

Dear reader,

We are pleased to send you a brief report on the main news of the LIVES Centre which have marked our last months.

Best regards.

RESEARCH

Careers

The global corporate elite is shaped by a small number of organisations. The senior executives of these 'career platforms' **share the same ideologies and define the culture of contemporary financial capitalism**.

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Living environments and health

Growing up in rural areas leads to a long-term **disadvantage in cognitive functioning** in the elderly and very old.

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Being a centenarian in Switzerland

The first results of the SWISS100 telephone study give an encouraging message: **Swiss centenarians show health-related vulnerability, but also significant social and psychological resilience**.

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Family diversity and well-being in Switzerland

A typical trajectory continues to dominate the Swiss life course: most people marry, have children and adopt an unequal division of labour between spouses. **How can we understand this low diversity of family forms?**

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Participatory research to improve health

Community resources contribute to the health and quality of life of residents. **Identifying these health resources** and understanding how they contribute to a healthy living environment is essential for **promoting health in the community**.

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Prestige of professions

Doctors and business leaders are at the top of the list, while cleaning staff and factory workers are relegated to the bottom.

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PROJECTS

« Covid-19 in society »

Members of the LIVES Centre are leading 4 of the 25 projects selected by the Swiss National Science Foundation in the humanities and social sciences.

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PUBLIC EVENTS

25.05.2023 - Volunteering by seniors: a necessary and invisible work

Presentation of the results of the VIVRA project "Living well in retirement with others. Commitments, skills and quality of life in the age of lifelong learning".

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3-4.06.2023 - Mystères de l'UNIL

Open days at the University of Lausanne, on the subject of health. Cléolia Sabot's team will lead the workshop "Préaux en tous genres" for pupils and families.

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8.06.2023 - Assises des Familles 2023

Conferences and workshops on the theme "Grandparenting and intergenerational links: giving your time or taking your time?"

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Becoming legal

The general public discovered the implications of the **Parchments study results for public policies on migration**. It was also an opportunity to share points of view by giving the floor to the participants of the study as well as to field and health professionals.

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Podcasts - 16 lively stories

16 poignant stories from researchers, reflecting real life trajectories, deal with themes such as **heteronormativity in public spaces, end of life, professional trajectories, separation as seen by teenagers and many more**. The podcasts are available on our website and on various listening platforms.

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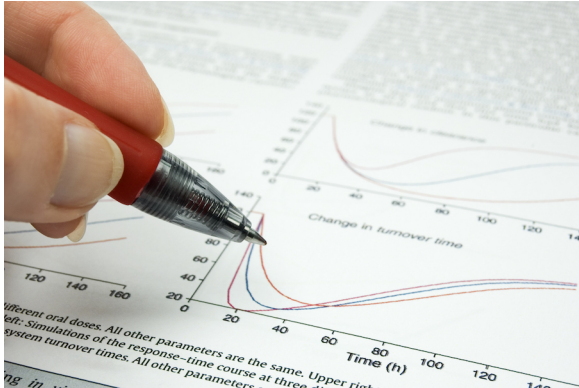
PORTRAIT



Clément Meier

Interview with Clément Meier, a doctoral student in the human and social sciences of medicine, who recently took part in the adventure "Ma thèse en 180 secondes".

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