



Meet the Data Workshop (in person & online)

The Children of Immigrants Longitudinal Survey in Four European Countries (CILS4EU)

Date: April 27th, 2023 (10:00-15:30)

Location: Mannheim Centre for European for European Social Research (MZES), University of Mannheim, A5, 6, 68159 Mannheim, Germany or online via Zoom

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The CILS4EU project (<https://www.cils4.eu/>) collects survey data with a focus on the integration of children of immigrants in the four European countries England, Germany, Netherlands, and Sweden. After the joint data collection in the four countries from 2010 until 2013, some of the national teams continued data collection, which is now no longer harmonized between countries. One example here is the German continuation CILS4EU-DE, for which wave nine is currently in progress.

In addition to continuous data collection, the CILS4EU team is also working to expand the usability of the existing data. For this reason, we have published a **Campus Use File**, which can be accessed free of charge by students and lecturers for teaching and writing theses. Furthermore, we are working on harmonizing the German part of the CILS4EU data with data from the National Educational Panel Study – Starting Cohort 4 (NEPS SC4) and merge them into one large **CILS4NEPS** data set. These data provide a larger sample size, e.g., for rare life events and certain minority groups.

This workshop is intended for everyone who is interested in processes of integration and life trajectories of adolescents and young adults and uses or wants to use survey data to study them. It introduces researchers to the CILS4EU data and its extensions. In the first two sessions, we provide an overview of the different data sets, the process of data collection, and general advice on their use. The first afternoon session is dedicated to recently released and work-in-progress data sets. We introduce these data and give you an idea how they could be used in your research. In the last session, we will answer **your questions** about the data in an open Q&A. When registering for the workshop, please let us know which CILS4EU-data-related question(s) you want us to address in the Q&A.

You can attend the workshop online via Zoom or in person at the Mannheim Centre for European Social Research in Mannheim, Germany. Please register by **April 9th, 2023**, under the following link: https://www.mzes.uni-mannheim.de/cils4eu_meet_the_data_2023/. Participation is **free of charge**. Please note that we cannot reimburse travel costs. This workshop is supported by the Mannheim Centre for European Social Research (MZES). If you have any questions, please contact us via cils4eu@mzes.uni-mannheim.de.

Workshop Outline

10:00 – 11:00	Introduction I: Survey Design, Fieldwork, and Key Topics
11:00 – 11:15	Coffee Break
11:15 – 12:15	Introduction II: Data Access, Structure, and Documentation & Data Management
12:15 – 13:15	Lunch Break
13:15 – 14:15	New Data: Campus Use File, CILS4NEPS & Wave 9 CILS4EU-DE
14:15 – 14:30	Coffee Break
14:30 – 15:30	Q&A Session

