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Rethinking Youth Transitions: Values, Expectations, and Social Norms

FINAL CONFERENCE

START project (PRIN 2022)

4 November 2026 |9:30 am – 5:30 pm

Università di Torino

Aula Magna Rettorato

Via Po 17, Torino

Registration *here*

MORNING SESSION|9:30 am – 1:00 pm

Transition to Adulthood: concepts, trends and challenges

Chair: Zeynep Mentesoglu Tardivo (University of Milan)

9:30 *Institutional Welcome,* Manuela Naldini, Vice-Director, Department of Culture, Politics and Society

9:45 -10:00 *The START project*, Simona Guglielmi (University of Milan) and Renzo Carriero (University of Turin)

10:00-10:30 *Forever Young? How a New Generation is Redefining the Transition to Adulthood*, Arnstein Aassve (Bocconi University)

10:30 – 11:00 *Toward Adulthood: How Adolescents Imagine Their Future and Negotiate Age Norms,* Simona Guglielmi (University of Milan)

11:00 – 11:30 Coffee break

11:30-12:00 *Warm Ties, Late Departures? Intergenerational Relationships, Age Norms and Expected Timing of Home Leaving,* Renzo Carriero (University of Turin)

12:00 -12:30 *The Transition to Adulthood in Italy, Between Choice And Constraint,* Elisa Brini (University of Florence)

12:30 -13:00 *Imagining Work: Adolescents' Values, Expectations and Aspirations,* Sonia Bertolini (University of Turin)

1:00 – 2:30 pm Lunch

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2:30 pm – 5:30 pm
EARLY-CAREER RESEARCHERS SESSION

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CONTRIBUTIONS SELECTED THROUGH A CALL FOR ABSTRACTS
AND BASED ON DATA FROM THE START SURVEY

The Many Clocks of Adulthood: Social Background, Educational Plans, and Life-Course Expectations Among Italian Students, Guido Salza (University of Milan) [presenting]; Giuliana Parente (University of Milan)

Running Against the Same Clock? Parental SES and Intergenerational Similarity In Ideations of Adulthood In Italy, Davide Gritti (University of Trento) [presenting]; Valeria Ferraretto (University of Bologna)

Leaving Home, Becoming an Adult: Migration Background and Expectations of Residential Autonomy among Adolescents in Italy, Alice Sanarico (University of Milan) [presenting]; Matilde Perotti (Bocconi University); Alessandro Di Nallo (Pompeu Fabra University; Dondena Centre, Bocconi University)

Imagining Work at the Threshold of Adulthood, Francesco Gentilini (University of Modena and Reggio Emilia)

Social Origin and Variability in Adulthood Milestones, Social Inequality, and Future Expectations: A Comparison between Parents and Children in Italy, Davide Cartagini (Fondazione Bruno Kessler – IRVAPP)

4:00 – 4:30 pm Coffee break

Who Is Allowed a Future? Gendered Expectations, Adult Norms, and Intergenerational Alignment in Youth Transitions, Francesca Pignataro (University of Bari Aldo Moro)

*Different Present, Different Futures? Gender Differences in Political Orientation, Values and Expectation*s, Giulietta Zanga (University of Milan)

Formation of Egalitarian Attitudes – Perception of Economic Inequalities among Italian Teenagers and Their Parents, Magdalena Novosel (Institute of Public Finance, Zagreb)

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