

IUSSP Activities in 2009-2010

2009

2-13 February	Theoretical and Methodological Issues of the Analysis of Population Dynamics and Supply Systems (Cyberspace)
26-28 March	Applied and Technical Demographic Training in Developing Countries: Towards an Agenda for Revitalisation (The Hague, The Netherlands)
21-23 May	Demographic Responses to Studden Economic and Environmental Change (Kashiwa, Chiba, Japan)
25-26 May	The Policy Use of Quantitative and Qualitative Indicators of Integration (Paris, France)
2-10 June	IUSSP-MPIDR Summer School on the Frontiers of Formal Demography (Rostock, Germany)
22-23 June	Applied and Technical Demographic Training in Developing Countries - 2 (London, UK)
24-26 August	Gender and Empowerment in the 21st century in Africa (Nairobi, Kenya)
27 Sept.-- 2 Oct.	International Population Conference (Marrackeh, Morocco)
2-4 November	Equity Oriented Health Policies: Approaches and Strategies (London, UK)
	The life Expectancy Revolution
	Finding a Place for Population in Macro-Economic Models

2010

The Family, the Market of the State? Economic Support for the Old in an Ageing Society
Consequences of Unsafe Abortion
Adolescents, Migration and Wellbeing in Poor Countries
Approaches to the Estimation of Conflict-Related Mortality in Iraq and Other Locations
Lifespan Extension and the Biology of Changing Cause-of-Death

International Population Conferences

Every four years, the IUSSP organizes an International Population Conference to provide a forum where its members and the broad population community can learn about new research and policy developments. These meetings provide an opportunity for scientists to present their views to colleagues and policy-makers from all over the world and to build international networks. IUSSP Conferences are open to everyone with an interest in population and development research. Complete information on the 2009 Conference is available on the IUSSP website. The location of the next Conference will be announced in 2010.

The IUSSP also participates in meetings sponsored by the European Association for Population Studies (EAPS), the Population Association of America (PAA), the Union for African Population Studies (UAPS), the International Statistical Institute (ISI), and the United Nations and its specialized agencies.



The IUSSP Council

The IUSSP is governed by its Council, elected by the membership for a four-year period.

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IUSSP Objectives

- **Stimulate and consolidate research** on population issues by convening scientific seminars and conferences;
- **Disseminate the results of this work** to the research community, policy-makers and the interested public;
- **Build research capacity** by including young scholars and developing country researchers in IUSSP activities;
- **Encourage engagement between research and policy** by collaborating with international, regional and government institutions and NGOs.

Scientific Activities

The IUSSP's main activity is the organization of scientific seminars and conferences. These meetings serve to push population research in new directions and disseminate research results on population issues. They also foster international networks of population researchers. Meetings are organized by expert panels set up to address specific population issues.

Training and Capacity-Strengthening

The IUSSP provides travel grants to junior and developing-country scholars to attend IUSSP scientific activities in order to strengthen research capacity and develop professional networks. The IUSSP also organizes in collaboration with other institutions summer training schools and workshops.

Dissemination and Publications

The outcomes of IUSSP activities are disseminated through seminar working papers on the IUSSP website, policy papers, edited volumes and articles in leading peer-reviewed journals. The results are also communicated to international governing and policy-making institutions with which the IUSSP has special consultative status, such as the Economic and Social Council of the UN.

IUSSP Publications

- International Studies in Population series (Springer)
- IUSSP Policy & Research Papers
- The IUSSP Bulletin

IUSSP Website (www.iussp.org)

The IUSSP's bilingual (English and French) website provides information on our activities and those of other population associations and research institutions:

- Calls for papers
- Seminar papers (restricted to members)
- Seminar reports
- IUSSP publications
- Membership directory
- Calendar of upcoming conferences and seminars
- Employment and research opportunities
- Links to other population websites

With over 2000 members from 140 countries, the IUSSP is the largest international professional association for individuals interested in population studies. The IUSSP brings together researchers, scholars, policy-makers and others from diverse disciplinary and professional backgrounds to address key population issues.

IUSSP Membership

The IUSSP is an individual membership association open to all scientists and professionals working in the field of population.

To join the IUSSP, please visit the website: www.iussp.org.

- A special student membership is available for those who want to benefit from the Union's activities while in training.
- PAA members are eligible for a reduced fee the first year.

Benefits and Services to Members

IUSSP members enjoy valuable benefits, including:

- Reduced registration fees for IUSSP Population Conferences.
- The possibility of participating in the scientific activities of the IUSSP.
- Access to the member-restricted section of the IUSSP website, which includes the Membership Directory and working papers from IUSSP seminars.
- Access to calls for papers and other announcements sent by email.
- Newsletter with information on IUSSP activities and resources in the field.
- Automatic subscriptions to *Genus*.
- Discounts ranging from 6% to 68% in subscriptions to 17 other major population journals.
- Discount of 25% on IUSSP volumes published in the ISIP series (Springer).

More information on membership fees, including US\$ rates, is available on the IUSSP website (www.iussp.org).

IUSSP Panels

For the 2006-2009 period, 23 IUSSP Panels have been established to address topics ranging across six broad themes of major scientific and policy relevance.

Population and Development

- Adolescent Life Course in Developing Countries
- Population Growth and Human Welfare in Africa
- Population and Poverty

Population, Health and Ageing

- Abortion
- Ageing in Developing Countries
- Health Equity and Policy in the Arab World
- Sexual Behaviour and HIV/AIDS
- Social and Biological Determinants of Longevity
- Impacts of Population Ageing

Population Information for Planning and Policy

- Business Demography
- Forecasting Demographic Change
- Population Information and Data in Developing Countries

Population and Mobility

- Integration of Migrants
- International Migration
- Urbanization

Population Challenges in Post-Transitional Societies

- Policies in the Context of Low Fertility
- Transitions to Adulthood in Developed Countries

Cross-cutting Issues

- Demography of Armed Conflict
- Demography, Human Rights and Ethics
- Evolutionary Perspectives on Demography
- Gender
- Historical Demography
- Population-Environment Research Network (PERN)