2019 International Workshop on Comparative Survey Design and Implementation Program

The Institute of Philosophy and Sociology of the Polish Academy of Sciences
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Welcome
Zeina Mneimneh, University of Michigan
Professor Andrzej Rychard, Institute of Philosophy and Sociology, Polish Academy of Sciences

Questionnaire Translation and Language Issues in Survey Research: Detecting Problems and Suggesting Solutions
Chairs: Brita Dorer, GESIS-Leibniz-Institute for the Social Sciences; Alisu Schoua-Glusberg, Research Support Services

Working Remotely with Translation Teams in Implementing TRAPD: Practical Considerations
Alisu Schoua-Glusberg, Research Support Services

Surveyspeak versus Translatability: Can Gunning Fog Index Inform Questionnaire Development?
Danuta Przepiórkowska, University of Warsaw

A New Look at Types of Probes for Testing Translated Instruments
Alisu Schoua-Glusberg, Research Support Services

Advance Translations Used to Enhance the Translatability of the Source Questionnaire in the ESS: Confirmation of the Usefulness in a Think-Aloud Study into French and German
Brita Dorer, GESIS-Leibniz-Institute for the Social Sciences

Mechanisms of Close versus Free Questionnaire Translation: Qualitative Findings from an Experiment in Estonian and Slovene
Brita Dorer, GESIS-Leibniz-Institute for the Social Sciences

Break

Comparability of Measures
Chair: Yu-chieh (Jay) Lin, University of Michigan

The Total Survey Error Paradigm and Comparison Error: A Component-Level Evaluation
Tom W. Smith, NORC at the University of Chicago
Regular o Pasable: Improving Measurement Properties of Self-Rated Health for U.S. Latinos through Alternative Translation
Sunghee Lee, University of Michigan

Measuring School Children's Attitudes towards Minorities in Poland and Switzerland
Charlotte Clara Becker, University of Cologne

Household and Personal Income Measures in Cross-National Survey Projects: Assumptions, Usability and Comparability
Marta Kołczyńska, Institute of Philosophy and Sociology, Polish Academy of Sciences

1:00   Lunch

2:00   Interviewer Variations & Training
Chair: Kristen Cibelli Hibben, University of Michigan

Measuring Interviewer Compliance with Regard to Question Deviations in a Multi-Language Survey in Zambia
P. Linh Nguyen, University of Essex; University of Mannheim

Development of Bilingual Interviewer Training at the U.S. Census Bureau
Patricia Goerman, U.S. Census Bureau

Why do Interviewers Vary on Interview Privacy and Does Privacy Matter?
Zeina Mneimneh, University of Michigan

3:00   Break

3:30   Achieving Comparability and Translational Equivalence in Cross-Cultural Survey Research Using Technology from Natural Language Processing
Chair: Sofia Axelsson, University of Gothenburg

Complementing Comparative Surveys Through the Use of Word Embeddings
Magnus Sahlgren, Research Institutes of Sweden
The Meaning of Democracy – Using a Distributional Semantic Lexicon to Collect Co-Occurrence Information from Online Data across Languages
*Sofia Axelsson, University of Gothenburg*

Lost in Translation – How Differences in Word Intensity Affect Citizens’ Satisfaction with the Working of Democracy
*Stefan Dahlberg, University of Gothenburg*

Measuring Issue Ownership using Word Embeddings
*Amaru Cuba Gyllensten, Research Institutes of Sweden*

Do Not Take Online-Mediated Text for Granted: Heuristics for Assessing Limitations of Representativity in Online Text Data
*Jonas Andersson Schwarz, Södertörn University*

5:15 Announcements & Updates

5:30 Close Day 1

6:00 CSDI Executive Committee Meeting
9:00  Announcements

9:15  Developing Interactive Tools for Cross-National Surveys: Results from the SERISS Project
    Chair: Sarah Butt, City, University of London
    Introducing an Electronic Fieldwork Management System in the European Social Survey
    Sarah Butt, City, University of London
    Documenting the European Social Survey Questionnaire Design Process Online Using the Data Documentation Initiative (DDI)
    Hilde Orten, NSD - Norwegian Centre for Research Data
    Challenges and Best Practices When Designing a Mobile Application for a Probability-Based Internet Panel
    Geneviève Michaud, Sciences Po Paris
    The Question Variable Database (QVDB): A Portal and Documentation Tool for the ESS
    Benjamin Beuster, NSD - Norwegian Centre for Research Data
    The myEVS Project Management Portal: A Case Study for Survey Projects
    Evelyn Brislinger, GESIS-Leibniz-Institute for the Social Sciences

