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MIXED-METHODS RESEARCH IN THE STUDY OF INTERNATIONAL MIGRATION

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Mixed-methods research is emerging in several fields, including in international migration studies. Yet, there is still little research truly integrating qualitative and quantitative methods, data, sampling and analysis techniques. The variety of mixing that can be implemented in international migration studies is immense. One can apply it to multi-level research dealing with the impact of migration policies on migrants' strategies and livelihoods; nested sampling can provide an opportunity to develop findings from national and international surveys through subsequent ethnographic research; data collected among various actors can lead to triangulation of results, and qualitative in-depth interviews can both inform the elaboration of questionnaires or help interpret quantitative findings.

In this session we welcome papers looking at both results of research projects that employed mixed methods, as well as methodological papers focusing on a mixed-methods design applied to international migration.

To submit a paper for this panel, please send an abstract of max. 250 words together with your name and institutional affiliation to Ruxandra Oana Ciobanu at oana.ciobanu@unige.ch no later than *25th November 2019*. Following your submission, we will select four to five abstracts and apply to IMISCOE to organise a panel in the upcoming Annual Conference. Accepted participants will be notified by 29th of November 2019. We would be most interested to further collaborate after on a joint publication of the papers in this panel.