



First Announcement

LINKING HISTORICAL FAMILIES

In collaboration with the project team of LINKS we would like to invite you to the CATCH Meeting to be held on **Friday, 26 November 2010** in Amsterdam. This meeting starts at 12.00 with a lunch and is open to any interested party. The location is the International Institute of Social History (IISG) at Cruquiusweg 31 in Amsterdam (www.iisg.nl).

Please mark this date in your agenda!

Background LINKS (www.iisg.nl/hsn/news/links-project.php)

LINKS aims at reconstructing all nineteenth and early twentieth century families in the Netherlands. This reconstruction will be based on GENLIAS (to be renamed in WieWasWie (WhoWasWho) next year), which is a digitized index of all civil certificates from this period. LINKS is a project of the IISG-KNAW, Utrecht University, Virtual Knowledge Studio, LIACS, P.J. Meertens Institute, Netherlands Interdisciplinary Demographic Institute, Historic Centre of Overijssel and Tresoar.

Programme

- 12:00 - 13:00 Registration and lunch
- 13:00 - 13:10 Welcome IISG by Marcel van der Linden, chair of the symposium, and CATCH programme committee by Jaap van Herik, (Tilburg University)
- 13:10 - 14:00 LINKS, Linking Historical Registrations into Families and Pedigrees by Kees Mandemakers (International Institute of Social History Amsterdam; Erasmus University Rotterdam)
- 14:00 - 14:50 Linking Populations of the Past: Theory and Practice by Kevin Schurer (University of Leicester)
- 14:50 - 15:10 Coffee and tea break
- 15:10 - 15:50 Using the Geographical Dimension of Historical Civil Registration Data in Research by Peter Ekamper (Netherlands Interdisciplinary Demographic Institute, The Hague)
- 15:50 - 16:30 The Dream of an Archivist by Siem van der Woude (Tresoar, the Frisian Historical and Literary Centre, Leeuwarden)
- 16:30 - 17:30 Reception

See [abstracts](#) and [CVs](#).

There is no registration fee. For registration, go to www.nwo.nl/nwohome.nsf/pages/NWOP_8A7H6T. More information on the programme, the speakers and how to register you can find on the website www.nwo.nl/catch. For more other information please contact the CATCH secretariat.

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