11:00  Break

11:30  Mode Preferences & Differences
    Chair: Julie de Jong, University of Michigan
    Possibilities of Using Declarative and Behavioral Data in Predicting Respondents Survey Mode Preference in Poland
    Adam Rybak, Institute of Sociology, University of Adam Mickiewicz, Poznan
PC versus Mobile Survey: Are People's Life Evaluations Comparable?
Francesco Sarracino, STATEC

12:15 Sample Management Systems and Sampling Innovations
Chair: Zeina Mneimneh, University of Michigan

Designing a Sample Management System for use in a Cross-national On-line Web Panel: Initial Thinking and Ideas
Gianmaria Bottoni, Euroepan Social Survey HQ, City, University of London

Respondent Driven Sampling for Immigrant Populations: An Application to Foreign-Born Korean Americans
Sunghee Lee, University of Michigan

Data Collection Mode Change: Going from Face to Face to CATI: The Case of Greece
Carsten Broich, Sample Solutions BV

1:15 Lunch

2:15 Paradata and Quality
Chair: Jose-Luis Padilla Garcia, University of Granada

How Do Timestamps Improve Survey Implementation? Demonstration of PMA Analytics
Shulin Jiang, PMA2020, Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health

Comparing and Validating New Methods to Control for Response Biases in Self-Report Educational Data
Marek Muszyński, Institute of Sociology, Jagiellonian University

Why Do We Prefer Second Best Quality Indicators?
Peter Mohler, Mannheim University

3:15 Break
3:45  Results of the AAPOR/WAPOR Task Force (TF) on Quality of Comparative Surveys  
Chair: Lars Lyberg, Inizio  

Overall Goals of 3MC Research  
Timothy P. Johnson, University of Illinois at Chicago  

Using the Total Survey Error Approach to Assess and Reduce Comparison Error in Cross-National and Cross-Cultural Surveys  
Tom W. Smith, NORC at the University of Chicago  

Questionnaire Development in 3MC Surveys  
Alisu Schoua-Glusberg, Research Support Services  

Error Sources and Quality in 3MC Sampling and Field Implementation  
Julie de Jong and Kristen Cibelli Hibben, University of Michigan  

Survey Documentation in 3MC Surveys  
Irina Tomescu-Dubrow, Institute of Philosophy and Sociology, Polish Academy of Sciences  

5:30  Announcements & Close Day 2  

7:00  Group Dinner
Wednesday, March 20

9:00  Announcements

9:15  Questionnaire Development and Testing  
Chair: Ilona Wysmulek, Institute of Philosophy and Sociology, Polish Academy of Sciences

Testing Branching Techniques and Rating Scales across Countries  
*Aneta Guenova, US Department of State*

*Patricia Hadler, GESIS-Leibniz Institute for the Social Sciences*

*Jose-Luis Padilla Garcia, University of Granada*

Measuring Employment and Earnings among Disadvantaged Youth: Findings from Cognitive Interviews with USAID Youth Workforce Development Program Beneficiaries in Five Countries.  
*Mousumi Sarkar, Well World Solutions, LLC*

10:45  3MC Case Studies  
Chair: *Jennifer Kelley, University of Michigan; University of Essex*

Implementing the TSE Framework in a Multinational Context: Lessons from Four National Surveys in the Caribbean  
*Ramiro Flores Cruz, Sistemas Integrales*

Lessons Learned From Using Paradata to Assess Data Quality and Inform Operational Strategies: Comparative Analyses on National Aging Studies in Thailand and Malaysia  
*Yu-chieh (Jay) Lin, University of Michigan*

11:30  Break
12:00 Harmonizing Panel Survey Data for Multi-Cultural Research
Chair: Irina Tomescu-Dubrow, Institute of Philosophy and Sociology, Polish Academy of Sciences

Comparing Life-Course Data from Multiple National Panel Surveys: Challenges of Ex-post Harmonization
Anna Kiersztyn, University of Warsaw

Synchronize to Harmonize: Ex-ante Strategy in a Comparative Pseudo Panel Study on Birth Cohorts
Ireneusz Sadowski, Institute of Political Studies of the Polish Academy of Sciences

Constructing Occupational Careers using Panel Survey Data: Harmonization of Multiple Concurrent Jobs through Time
Zbigniew Sawiński, Institute of Political Studies of the Polish Academy of Sciences

1:00 Closing Session

1:30 Close Workshop & Lunch
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