TRANSNATIONAL ACCESS VISITS: OVERVIEW OF THE 1ST CALL

The first call for the COORDINATE Transnational Access Visits (TAV) programme closed on the 25th of February 2022. The TAV programme offers child and youth researchers from across Europe the opportunity to visit and gain access to longitudinal datasets from participating countries. We are delighted to offer visits to nine host institutions including University College Dublin, Ireland; Manchester Metropolitan University, UK; Netherlands Interdisciplinary Demographic Institute, The Hague; University of Essex, UK; Centerdata, Tilburg, The Netherlands; European Centre, Vienna, Austria; Institut National d’Études Démographiques Paris, France; IPSOS, Berlin, Germany.

The TAV programme funds visits (up to €1250 per week) of between one and three weeks in duration and is open to academic researchers from PhD students to full professors, as well as policy practitioners and other researchers or analysts working in EU countries and associated states.

There was a great amount of interest in the first TAV call from researchers all across Europe. We received 38 applications from fourteen different countries, with the most applicants coming from Spain, Ireland, and England. The first call attracted many early career researchers. Of the 38 applications, 25 were PhD students and 6 had completed their PhD within the last five years. For this call, more women applied than men, with 70% of applicants being female and 30% being male.

Some of the institutions within COORDINATE proved to be very popular among applicants. University College Dublin received the most applications, followed by IPSOS, Berlin, and Netherlands Interdisciplinary Demographic Institute (NIDI). In total 26 researchers will be visiting host institutions across Europe over the next 12 months to conduct cutting-edge research on child and youth well-being.

The first call of the COORDINATE TAV programme has been a great success. If you are interested in applying for a TAV visit, the second call for the TAV programme will open on August 25th 2022.