



CARE WORK & THE ECONOMY

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The Care Work and the Economy (CWE-GAM) is a project based at the American University Program on Gender Analysis in Economics (PGAE)

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Welcome to the fifth edition of the Care Work & the Economy (CWE-GAM) newsletter, brought to your inbox by the CWE-GAM communications team. Here you will find updates related to the project's work – including recently published working papers, policy briefs, blogs and other news about the project.



PROJECT UPDATES

VIRTUAL WORKSHOP SERIES AMONG COLLEAGUES

Our research-in-progress workshop in September featured the work by Hans Lofgren and Martin Cicowiez on 'Child and Elderly Care in South Korea: Policy Analysis With a Gendered, Care-focused Computable General Equilibrium Model.' We look forward to seeing you at our upcoming workshops:

October 7 | "The Effect of Public Social Infrastructure and Gender Equality on Output and Employment: The Case of South Korea" - Cem Oyvatt and Özlem Onaran

October 21 | "Care Support Ratios in Korea and the US" - Gretchen Donehower and Bongoh Kye (BK)

November 4 | "Impact of Policy Interventions at Reduction and Redistribution of Unpaid Care Work on Employment Generation, Time- and Income-Poverty and Gender Gaps: A Macro-Micro Policy Simulation for Turkey" - Ipek Ilkcaracan,

Kijong Kim, Thomas Masterson, Emel memiş & Ajit Zacharias

Many thanks to our colleagues who have presented, chaired, and participated our previous workshops, demonstrating that even in these trying times, meaningful collaboration is indeed possible.

These invite-only workshops provide a platform for CWE-GAM researchers to share work-in-progress and to engage in stimulating research discussions, such as those we had in Berlin and Glasgow. If you want to have a friendly and thoughtful discussion of your ongoing research, contact our Workshop Coordinator Catherine Hensly at careworkeconomy@american.edu. Please include the title of the paper you would like to present and a month that would work best for your schedule.



FEATURED BLOGS

Recent blog posts focus on special reports from the OECD & the UK Women's Budget Group (WBG), and highlighting a recent webinar hosted by WBG Commission on a Gender-Equal Economy. The WBG Commission on a Gender-Equal Economy's final report, '**Creating a Caring Economy: A Call to Action**' is now available on their [website](#). An executive summary in English, Welsh and in large print is also available for download.

[Spirals of Inequality: A Women's Budget Group Special Report](#) CWE-GAM Project

[Webinar \(9/30/20\): Creating a Caring Economy](#) CWE-GAM Project

[LTC Sector Faces a Number of Challenges, Today and Going Forward: An OECD Report](#) CWE-GAM Project

We are always looking for new blog contributions from our researchers and advisory board members. Whether you want to highlight recent working papers,

research on care work, or other subjects that would inform our community and the public on the care work economy, consider contributing to the Care Work and the Economy blog series. Our blog series is a wonderful way to engage a wider audience of care work researchers, advocacy groups and others involved in the policy dialogues around care work.

If you are interested in contributing a blog post or would like us to repost a blog from your project or organization, please email careworkeconomy@american.edu and let us know!



WORKING PAPER SERIES

UNDERSTANDING AND MEASURING CARE

"A Glimpse of the Context of Elderly Family Caregivers: Actual Time vs. Preferred Time for Elderly Care" Seung-Eun Cha & Hyuna Moon

GLOBAL DIMENSIONS OF CARE

"Demographic, Health and Economic Transitions and the Future Demand for Caregiving" Elizabeth M. King, Hannah L. Randolph, Maria S. Floro & Jooyeun Suh



INQUIRIES

The CWE-GAM Communications Team would like to know if your working papers are being published. If so, please email us at careworkeconomy@american.edu with the title of the working paper, title of the journal, and stage of the publication process. This will help the project keep up to date on the activities and achievements of all our valued researchers.

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