

Dear colleagues,

We are pleased to invite you to participate in the **1st International Symposium “Infrastructure for Everyday Life, Social Well-being and New Metrics for Public Decision-Making”**, which will be held at the University of Murcia on 11 and 12 June 2026, within the framework of the international network EuWIGeN (<https://euwigen.com>).

The symposium is organised within the research project *Infrastructure for Everyday Life from a Feminist Well-being Economics Perspective* (PID2022-141305OB-I00), funded under the 2022 Knowledge Generation Programme (Type B Oriented Research) of the Spanish Ministry of Science, Innovation and Universities. Its main objective is to present and discuss the results of the ongoing research derived from this project. The full programme, structured over two scientific days, is available on the main webpage: <https://euwigen.com>.

During the two scientific days, morning sessions will be devoted to keynote lectures on urban planning, subjective well-being, objective well-being and time use, delivered by internationally recognised experts in the fields of feminist well-being economics, urban studies, sociology and public policy.

These contributions aim to establish the theoretical and conceptual framework of the symposium, addressing the role of infrastructure in the development of capabilities and in well-being from a gender perspective.

Afternoon sessions will be dedicated to presentations of ongoing research by members of the EuWIGeN research team. These sessions will focus on presenting preliminary results and sharing research progress, which will be subject to critical discussion. They will enable the comparison of empirical evidence, support the systematisation of the research line, and contribute to the expansion and strengthening of the network.

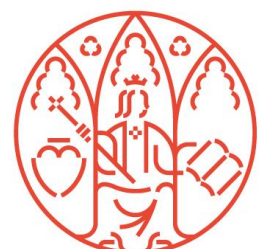
In addition, the programme includes a dedicated **open session for paper presentations**, scheduled for Friday, which will allow the participation of external researchers. This session aims to enrich academic debate and broaden the exchange of research around the symposium’s thematic areas, incorporating new perspectives and reinforcing its interdisciplinary character.

The second day will conclude with a **closing and synthesis session**, in which the main findings will be summarised, future lines of work will be identified, and the role of EuWIGeN as an international platform for cooperation will be further strengthened.

Topics of Interest

Submissions may address, but are not limited to, the following topics:

- Infrastructure for everyday life
- Urban planning and territorial development from a social perspective



- Economic theories of well-being
- Social capital, economic and social sustainability
- Citizen participation in public policy
- Indicators for measuring economic and social development
- Metrics for public decision-making
- Mobility, time use and productivity
- Public services, quality of life and social cohesion from an intersectional perspective
- Gender-responsive budgeting
- Qualitative methodologies for research and evaluation of public policies
- Infrastructure and gender-based violence

In addition, papers addressing other areas related to public policy from a gender and equality perspective between women and men will also be considered, provided that they are based on research findings.

Submission and Key Dates

The submission of papers is subject to evaluation and acceptance by the Scientific Committee, as well as to prior registration for the symposium.

Key dates:

- Submission deadline: **31 May 2026**
- Notification of acceptance: **7 June 2026**

Proposals must be submitted exclusively through the following form: https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSeNirJnSTLgqLMB9Lp6w9I7yVKOcn5VSai7yAr3WNJsgMa8_w/viewform

Dissemination and Contact

We would greatly appreciate your support in disseminating this call among researchers, research groups and individuals interested in these topics.

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Yours sincerely,

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