

# Wealth Inequality and Intergenerational Mobility

November 17 & November 18, 2022

Clubroom, Building LC (Library and Learning Center)  
Vienna University of Economics and Business (WU)  
Welthandelsplatz 1, 1020 Vienna

Day 1, November 17

**9.30 a.m. – 11.00 a.m.**

## Session 1 – Social Mobility I

Eva Six  
(WU Vienna)

Family Matters: The Indirect and Direct Effect of Childhood Cultural Capital on Wealth

Francesca Subioli  
(La Sapienza)

Earnings Inequality and Long-Term Mobility in Italy: A History of Persistence

Petra Sauer  
(LIS-LISER)

The Financial Dimension of Stratification: Inequality among Higher Education Institutions in Europe

11.00 a.m. – 11.30 a.m.

Coffee Break

**11.30 a.m. – 11.45 a.m.**

**Workshop Opening**  
**Dr. Wolfgang Petritsch (Austrian Marshall Plan Foundation) &**  
**Franziska Disslbacher**

**11.45 a.m. – 1.30 p.m.**

## **KEYNOTE LECTURE I – MILES CORAK (CUNY)**

**Public Policy for Equality and Opportunity: Evidence-Based and Ethically Grounded**

**Comment: Michael Förster (Guest Professor University of Antwerp and Former Senior Policy Analyst OECD, *Inequality*)**

**Festsaal 2, Library & Learning Center, WU Vienna**

1.30 p.m. – 3.30 p.m.

Lunch Break, Das Campus - Campus WU

**3.30 p.m. – 5.00 p.m.**

## Session 2 – Social Mobility II

Teresa Barbieri  
(University of Turin)

From Baby Boomers to X Generation: The Evolution of Intergenerational Income Income Mobility in Italy

Twisha Asher  
(CUNY)

The Impact of Inheritances on Family Expenditure and Debt

Isabel Martinez  
(KOF-ETH)

Intergenerational Mobility Along Multiple Dimensions: Evidence from Switzerland

5.00 p.m. – 5.30 p.m.

Coffee Break

**5.30 p.m. – 7.00 p.m.**

## Session 3 – Wealth Inequality I: Data and Measurement

Yonatan Berman  
(King's College London)

A Simplified Mortality Multiplier Method: New Estimates of Wealth Concentration

Ignacio Flores (CUNY)

Wealth Inequality in Latin America

Peter Lindner  
(Austrian Central Bank)

A New Instrument to Measure Wealth Inequality: Distributional Wealth Accounts

7.30 p.m.

**Dinner - Brösl, Wohlmutstrasse 23, 1020 Vienna**

Day 2, November 18

**9.30 a.m. – 11.30 a.m. Session 4 – Wealth Inequality II: Consequences**

- Emanuel List (WU Vienna)** Housing Wealth and the Welfare State (TBC)  
**Marco Ranaldi (UCL)** The Income-Wealth-Emission Triangle: Evidence from Italy  
**Patrick Mokre (AK Vienna)** Returns to Class: Wealth-Based Returns to Education  
**Sofie Waltl (WU Vienna)** Objectified Housing Sales and Rent Prices in Representative Household Surveys: The Impact on Macroeconomic Statistics

11.30 a.m. – noon Coffee Break & Snacks

**Noon – 1.30 p.m. Session 5 – Wealth Inequality & Social Mobility III**

- Vanessa Lechinger (WU Vienna)** Systematic Gender (Dis-)advantages? Examining the Gender Wealth Gap  
**Severin Rapp (WU Vienna)** Wealth Distribution and Household Economies of Scale: Does Family Structure Matter for Inequality?  
**Giacomo Rella (Roma Tre)** Monetary Policy, Asset Prices, and the Distribution of Wealth in the US

1.30 p.m. – 3.00 p.m. Lunch Break - MENSA WU, Building TC

**4.15 p.m. – 6.30 p.m. KEYNOTE LECTURE II – SALVATORE MORELLI (Roma Tre)**  
**The Growing Importance of Wealth, Wealth Inequality, and Inheritance: Introducing the GC Wealth Project**  
**Comment: Miriam Rehm (University Duisburg-Essen)**  
[Vienna Chamber of Labor, TGA - Plösslgasse 13, 1040 Wien](#)

7.00 p.m. Dinner - Gasthaus Buchecker & Sohn, Gusshausstrasse 23, 1040 Vienna

