnal</li> <li>• Laslett and Wall</li> <li>• The French School</li> </ul>
12:00 -13:00	Sources Historical Demography (Siegfried Gruber) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Parish registers and civil registers.</li> <li>• Status animarum</li> <li>• Census lists</li> <li>• Population registers</li> </ul>
	Breaks from 10:15-10:30 and 11:45-12:00
13:00-14:30	Lunch
14:30-15:30	Database design ( <b>Kees Mandemakers</b> )
15:45–18:30	Access: Creating Tables, Simple Queries ( <b>Kees Mandemakers and Siegfried Gruber</b> )
	Breaks from 15:30-15:45 and 16:45-17:00
1 July	Sources and methods
09:00-13:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Life and mortality tables (<b>Peter Teibenbacher and Peter Ori</b>)</li> <li>• Family Reconstitution</li> </ul>
	Breaks from 10:15-10:30 and 11:45-12:00
13:00-14:30	Lunch

14:30-17:15	Database Tools ( <b>Kees Mandemakers and Siegfried Gruber</b> ) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• More complex queries</li> <li>• Joining tables</li> </ul>
17:30 – 18:30	Social stratification and mobility ( <b>Kees Mandemakers</b> ) (social class, social position, social structure, HISCO, structural and cyclical mobility )
	Breaks from 15:30-15:45 and 16:45-17:00
2 July	Cross-Sectional Data
09:00-13:00	Introduction to cross-sectional data: sources, uses of cross-sectional data, challenges (Introduction to IPUMS, NAPP and MOSAIC) ( <b>Siegfried Gruber</b> ) Household classification systems (measurement, different systems and methods for applying to household listings ( <b>Siegfried Gruber</b> ).
	Breaks from 10:15-10:30 and 11:45-12:00
13:00-14:30	Lunch
14:30-17:00 Database tools	Hands-on computer workshop ( <b>Siegfried Gruber and Kees Mandemakers</b> ) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Downloading and setting up data (census)</li> <li>• Classifying households</li> </ul>
	Breaks from 15:30-15:45 and 16:45-17:00
17:30 – 18:30	Database structures and the IDS system ( <b>Kees Mandemakers</b> )
3 July	Fertility
09:00-13:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Research Issues (Jan Kok)</li> <li>• Fertility transition</li> <li>• Geographic diffusion, socio-economic gradients</li> <li>• The Natural Fertility Model</li> <li>• The Princeton European Fertility Project</li> <li>• Adaptation versus Innovation</li> <li>• Marital and non-marital fertility</li> <li>• Theories: Malthus, Coale, Becker, Easterlin</li> <li>• Measuring Fertility <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Introduction and motivation</li> <li>• Aggregate measures</li> <li>• Own child methods</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Event history methods</li> </ul>
	Breaks from 10:15-10:30 and 11:45-12:00
13:00-14:30	Lunch
14:30-16:45	Building datasets out of IDS for Fertility Research ( <b>Kees Mandemakers and Levente Pakot</b> )
	Breaks from 15:30-15:45 and 16:45-17:00
17:00 – 18:30	Introduction into STATA ( <b>Christa Matthys</b> )
4 July	Life Course Transitions
09:00-13:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Life course transitions (<b>Christa Matthys</b>)</li> <li>• Nuptiality (aggregate measures and event history analysis)</li> <li>• Migration (focus on age at leaving home)</li> <li>• Migration</li> <li>• Micro and Macro theories</li> <li>• Types of migration (single - group, circular - permanent etc.)</li> <li>• Migration Records</li> <li>•</li> </ul>
	Breaks from 10:15-10:30 and 11:45-12:00
13:00-14:30	Lunch
14:30-18:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Stata Computer workshop (<b>Christa Matthys and Levente Pakot</b>)</li> </ul>
	Breaks from 15:30-15:45 and 16:45-17:00

<b>5 July</b>	<b>Mortality</b>
09:00-13:00 Issues, Sources & Methods in historical demography	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Child Mortality (Christa Matthys and Jan Kok)</li> <li>• Life Chances</li> <li>• Social Gradient Mortality</li> <li>• Timing and Patterns Life Mortality Decline</li> </ul>
	Breaks from 10:15-10:30 and 11:45-12:00
13:00-14:30	Lunch
14:30-18:00 Workshop	Stata Computer workshop (Christa Matthys and Levente Pakot)
	Breaks from 15:30-15:45 and 16:45-17:00
<b>6 July</b>	<b>Working on Assignments</b>
09:00 – 10:00	Instructions Assignments (Christa Matthys, Levente Pakot, Mihaela Hărăguș)
10:00 – 12:30	Working on Assignments
13:00-14:30	Lunch
14:30 – 18:00	Working on Assignments
18:00	Intake Assignments
<b>7 July</b>	
09:00-12:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Evaluation Assignments / Evaluation Summer School (Christa Matthys, Levente Pakot, Mihaela Hărăguș)</li> </ul>
12:00 – 13:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Closure and official hand over certificates</li> </ul>
13:00-14:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Lunch, departure</li> </ul>