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.

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**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 VIPRA 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.

8.06.2023 - Assises des Familles 2023
Conferences and workshops on the theme “Grandparenting and intergenerational links: giving your time or taking your time?”

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.

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.

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.”

Publications
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