

>> Looking for Data?

FReDA – The German Family Demography Panel Study

provides data on over 30,000 individuals in Germany.

This new study collects data on:



Family, parent-child and generational relationships



Partnerships and private lifestyles



Division of work in a partnership



Life satisfaction



Desires to have children and family planning



Education and work

Sign-up for the 3-day FReDA Autumn School to learn how to use the FReDA dataset. Participants will be introduced to FReDA, find out how to access the data, and will have the chance to work with the data through hands-on sessions.

As a panel study, FReDA collects data about living situations of partnerships and families in Germany over a prolonged and continuous period of time. A representative sample was drawn from all people aged 18 to 49 living in Germany in 2020. Twice a year, FReDA surveys its participants and their partners.



Wednesday, 10. September -
Friday, 12. September



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Registration: Sign up for free [here](#)
Deadline to register: 15 July 2025



Additional questions can be sent to freda@bib.bund.de

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>> FReDA AUTUMN SCHOOL

10.09.-12.09.2025 at JGU Mainz

>> KEY ELEMENTS OF FReDA

- **Large sample size:** The FReDA panel collects about 30,000 interviews twice a year and there are already 7 sub-waves available.
- **Multi-actor design:** Partners of the anchor sample are also surveyed.
- **Cross-national comparison:** FReDA participates in the Generations and Gender Survey (GGS), which allows users to compare the data with many other European and non- European countries.
- **Open modules:** Researchers have the opportunity to submit questions to be included in the FReDA questionnaire, expanding the scope of the survey.

>> PROGRAM

Wednesday, 10. September

- 13:00-13:45 Registration & welcoming of participants
13:45-15:15 Introduction to FReDA, data-access and documentation
15:30-17:00 Hands-on session I
17:00-17:30 Potential research topics
17:30-19:00 Evening reception (with drinks and finger food, sponsored by FReDA)

Thursday, 11. September

- 9:45-10:45 Practical use of FReDA data
10:45-11:45 Hands-on session II
11:45-12:30 GGS and its relationship to FReDA
13:30-14:15 The strength of panel data
14:15-15:15 Hands-on session III
15:30-16:15 pairfam and its relationship to FReDA
16:15-17:30 Hands-on session IV
18:30 Dinner at a local restaurant

Friday, 12. September

- 9:45-10:30 Dyadic analyses, using data from partner interviews
10:30-11:45 Hands-on session V
11:45-12:00 Evaluation
12:00-12:15 Autumn School closing

>> EVENT FORMAT AND REQUIREMENTS

- The course will be conducted in English and in person.
- Researchers of all levels are welcome.
- Participants need to be able to use Stata, R or SPSS, preferably Stata, since examples will use Stata.

>> SIGN-UP HERE

