Driving forces behind demographic trends in Visegrad countries:



The role of migration and family formation

10-11 September 2015

Venue: Maďarský Institut Prague Rytířská 25-27 110 00 Praha 1

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10.00 – 10.30 Registration

10.30 – 10.45 Opening of the conference: **H.E. Mr. Tibor Pető**, Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of Hungary

10.45 – 12.30 *Population trends in Visegrad countries*

Chair: Jiřina Kocourková (Charles University, Prague)

- **Péter Őri** (Hungarian Demographic Research Institute, Budapest): Population trends in Hungary in the 2nd half of the 20th century and in the last 15 years
- **Branislav Bleha** (Comenius University, Bratislava): Population developments in Slovakia. A quartercentury full of rapid changes and future outlook
- Krzysztof Tymicki (Warsaw School of Economics): Demographic trends in Poland over the past 25 years
- **Boris Burcin** (Charles University, Prague), **Tomáš Kučera** (Charles University, Prague): Population developments in the Czech Republic since 1990 and their prospects

12.30- 13.30 Lunch break

13.30 – 15.30 Immigration and integration in Visegrad countries

Chair: Zsuzsanna Makay (Hungarian Demographic Research Institute, Budapest)

- Eva Janská (Charles University, Prague), Dušan Drbohlav (Charles University, Prague): Migration trends and immigration policies in Visegrad countries
- Luděk Sýkora (Charles University, Prague), Marek Čaněk (Multicultural Center, Prague): Segregation and integration in Czech cities: interaction between migrants and majority at local level
- Irén Gödri (Hungarian Demographic Research Institute, Budapest): New trends of immigration into Hungary and the integration of immigrants
- Martina Lubyová (Slovak Academy of Sciences, Bratislava): Migration in Slovakia future scenarios with regard to the demographic development and labour market situation
- **Paweł Kaczmarczyk** (Centre of Migration Research, Warsaw): Demographic challenges in an emigrationimmigration country - the case of Poland

15.30 – 16.00 Coffee break

16.00 – 17.30 *Roundtable discussion* :

"Demographic trends in Visegrad countries and in Western Europe: more similarities or more differences?" With the participation of: **Branislav Bleha** (Comenius University, Bratislava), **Jiřina Kocourková** (Charles University, Prague), **Péter Őri** (Hungarian Demographic Research Institute, Budapest), **Krzysztof Tymicki** (Warsaw School of Economics). 8.30 – 9.00 Registration

9.00 – 10.45 *Family formation and fertility*

Chair: Anna Šťastná (Charles University, Prague)

- **Zuzanna Brzozowska** (Vienna Institute of Demography): The non-marital birth ratio on the increase: what is behind? A comparison of trends in the Czech Republic, Poland and Slovakia, 1988-2011
- **Jiřina Kocourková** (Charles University, Prague), **Anna Šťastná** (Charles University, Prague): Low fertility in the Czech Republic: Did the country miss out on the optimal time for fertility recuperation?
- Adél Rohr (Hungarian Demographic Research Institute, Budapest): Attitudes towards marriage and cohabitation
- **Branislav Šprocha** (INFOSTAT, Bratislava): Cohort fertility transition in Slovakia. The postponement and recuperation process

10.45 – 11.15 Coffee break

11.15 – 13.00 *Family policy and childcare*

Chair: Tomáš Kučera (Charles University, Prague)

- Boris Vaňo (INFOSTAT, Bratislava): Support of families with small children in Slovakia
- **Ewelina Słotwińska-Rosłanowska** (Warsaw School of Economics): Family policy in Poland recent reforms concerning leaves for parents and childcare
- Anna Šťastná (Charles University, Prague), Věra Kuchařová (Research Institute of Labour and Social Affairs, Prague): Childcare policies in the Czech Republic
- **Zsuzsanna Makay** (Hungarian Demographic Research Institute, Budapest): Mothers' labour market participation and recent family policy reforms in Hungary: trends towards more flexibility?

13.00 – 13.15 Closing of the conference









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