



# CALL FOR CONFERENCE PARTICIPATION

The Demographic Research Institute in Budapest – in cooperation with the Consortium Board of the Generations and Gender Programme and the Population Unit of the UNECE – is organizing the :

## 1<sup>st</sup> User Conference of the GGP Demographic and Social Challenges in an Aging Europe

*Demographic Research Institute/HCSO, Budapest, Hungary*

**23-25 MAY 2011**

The conference will provide a platform for the presentation of research based on the Generations and Gender Survey (GGS) and the GGP Contextual Database and be a forum for exchanges between existing and potential GGP users.

Paper proposals covering the whole range of substantive issues encompassed within the GGP are invited. Comparative analyses based on several countries are preferred, and analyses using two or more waves of the surveys are also highly appreciated. However, papers exploiting single country GGS data will also be considered. Papers analyzing policy effects are highly valued. Proposals with a methodological (e.g. on data quality and data collection) and/or policy orientation are also welcome. Authors may submit multiple papers.

On the basis of the selected submissions, sessions on specific substantive or methodological themes will be created. Given that the GGP enables policy relevant research, specific sessions that focus on policy effects will be organized, in order to facilitate discussion between policy makers and the research community, and to contribute to a European-wide understanding of key demographic challenges during the Hungarian EU Presidency.

**Organizing committee** Pearl Dykstra, Erasmus University, The Netherlands (Social and Population Policy)  
Andrej Kveder, NIDI, Slovenia/The Netherlands (Methodology)  
Ariane Pailhé, INED, France (Economics and Sociology)  
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**Submission Procedure:** Proposals for the conference should be submitted electronically to  
**ggp@demografia.hu**  
by **Monday, January 3, 2011.**

The author must provide the necessary contact information, title, affiliation, an abstract of no more than 300 words, extended abstract or full paper if available, and identify the section of first interest (Social and Population Policy; Methodology; Economics and Sociology; Demography). Authors will be notified about the outcome of the selection process by the end of January.