

Conference Announcement and Call for Submissions

7th pairfam International Interdisciplinary Conference

Personality and Relationships Across the Life Span

Jena, July 2-3, 2020

We are pleased to announce the upcoming international interdisciplinary conference on “Personality and Relationships Across the Life Span”, to be held from July 2 to 3, 2020 in Jena, Germany. Save the dates and mark your calendar!

The conference is part of the scientific program of the *pairfam* project funded by the German Research Foundation. *Pairfam* is a representative panel study for analyzing close relationships and family relations in Germany. It provides large longitudinal data sets to be used by interested researchers. For more details please see www.pairfam.de/en/.

The conference will broadly focus on developmental processes in personality and close relationships. It will address dynamic transactions between personality and relationships with romantic partners, family, and friends and how these domains (co)develop across the lifespan. The program will feature a number of interesting keynote lectures by internationally renowned scientists: Chris Fraley (University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign), Jaap Denissen (Tilburg University), and Denis Gerstorf (Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin).

Further contributions of interested scientists are particularly welcome. We therefore invite **submissions of papers and posters** presenting own research on personality and relationships across life span with *pairfam* data, but the conference is not restricted to contributions derived from this project. Please submit your abstract until **February 15, 2020** (see below). For further information on the project and data access, please contact the pairfam user support (support@pairfam.de).

Further information on the scientific program, conference organization, and registration will be available shortly on:

www.pairfam-conference2020.uni-jena.de

Abstract Submission:

Interested researchers and young scientists are invited to submit an abstract for a paper or poster presentation. For abstract submission, please send a word document (in English), including the following information:

- » Title of the contribution
- » Full names and institutional affiliations of all authors (with the presenter's name underlined and complete address of the presenter, including e-mail address)
- » Abstract of no more than 300 words, describing your topic and hypothesis, methods and main results

Please submit your abstract until **February 15, 2020** to pairfam-conference2020@uni-jena.de.

Notifications of acceptance will be mailed until **March 15, 2020**.

Conference Venue:

The conference will take place in the *Rosensäle* of the Friedrich-Schiller-Universität. Our university is Thuringia's biggest higher education institution, and the Institute of Psychology has a long tradition in developmental sciences (www.uni-jena.de/en/). The city is a great place to stay and has a vibrant youthful atmosphere. Jena has a fascination history of arts and sciences dating back to the dawn of the Enlightenment and the German Romanticism.

Important Dates:

February 15, 2020: Deadline for abstract submission

March 15, 2020: Notification of acceptance

April 15, 2020: Deadline for registration (see www.pairfam-conference2020.uni-jena.de)

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